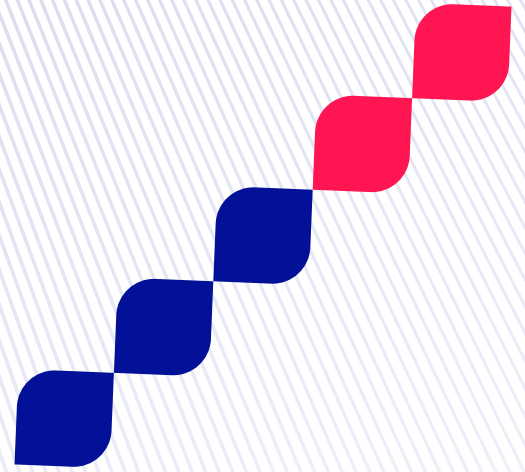


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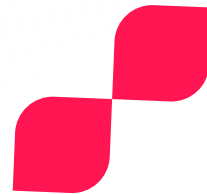
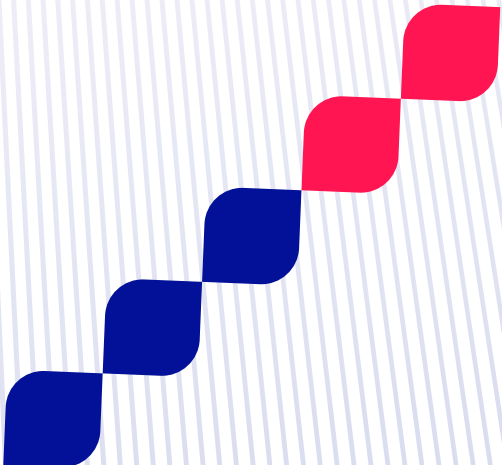
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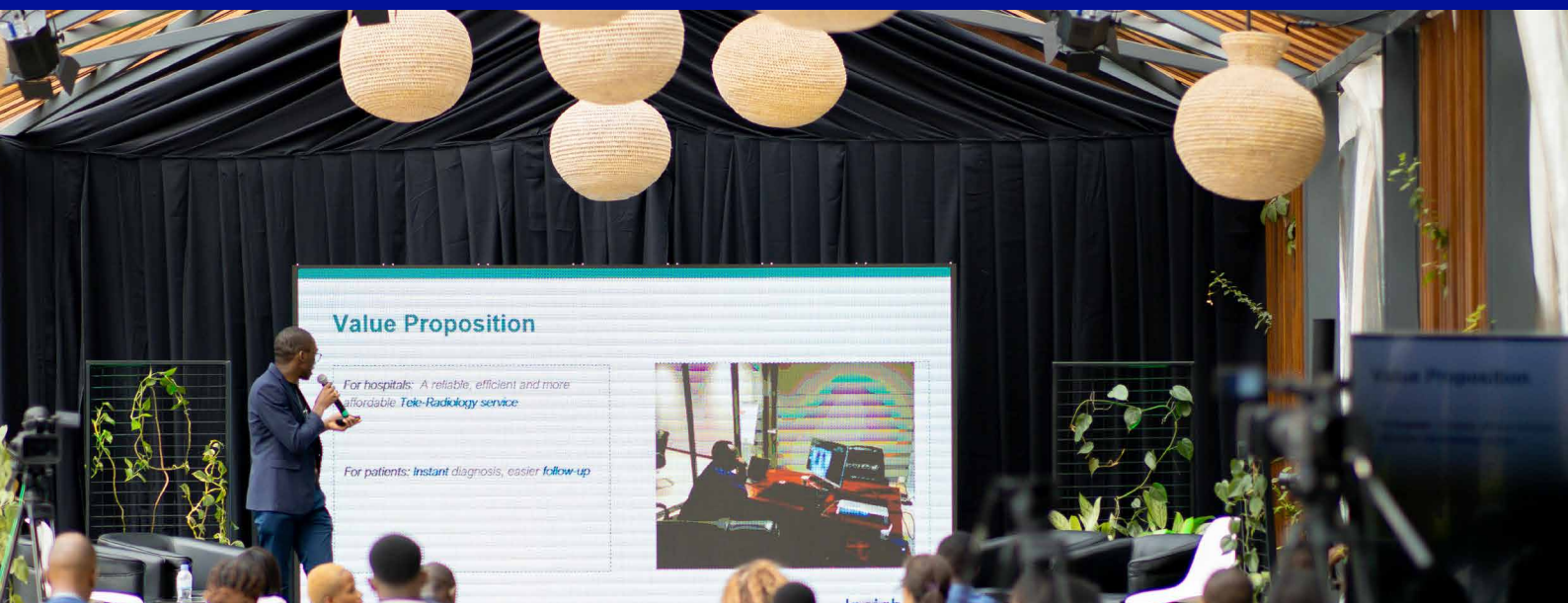


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THE HEALTHTECH HUB AFRICA

BACKGROUND

The HealthTech Hub Africa is a health tech accelerator with a physical co-working and community space in Kigali, Rwanda. The program aims to drive the development of health technologies in Africa and fast-track them in public health systems through collaboration with government partners.

