



Republic of Rwanda
Ministry of ICT and Innovation

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To whom it may concern,

RE: INNOVATION AFRICA 2023, KIGALI, RWANDA: 30 NOV – 02 DEC

Innovation Africa is a meetings-based summit, established since 2011 whereby Ministers and Government officials have meetings with captains of industry and leading technology providers. This has resulted in genuine outcomes with large scale ICT and education investments as witnessed in previous years. The summit was last held in Kigali in 2014 and we are delighted that it now returns in 2023.

On behalf of the Government of Rwanda, I am pleased to inform and invite you to Innovation Africa 2023, under the theme “**The Future Of Education Technology – Resilience – Quality.**”

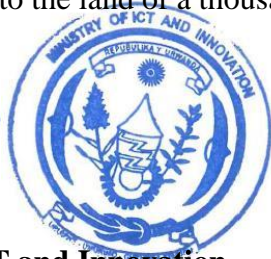
As indicated in the theme, the purpose of the summit is to ensure that education systems in Africa are embedded with both resilience and quality by leveraging transformative technologies. Developing a skilled and innovative next generation of young people is a priority of the Government of Rwanda, as is the case with all participating African countries.

Furthermore, the summit is aligned with our vision for the Kigali Innovation City to facilitate the development of Pan-African talent as a hub for universities, technology companies – creating a dynamic 21st century innovation cluster in the heart of Africa.

For over a decade, Innovation Africa has become established as the leading gathering of Ministers and Officials for education and ICT along with the best-in-class education and solution providers. And as such, I would like to encourage any potential industry partners to engage with the event organizers well in advance of the event to discuss the available opportunities and be part of our transformation.

We trust that all delegates can take the time to explore the beauty of Rwanda and look forward to welcoming you to the land of a thousand hills.

Sincerely,



Paula Ingabire
Minister of ICT and Innovation

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