

AFCA Congratulates the Uganda Coffee Development Authority on making 25 Years!

On behalf of the Board of Directors, Secretariat and entire membership we would like to congratulate the Uganda Coffee Development Authority on celebrating 25 years of existence!

Founded in July 2000, the **African Fine Coffees Association (AFCA)** is a regional non profit, non political, member-driven association representing the African Coffee Industry with representative chapters in 12 member countries namely **Burundi, Cameroon, DR Congo, Ethiopia, Kenya, Malawi, Rwanda, South Africa, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia and Zimbabwe.**

AFCA members include both private and public sector coffee stakeholders including producers, exporters, international importers, roasters, policy makers, transporters and trade representatives.

The Secretariat is hosted in Kampala, Uganda.

The Uganda Coffee Development Authority is not only a founder member of AFCA but also it's official host in Uganda. With the Uganda Coffee Development Authority, we have been able to host the two high level coffee conferences, develop the Barista Culture, train Q-Grader, hold several quality competitions and develop the Robusta Cupping Protocols locally and internationally.

16th African Fine Coffees Conference Exhibition

From the 14th to 16th February 2018 Uganda will hold the 16th AFCC & E in Kampala, Uganda. The African Fine Coffee Conference & Exhibition is Africa's largest coffee trade platform that brings over 1000 regional and international coffee roasters, traders, producers, professionals and connoisseurs per day under one roof. At conference stakeholders will listen to top presentations from around the world, network with the who is coffee, cup the best of Uganda and Africa, meet with equipment and input providers. Most of all it is an amazing opportunity for Uganda to tell it's coffee story and showcase what it has to the world.

We invite you all to join us for this business focused conference and once again congratulate our host the Uganda Coffee Development Authority and their Managing Director – Dr. Emmanuel Iyamulemye Niyibigira on achieving this amazing feat!



Ishak Lukenge
AFCA Board Chairman (2017 – 2019)



Samuel Kamau
AFCA Executive Director

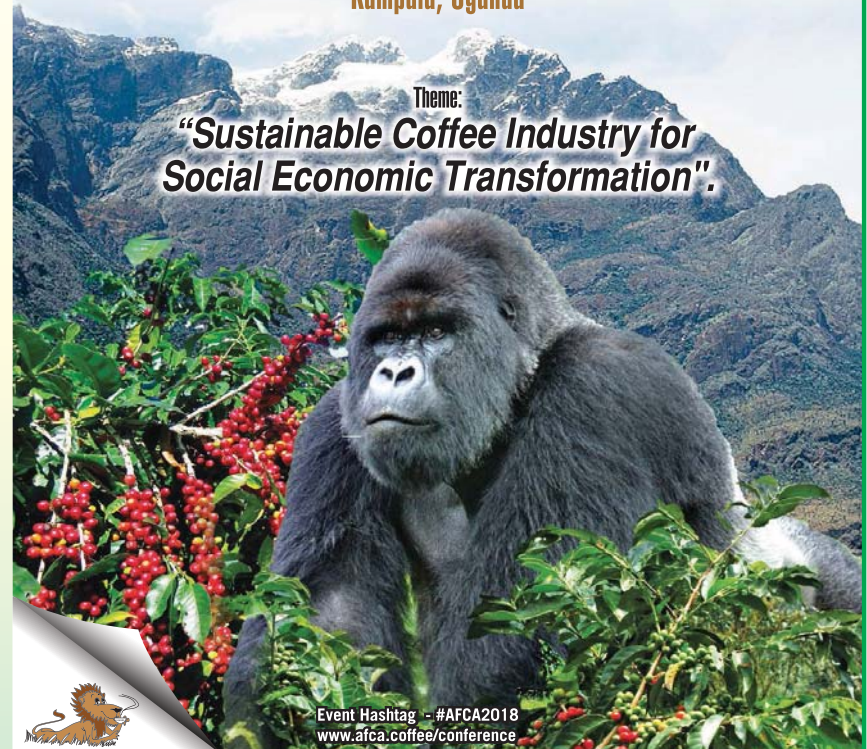


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OFFICIAL HOST

16th African Fine Coffee Conference & Exhibition

14th to 16th February 2018
Kampala, Uganda

Theme:
**"Sustainable Coffee Industry for
Social Economic Transformation".**



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