



## **Afeze Session Map**

Date: 29th - 31st, October , 2025

Zones: Plenary Hall, Deal Room, Innovation Hub, Investor Lounge, Expo Showcase, Banquet Hall

# Focus: Strategic framing, project preparation, investor visibility

Wednesday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2025

### Day 1

#### **Program Outline**

Time	Session Type	Session Title	Audience	Location
08:00 – 09:00	Registration	Delegate Arrival & Networking Coffee	All participants	Main Foyer
09:00 – 10:00	Opening Conference	Vision Keynote + Lead Partner Remarks	All delegates	Plenary Hall
10:15 – 11:30	Plenary Panel 1	From Vision to Viability: Structuring Bankable SEZs	Developers, DFIs, IPAs	Plenary Hall
10:15 – 11:30	Readiness Clinic (Track A)	Project Structuring 1-on-1 (invite-only)	Early-stage SEZ sponsors	Innovation Hub
11:30 – 12:45	Plenary Panel 2	Greening Africa's SEZs: Accessing Climate Finance	SEZ managers, ESG investors, DFIs	Plenary Hall
12:45 – 14:00	Networking Lunch	Informal Investor–Developer Mixers	All delegates	Banquet Hall
14:00 – 15:15	Plenary Panel 3	Cross-Border Value Chains & AfCFTA-en- abled SEZs	Trade ministries, logistics, investors	Plenary Hall
14:00 – 15:15	Readiness Clinic (Track B)	Project Readiness Feedback Sessions	Mid-stage project teams	Innovation Hub
15:30 – 16:45	Project Accelerator Lab	Curated Pitches + Investor Panel Feedback	Pre-qualified SEZ projects + DFIs	Plenary Hall
17:00 – 18:30	Evening Networking Re- ception	Investor–Sponsor Deal Dialogue (casual setting)	Investors, SEZ teams, spon- sors	Banquet Hall



## Focus: Matchmaking, deal finalization, recognition

### Day 2

#### **Program Outline**

Time	Session Type	Session Title	Audience	Location
08:30 – 09:00	Morning Coffee	Arrival Networking & Setup for Deal Room	All delegates	Main Foyer / Deal Room
09:00 – 10:15	Plenary Panel 4	Digital-First SEZs: Leveraging Smart Infrastructure	SEZ operators, tech partners	Plenary Hall
09:00 – 10:15	DFI Roundtable (Closed)	Project Pipeline Coordination Among DFIs	Multilaterals, DFIs	Investor Lounge
10:30 – 12:30	Business Matchmaking	Pre-scheduled Deal Meetings (Sector	Early-stage SEZ sponsors	Innovation Hub
Clusters)	Investors, project sponsors	Deal Room	SEZ managers, ESG investors, DFIs	Plenary Hall
12:30 – 14:00	Executive Lunch	Partner Recognition & Project Exchange Lunch	DFIs, sponsors, exhibitors	Banquet Hall
14:15 – 15:45	Deals & Engagement Showcase	MOU Signing, LOI Presentations, Announcements	Governments, DFIs, investors	Plenary Hall
15:45 – 16:30	Closing Session	Strategic Wrap-Up & Pipeline Recap	All delegates	Plenary Hall
19:00 – 21:30	Gala Dinner & SEZ Awards	Recognition of Top Projects & Partnerships	Invite-only, press	Banquet Hall

# Field learning, site exposure, informal networking

Friday, October 31st, 2025

### Day 3

#### **Program Outline**

Time	Session Type	Session Title	Audience	Location
08:00 – 09:00	Departure Briefing	Site Visit Logistics + Group Assignments	Pre-registered delegates	Main Foyer
09:00 – 12:30	Field Visits	Guided Site Visits to Selected SEZs & Infrastructure Sites	Investors, DFIs, sponsors, IPAs	Offsite (SEZs)
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch in the Zone	Hosted Lunch with SEZ Operators and Anchor Tenants	Site visit participants	SEZ Facilities
14:00 – 17:00	Leisure Excursion (optional)	Nairobi National Park Tour / Cultural Markets Tour	All delegates (optional)	Offsite
17:00 – 19:00	Informal Sundowner (optional)	Wrap-up Networking + Cultural Showcase	All participants (optional)	Offsite Venue



