DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS’ FORUM
THURSDAY 12 DECEMBER 2019

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DRAFT AGENDA AND PROGRAM OF WORK
DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS’ FORUM
Rational

As part of the engage drive to ensure that we create a suitable platform for the development Partners to offer support to strengthen Africa’s Education and Science, Technology and Innovation sectors through forging strategic partnerships for the implementation CESA -16-25 and STISA-2024. Partnerships can provide much best possible resources, through creation of networks, synergies and complementarities, and expertise and comparative advantage to advance education, science, technology and innovation in Africa.

The Commission has prepared a draft template for the Partners to capture their strategic interventions and support. There is also a need to ensure a clear communication and advocacy strategy that provide the space and enable various stakeholders to work together and maximize impact.

Theme: Partners support to strengthen Africa’s Education and Science, Technology and Innovation sectors through the implementation CESA -16-25 and STISA-2024.

DATE: 12 December 2019

VENUE: Old Plenary Hall

TIME: @ 14:00 – 17:00

PARTICIPANTS: All Development Partners
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