



AFRICAN TRADE EVENT CALENDAR (Updated: August 25, 2009)

African Global Competitiveness Initiative

EVENT NAME	AREAS ADDRESSED	START DATE	VENUE	SPONSOR	WEB SITE
Magic Marketplace	Trade Show - Apparel	31-Aug-09	Las Vegas, NV	Magic Inc.	http://www.magiconline.com/magic/v42/index.cvn
SADC Summit for Heads of State	High-level economic development policy	2-Sep-09	Kinshasa, DRC	SADC	http://www.sadc.int/
COMESA Agriculture, Food and Youth Exhibition and Conference	Trade Promotion	4-Sep-09	Lusaka, Zambia	COMESA	http://events.comesa.int/index.php?option=com_eventlist&view=details&id=97&lang=en
Conference on "Promoting Financial Capability and Consumer Protection	Financing for SMEs	9-Sep-09	Accra, Ghana	African Development Bank	http://www.afdb.org/en/news-events/article/conference-on-promoting-financial-capability-and-consumer-protection-a-step-forward-towards-financial-inclusion-in-africa-4979/
2009 U.S. - Africa Business Summit	Investment Forum	29-Sep-09	Washington DC	Corporate Council on Africa	http://www.africacncl.org
TCI Annual Global Conference	Cluster Competitiveness	12-Oct-09	Jyvaskyla, Finland	The Competitiveness Institute	http://www.learningclusters.com/index.php
Africa Investor CEO Forum	Investment Forum	21-Oct-09	Cape Town, South Africa	Africa Investor	http://www.africa-investor.com/event.asp?id=195
Africa Economic Conference	High-level economic development policy	11-Nov-09	Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	UNECA	http://www.uneca.org/
NEPAD-OECD High-Level Meeting and Expert Roundtable	High-level economic development policy	11-Nov-09	Johannesburg, South Africa	NEPAD	http://www.nepad.org/Events/lang/en/event/14/sector_id/26
California Gift Show	Trade Show - Crafts, etc.	12-Jan-10	Los Angeles, CA	California Gift Show	http://www.californiagiftshow.com/
35th Winter Fancy Food Show	Trade Show - Specialty Food	17-Jan-10	San Francisco, CA	Fandy Food Show	http://www.specialtyfood.com/do/fancyFoodShow/LocationsAndDates
New York International Gift Fair	Trade Show - Crafts, etc.	30-Jan-10	New York, NY	NYIGF	http://www.nyigf.com/info/
Leon H. Sullivan Summit	High-level economic development policy	19-Jul-10	Nairobi, Kenya	Leon H. Sullivan Foundation	http://www.thesullivanfoundation.org/summit/index.asp