The Hub hosts scale-ups and growth startups. They are provided with a thoughtfully designed program that allows startups to create a great impact.

The Hub aims to help governments and start-ups collaborate on data and technology-enabled innovations that strengthen African health systems.

WE FOCUS ON:

- Helping local startups deliver more impactful HealthTech innovations driven by data and generating evidence of how they decrease health inequities
- Creating a launchpad for local HealthTech solutions in Africa with regional and global potential through fostering dialogue and value-driven partnerships between innovators, policymakers, funders, and researchers
- Informing forward-looking policies on data and technology in health

IMPACT

68
STARTUPS

\$18M
FUNDING

2.5M
LIVES REACHED

800
JOBS CREATED



THE INVESTOR SUMMIT 2023

ABOUT

The Investor Summit 2023, hosted by The HealthTech Hub Africa, is a crucial event aimed at catalysing collaboration between startups and governments to promote data and technology-enabled innovations that strengthen health systems in Africa.

Our mission is to address the significant health challenges in low-income and underserved populations across the continent.

Our three-year aspiration includes the acceleration and scaling of over 120 African companies, raising more than 50 million USD in funding for HealthTech in Africa, creating over 1,200 local jobs in HealthTech, positively impacting the health of over 3,000,000 people, and bringing together more than 100 policy-makers from 20+ African countries to promote positive trends in national policies related to health and technology.

OBJECTIVES

- Shape the Future of African Public Health Systems through Innovative Investments
- Identify different models of blended financing for the healthtech solutions
- Facilitate Strategic Investment Discussions: Create a platform for stakeholders to engage in meaningful discussions, knowledge sharing, and networking to identify innovative investment opportunities that can strengthen African public health systems
- Showcase Promising Innovations: Highlight and showcase cutting-edge innovations and technologies that have the potential to revolutionize healthcare delivery in Africa, encouraging investors to explore partnerships and funding opportunities
- Formulate a Collaborative Roadmap: Foster collaboration among governments, private sector investors, healthcare providers, and innovators to develop a comprehensive roadmap for sustainable and impactful investments in African public health systems, focusing on long-term improvements and innovation integration



Agenda

DAY 1



16TH
OCTOBER, 2023



14:00 TO
17:30PM CAT

14:00 - 14:45

Welcome and Registration

15:00 - 16:00

The Promise of AI in Solving the World's Problems

SPEAKER: William Bill Weeks - MD, PhD, MBA, Director, AI for Health at Microsoft

In his talk, Dr. Weeks will provide an overview of Microsoft's philanthropic AI for Good Lab, discuss potential and practical applications of artificial intelligence in healthcare, and explain strategies that could encourage investors from various sectors to collaborate on investments in these applications

16:00 - 17:00

A masterclass on regulatory market access for scale-up

SPEAKER: Adriaan Kruger - Co-founder and CEO nuvotoQ

17:05 - 17:30

Sync or Swim: Navigating the Digital Currents of Interoperability for Patient-Centric Care

SPEAKER: Mark Landry - Senior Specialist, Country Digital Health Information Systems.
The Global Fund

DAY 217TH
OCTOBER, 20238:00 TO
19:00 CAT**8:30 - 9:30**

Registration and Networking Breakfast

10:00 - 10:15

Welcome Address - Innovation at the Heart of Healthcare: How to Invest and Nurture Innovation

SPEAKER: Dr. Ann Aerts - [Head of Novartis Foundation](#)**10:15 - 10:30**

Keynote

SPEAKER: Dr. John Baptist Nkuranga, - [President of the Rwanda Medical Association \(RMA\)](#), [Founder member and Treasurer of African Neonatal Association \(ANA\)](#)**10:30 - 10:50**

Presentation on the underlying gaps in the investment landscape within the health innovation space

SPEAKER: Wilfred Njagi - [Investor and CEO, Villgro Africa](#)**11:00 - 11:30**

Coffee Break

11:30 - 12:50

Fast-tracking projects' success stories from the HealthTech Hub Africa use-case grant recipients

SPEAKERS:

Peace Ndoli

Cofounder and COO,
Lifesten

Dr. William Mapham

CEO,
Vula Mobile

Asteraye Lemma

Deputy General Manager,
WeCare Digital Health

Moderator: Paula Akugizibwe - Operational Research Lead, FIND

13:00 - 14:30

Lunch

14:45 - 16:00

Scale-up Start-up Pitches - TedTalk Style

SPEAKERS:

