



African Population and
Health Research Center
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AGENDA

**APHRC @25 COMMEMORATION
STAFF SHOWCASE
MAY 12, 2026
09:00 AM – 4:30 PM (EAT)
APHRC CAMPUS**

TIME (EAT)	ACTIVITY	LEAD PERSON (S)
8:00 -9:00 am	Arrival and Registration	Ushers - Tag Team
9:00 - 10:00 am	Poster Session	Dr. Andre-Pascal Kengne/ Ms. Sheena Kayira
10:00 - 10:30 am	Health Break	All
10:30 - 10:45 am	Welcome of Guests and a Briefing on the Event	Mr. David Osogo
10:45 - 11:00 am	Opening Remarks - A Reflection of APHRC's Journey	Dr. Joseph Gichuru
11.00 -12:30 pm	Programmatic and Operations Showcase <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research: Advancing relevant African-led research to inform program and policy • RRCS: Building Africa's next generation of research leaders • PEC: Driving change through policy influence and science communication • Operations: Enabling systems that power excellence 	Dr. Anthony Mveyange APHRC Team Leads
12:30 - 1:00 pm	Q&A	Mr. David Osogo
1:00 - 2:00 pm	Lunch Break	All
2:00 - 2:30 pm	APHRC Down Memory Lane <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funder perspective • First APHRC Executive Director 	Dr. Tamara Fox Prof. Alex Ezeh
2:30 - 3:15 pm	Individual Showcase Flash Talks - Cultivating the Research Leaders of Tomorrow <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Building capacity through the VLA (Dr. Benard Ondiek) 2. Building capacity through Internships (Ms. Alice Ritho) 3. Building capacity from field interviewer to master's degree (Mr. Henry Owoko) 4. Policy-relevant research – Biobanking (Dr. Patrice Mawa) 5. Policy engagement SRS in Nigeria (Ms. Gaye Agesa) 	Mr. David Osogo
3:15 - 3:45 pm	Q&A	Mr. David Osogo
3:45 - 4:00 pm	Awarding of Poster Winners	Ms. Sheena Kayira
4:00 - 4:15 pm	Reflection of the APHRC Showcase	Mr. Bunmi Makinwa
4:15 - 4:30 pm	Vote of Thanks - END -	Dr. Catherine Kyobutungi

APHRC @25 COMMEMORATION AND THE LAUNCH OF ULWAZI II KNOWLEDGE HUB

09:00 AM – 5:00 PM (EAT)

MAY 13, 2026

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TIME (EAT)	ACTIVITY	LEAD PERSON (S)
8:00 -9:00 am	Guests' Arrival, Registration, and Picking of Gift Packs	Ushers
9:00 - 9:20 am	Digital Tunnel – APHRC's Journey on Screens	Open to All
9:20 - 9:40 am	Welcome of Guests and a Briefing on the Event	Larry Asego
9:40 - 10:00 am	Cultural Entertainment	Larry Asego
10:00 - 10:15 am	Introduction of Guests and Partners	Larry Asego
10:15 - 10:25 am	Voices of APHRC Partners	APHRC Visibility Unit
10:25 - 11:15 am	<p>APHRC Impact Showcase - Flash Talks - Cultivating the Research Leaders of Tomorrow</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Building capacity through Internships (Mr. Caliph Kirui) 2. Building capacity from field interviewer to PhD (Ms. Linda Oloo) 3. Research - Countdown 2030 (Dr. Martin Mutua) 4. Policy impact food labeling (Dr. Shukri Mohamed) 5. Research Spotlight App (Dr. Tatenda Kavvu) 	David Osogo
11:15 - 1:10 pm	<p>Speeches</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Staff Representatives: Dr. Caroline Kabiru, Mr. Hiram Ndichu, and Ms. Diama Diop Dia 2. APHRC West Africa Regional Office: Dr. Sokhna Thiam 3. Partner: Prof. Dickson Andala: CEO, National Research Fund (NRF) 4. Funder: Dr. Paulin Basinga: Director - Africa, Gates Foundation 5. Prof. Alex Ezeh, Drexel Dornsife School of Public Health, and former Executive Director, APHRC <p>Entertainment Interlude</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dr. Joseph Gichuru, Deputy Executive Director, APHRC 2. Mr. Martin Mbaya, Chair, Ulwazi II Steering Committee 3. Mr. Bunmi Makinwa, Board Chair, APHRC 4. Dr. Catherine Kyobutungi, Executive Director, APHRC 5. Chief Guest (TBC) 	Larry Asego
1:10 - 1:15 pm	Digital Tour of the Ulwazi II Facility	Larry Asego
1:15 - 1:45 pm	Ulwazi II Launch - Ribbon Cutting, Photo Session, and High-Level Tour	Dr. Catherine Kyobutungi
1:45 - 3:45 pm	Lunch & Networking	All
3:45 - 6:00 pm	<p>Entertainment and Cocktail Cake Cutting and Toasting Vote of Thanks</p>	<p>Event Committee Dr. Anthony Mveyange</p>



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