

Pre-Event to the First African Urban Forum
**The Just City in Africa: Democracy,
 Social Justice, and Sustainability**

3 September 2024
 Radisson Blu Hotel, Addis Ababa

Program

<p>10:30 – 10:45</p>	<p>Opening Remarks</p> <p>Christian Denzin, FES Just City Issaka Garba Abdou, African Union Charles Wagura, UN-Habitat Africa</p> <p>MC: Amon Petro</p>
<p>10:45 – 11:00</p>	<p><i>Interview: East African Synopsis</i> What is at stake? Current Trends in Urbanizing Africa</p> <p>Francis Kibirige, Afrobarometer, Hatchile, Uganda</p> <p>Interviewer: Geraldine Kabami, FES Uganda</p>
<p>11:00 – 12:00</p>	<p><i>Moderated discussion</i> The City of Tomorrow is a Just City: Perspectives on Just Cities in Africa</p> <p>Francis Kibirige, Afrobarometer, Hatchile, Uganda Gitau Thabanja, Nakuru City Manager Amanda Ngabirano, Paratransit Consultative Forum, Uganda</p> <p>Moderator: Titus Kaloki, FES Kenya</p>
<p>12:00 – 13:30</p>	<p><i>Lunch Break</i></p>
<p>13:30 – 14:45</p>	<p><i>Panel</i> The Transformative Value of Urbanization in Africa: Recognizing the Role of Informality</p> <p>Grace Chikumo-Mtonga, Executive Director Civic Forum on Housing and Habitat, Zambia Tatu Mtwangi Limbumba, Ardhi University, Tanzania</p>

	<p>Shelton Mthunzi, Bulawayo City Planning, Zimbabwe John Mark Mwanika, ITF/Amalgamated Transport and General Workers Union, Uganda</p> <p>Moderator: Florence Nyole, President, Architectural Association of Kenya</p>
14:45 – 15:15	<i>Coffee Break</i>
15:15 – 16:45	<p><i>Panel</i> Financing Urban Infrastructure and Public Goods for Just Cities in Africa Astrid Haas, Consultant Jeremy Okonjo, Assistant Professor, Warwick Law School Kuria David Kamau, Chief Officer Housing & Urban Development, Nakuru, Kenya</p> <p>Moderator Jalal Abdel-Latif, UNECA</p>
16:45 – 17:15	<p><i>Wrap-Up and Concluding Remarks</i> Messages for the African Urban Forum</p> <p>Emily Schulze, FES Tanzania Titus Kaloki, FES Kenya Christian Denzin, FES Just City</p>