



Theme:

Deepening access to Global Capital for Nigeria job creation

Date:

Venue:

23 – 27 July 2013

Nicon Luxury Hotel Abuja Nigeria

Diaspora Day 2013 Schedule (at a glance)

Day	Date	Main Activity
Day 1 Wednesday	24 July 2013	Arrival, Registration and Networking with Exhibitions
Day 2 Thursday	25 July 2013	Diaspora Day/Plenary Sessions/Breakout/FCT Dinner
Day 3 Friday	26 July 2013	Exhibits / Corporate Social Responsibility Projects /
		Interaction with MDAs / Meetings / State Banquet
Day 4 Saturday	27 July 2013	Departure / Visits to Nigerian States

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The Diaspora Day is one of the engagement tools designed by the Government of the Federal Republic of Nigeria for bringing its Diaspora home annually. The Diaspora Day takes place on 25 July and is a platform for dialogue on national development of Nigeria. From it vantage point, the Diaspora come home to meet with practitioners from public and private sector as well as the civil society organisations. Science and Technology has to a large extent been the major focus of the Diaspora Day since inception. In recent years, Nigerians in Diaspora Organisation (NIDO) has advocated for project-based Diaspora Day with job creation as the ultimate deliverable.

Objectives of Diaspora Day 2013

The general aim of the Nigeria Diaspora Day 2013 is to bring together the Nigerian Diaspora and their business associates in the backdrop of the centenary year, to interface with their counterparts in Nigeria towards stimulating job creation for Nigeria.

The specific aim of the Nigeria Diaspora Day 2013 is to deepen access for Nigeria to global investment in technology, education & health such that more jobs are created for the teeming youths of the country to the mutual benefit of all partners.

The Diaspora Day 2013 will therefore deemphasize academic presentations. It will be project-based and will target only implementable projects ready for Nigeria as a lucrative investment destination. The following thematic areas will be the core focus of the Diaspora Day 2013:

- Education
- Health
- Technology
- Diaspora Voting Rights

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