

IC4WVB

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE FOR WOMEN BIRDERS

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EMPOWERING WOMEN FOR AN EQUAL BIRDING WORLD.

6TH - 8TH DECEMBER 2023

Sheraton Hotel, Kampala

Draft Program

DAY 1 (6th December 2023)

- Early Onsite Registration of Conference Participants

Theme: Empowering Women for an Equal Birding World

Masters of Ceremony

1. Maurice Mugisha
2. Oliver NBS

Time	Session	Speaker	Session Chair
8:00 – 9:00	Arrival, registration, and breakfast		
9:00 – 12:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome Remarks and Conference Objectives <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Overview of the International Conference for Women Birders • Keynote Address 1 Empowering women for an equal birding world • First lady of Uganda/Speaker of Ugandan Parliament • Global Tourism Representative- Uganda/UN Women <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hon. Minister of Tourism • Chief Guest: Prime Minister 	Herbert Byaruhanga	Lyazi Lwaza
12:45 – 13:00	Official Photograph	All	Public Relations
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch and Interactions		

14:00 – 15:00	East Africa Women Birders working group		
15:00 – 16:00	Presentation		
16:00 – 17:00	Presentation		
	Tea and Coffee		
DAY 2 (7th December 2023)			
Challenges affecting women's participation in sustainable nature conservation and avitourism worldwide			
Time	Session	Speaker	Session chair
8:00 – 8:30	Arrival and Registration		
8:30 – 9:30	Keynote speaker 2. Challenges affecting women's participation in sustainable nature conservation and avitourism worldwide		
9:30 – 10:30	Discussion		
10:30 – 11:00	Tea Break and Poster Gallery		
11:00 – 11:45	Presentation ; East African Women Birders		
11:45 – 12:30	Discussion		
12:30 – 13:00	Motivational speaker (experiences of Women in Tourism business)	East Africa/International	
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch and Interactions		
14:00 – 15:00	Key Note Address 3: building domestic and international networks for women birders that is anticipated to increase participation of women in birding and birdlife conservation and also create global recognition		

	of the role of women in birding and bird conservation.		
15:00 – 16:00	Discussion		
16:00 – 17:00	Talk about Environmental conservation		
17:00 - onwards	Tea and coffee		
DAY 3 (8th December 2023)			
Advocating for the inclusion of women voices in management and decision-making levels of the birding economy worldwide.			
Time	Session	Speaker	Session Chair
8:00 – 8:30	Arrival and Registration		
8:30 – 9:30	Keynote Speaker 4. Advocating for the inclusion of women voices in management and decision-making levels of the birding economy worldwide.		
9:30 – 10:30	Discussion		
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee and Tea		
11:00 – 12:30	Closing Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Recap/ Rapporteur of the conference ▪ Chairman Board IC4WB <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ President UTA ▪ Minister of Tourism 		
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch		

14:00 – 16:00	Africa Birding Expo Opening Ceremony		
16:00	Tea and Departure		