Babajide Oke

Founder and CEO,
Render Health Technology

Jerome Nshimiyimana

Founder and CEO,
Jo Grp Ltd/JoCare

David Chen

Cofounder and CEO,
Kapsule

Jelle Schuitemaker

Cofounder and CMO,
GOAL 3

William Mapham

Cofounder and CEO,
Vula Mobile

Brian Ssenoga

Founder and ED
Guild Digital Solutions

Facilitator: Fiona Muthoni - Presenter and Producer, CNBC Africa

16:00 - 18:30

HealthTech Hub Africa Startup Exhibition and Reception

EXHIBITORS:**Babajide Oke**

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Alice Muhuhu

Founder,
Aurora Health

Elizabeth Adeshina

Founder and CEO,
Wazima Health

Sandeep Banerjee

Senior Vice President,
Tricog Health Limited

Tobias Reiter

CEO,
VIEBEG LTD

Progress Mahureva

COO,
Dawa Health

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Theophila Huriro Uwacu

Director,
E-Heza Data Solutions

Stephen Ogweno

CEO and COO,
Lifesten Health

Peace Iraguha

CEO and COO,
Lifesten Health

Iréné Mizero

Founder and ED,
Mizero Care Ltd

18:45 - 19:00

Closing Remarks.

SPEAKER: Dr. Lutz Hegemann - President, Global Health & Sustainability
Novartis International AG, Basel, Switzerland

DAY 3

18TH
OCTOBER, 20239:00 TO
18:00 CAT

9:00 – 9:50

Registration and Networking Breakfast

10:00 – 10:15

Welcome Address - The Critical Role of Collaboration in Advancing Health Solutions

SPEAKER: Aisling Quirke - Portfolio Manager, Digital Health and Financial Innovation, The Global Fund

10:15 – 10:30

Keynote

SPEAKERS: Alice Wanjiru Muhuhu - Founder, Aurora Health Systems

10:30 – 11:30

Panel Discussion: Innovative financing mechanisms for HealthTech

SPEAKERS:**Aisling Quirke**

Portfolio Manager, Digital Health and Financial Innovation, The Global Fund

Alex NtareCEO,
Rwanda ICT Chamber**Dr. Dino Rech**

CEO, Audere

Sewu-Steve TawiaCofounder and Managing Partner,
Java Rift Ventures**Arun Kumar**Principal Investment Officer,
African Development Bank**Moderator:** Lucy Setian - Director of Digital Transformation, Novartis Foundation

11:30 - 11:50

Coffee Break

11:50 - 13:00

Fast-tracking projects' success stories from the HealthTech Hub Africa use-case grant recipients

SPEAKERS:

Robert Korom

Chief Medical Officer,
Penda Health Limited

Nelson Igbiriki

CEO and Cofounder,
MedTech Africa

Moderator: Natacha Mugeni - Digital Health Director, YLabs

13:00 - 14:30

Lunch

14:45 - 15:45

Growth Start-up Pitches - TedTalk Style

SPEAKERS:

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COO, Dawa Health

Moderator: Fiona Muthoni - Presenter and Producer, CNBC Africa

16:00 - 17:00

Strategic Partnership and Opportunity Matching

Facilitator: Christelle Igihozo - Senior Program Manager, Bridge for Billions

17:00 - 17:05

Partnership Announcement: The African Development Bank

SPEAKER: Ndeye Absa Gningue -
Senior Innovation Platform Officer, African Development Bank (AfDB)

17:05 - 17:10

Partnership Announcement: UBS Optimus Foundation

SPEAKER: Marissa Leffler - Health Program Director, UBS Optimus Foundation

17:15 - 17:30

The HealthTech Hub Africa Awards Presentation

Mentor of the Year Award: Recognizing a mentor who provided exceptional guidance and support to the startups in the 2023 cohort

Community Engagement Award: Recognizing a startup founder who has shown exceptional engagement in the program and has actively engaged with the program's community

Presented by: Pablo Santaefemia - CEO and Cofounder, Bridge for Billions

Alumni Achievement Award: Recognizing the accomplishments of previous program alumni who have gone on to achieve success in their respective fields

HealthTech Women Founder Achievement Award: Recognizing outstanding achievements and contributions made by a woman founder in the field of HealthTech, who is part of the 2023 HTHA cohort

Presented by: Lucy Setian - Director of Digital Transformation, Novartis Foundation

Awards Provision



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MENTOR OF THE YEAR
AWARD 2023**

— PRESENTED TO —

ABIOLA OSHUNNIYI



**THE HEALTHTECH HUB AFRICA
COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT
AWARD 2023**

— PRESENTED TO —

ELIZABETH ADESHINA



**THE HEALTHTECH HUB AFRICA
ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENT
AWARD 2023**

— PRESENTED TO —

BABAJIDE OKE



**THE HEALTHTECH HUB AFRICA
WOMEN FOUNDER
ACHIEVEMENT AWARD 2023**

— PRESENTED TO —

DAISY ISIAHO

17:30 - 17:45

Closing Remarks

SPEAKER: Pablo Santaefemia - CEO and Cofounder, Bridge for Billions**18:00 - 20:00**

Joint Dinner with CDC Africa

DAY 4**19TH
OCTOBER, 2023****14:00 TO
16:15 CAT****14:00 - 15:00**

Arriving at the Kigali Convention Center and registration at the Mobile World Congress

15:15 - 16:15

HealthTech Hub Africa Startup Pitches at the better future stage

Better Future Stage, Foyer 1C

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