UGANDA NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES
2021 ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE

THEME: Uganda’s Health: Transcending Sectors, Looking to the Future

DATE: Friday, October 29, 2021
VENUE: Zoom Meeting Room
Meeting ID: 971 3238 4742
Passcode: UNAS@21

PROPOSED AGENDA

SESSION 1: Annual Scientific Conference

The overall objective of the Annual Scientific Conference (ASC) is to provide a neutral platform for the exchange of ideas, knowledge, and experiences on topical issues that foster national development.

MODERATOR: Philippa Musoke, FUNAS, Chair, Publications & Conferences Committee

08:00 – 08:05   Welcome and Opening Remarks
        Peter N. Mugyenyi, President, Uganda National Academy of Sciences

08:05 – 08:20   Guest of Honor
        Monica Musenero, Honourable Minister, Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation, Uganda

08:20 – 08:50   Health in Context: Beyond Traditional Conceptions of Health
        Sally K. Stansfield, FUNAS, Former Managing Director, Social Impact Practice, Deloitte LLP

08:50 – 09:20   Applications of the One Health Concept in Uganda
        Querido Antonio Luis Ferreira, Country Representative, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

09:20 – 09:50   Vital Tools for Improved Health in Uganda
        Francis G. Omaswa, FUNAS, Executive Director, African Center for Global Health and Social Transformation
09: 50 – 10:30 DISCUSSION

10:30 – 10:40 BREAK

10:40 – 11:10 Healthy Air: Combatting Air Pollution in Uganda
Tom Okurut, Former Executive Director, National Environment Management Authority

11:10 – 11:40 What is a Healthy Economy?
Sarah N. Ssewanyana, Executive Director, Economic Policy Research Center

11:40 – 12:10 Recovery and Resilience in a Post-Pandemic Uganda
Edward Wamala, Professor, Department of Philosophy, Makerere University

12:10 – 12:50 DISCUSSION

12:50 – 12:55 Closing Remarks
Philippa Musoke, FUNAS, Chair, Publications & Conferences Committee

SESSION II: Induction of New Fellows of the Academy

The Academy inducts eminent scientists into the Fellowship of the Academy at the Annual Scientific Conference. These scientists are nominated, shortlisted and vetted through a rigorous process by the Fellows and Membership Committee and a Select committee that makes recommendations to Council. In this session the successful candidates (Inductees) will be inducted into the Academy Fellowship and will join high level independent distinguished experts of the country who serve voluntarily. The Inductees are from both within and outside the country.

MODERATOR: Joseph Obua, Chair Fellows and Membership Committee

13:00-14:00 Induction Process
The activities below apply to each Inductee. (10 minutes each)
- Introduction by the nominator
- Oath taking by the Inductee
- Signing of the register by the Inducted Fellow, the Nominator and the Seconder
- Acceptance Remarks by the Inducted Fellow

14:00 Closure of the Conference.

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