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GLOBAL PRO BONO SUMMIT AFRICA 2026

Africa's Pro Bono Practice: "Leveraging Multidisciplinary Pro Bono for SDGs and Agenda 2063"

Official 4-Day Program Summary | Nairobi, Kenya • 24th – 27th November, 2026 | UN Res 78/127 (IVY 2026)

DAY ONE: 24th Nov 2026 | Vision Setting & Thematic Alignments

Africa's Strategic Framework for the International Year of Volunteers (IVY 2026)

Time (EAT)	Session Title & Format	Focus Areas & Expected Outcomes
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Delegate Registration & Welcoming	Arrival, security clearing, badge distribution, and IVY 2026 introductory toolkits.
2:00 PM - 2:40 PM	Official Opening & Speeches	Welcome: Global Pro Bono Network & Jitolee Good Friends. Opening Address by Dignitaries.
2:40 PM - 3:00 PM	Keynotes: SDGs 1 & 4	[SDG 1] Poverty Eradication via Financial & Legal Advisory. [SDG 4] Tech Mentorship for Out-of-School Youth.
3:00 PM - 3:45 PM	High-Level Panel: SDGs 1 & 4	Cross-sector alignment of corporate and academic volunteer structures (4 Leaders + Q&A).
3:45 PM - 4:10 PM	Networking Tea Break	Informal networking across delegates and international partners.
4:10 PM - 4:30 PM	Keynotes: SDGs 8 & 13	[SDG 8] Pro Bono for SME Growth & Employability. [SDG 13] Climate Volunteering & Nature-Based Solutions.
4:30 PM - 5:15 PM	High-Level Panel: SDGs 8 & 13	Connecting technical expertise with local innovations for youth job growth and climate resilience (+ Q&A).
6:30 PM - 9:30 PM	Welcoming & Opening Dinner	Hosted by Organizers & Partners. Cultural East African showcase and North-South partnership networking.

DAY TWO: 25th Nov 2026 | Deep Dives, Breakouts & Institutional Practice (SDGs 1 & 4)

Translating Global Volunteer Momentum into Practical African Action

Time (EAT)	Session Title & Format	Focus Areas & Expected Outcomes
8:00 AM - 9:30 AM	Deep Dive 1: SDG 1 (Extreme Poverty)	Deploying microfinance, legal property clinics, and funding pipelines for women/youth enterprises.
9:30 AM - 10:00 AM	Mid-Morning Tea Break	Workgroup networking in the exhibition hall.
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Deep Dive 2: SDG 4 (Quality Education)	Scaling digital learning platforms and university tutoring to boost enrollment in pilot zones.
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Parallel Break-Out Blueprints	Track A: Food Security Advisory Track B: Youth Tech Mentorship Track C: Governance & Policy Frameworks.
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Luncheon	Networking lunch prior to site visits.
2:00 PM - 5:30 PM	Experiential Field Visits	Option 1 (Corporate): Employee Volunteering. Option 2 (Academia): Community Clinics & Service Learning.



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DAY THREE: 26th Nov 2026 | Deep Dives, Breakouts & Institutional Practice (SDGs 8 & 13)

Building Institutional Resilience and Strategic Cross-Sector Synergy

Time (EAT)	Session Title & Format	Focus Areas & Expected Outcomes
8:00 AM - 9:30 AM	Deep Dive 3: SDG 8 (Decent Work)	Corporate SME mentorship, finance/tech training, and employer-recognized certifications.
9:30 AM - 10:00 AM	Mid-Morning Tea Break	Reviewing blueprint progress on digital tracking dashboard.
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Deep Dive 4: SDG 13 (Climate Action)	Deploying expert agronomists/engineers for drought resilience and UNEA-7 nature-based solutions.
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Parallel Break-Out Blueprints	Track A: Tech & Agri Capacity Track B: Community Adaptation Track C: Gender & Social Inclusion.
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Luncheon	Networking lunch prior to site visits.
2:00 PM - 5:30 PM	Experiential Field Visits	Option 1 (Government/UN Agency): Policy Alignments. Option 2 (Development Partner): Community/Humanitarian Volunteering.

DAY FOUR: 27th Nov 2026 | Ecological Stewardship, Accord Ratification & Gala Celebration

Locking Continental Commitments and Carrying IVY 2026 Legacy Forward

Time (EAT)	Session Title & Format	Focus Areas & Expected Outcomes
6:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Ecological Immersive Experience	Game drive at Nairobi National Park followed by Corporate Tree Planting Ceremony (SDG 13).
12:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Mid-Day Intermission	Free time to prepare for formal evening closing plenary.
3:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Closing Plenary & Ratification	Signing of the 'Nairobi Pro Bono Accord/Declaration' by Government, Corporate, Academic, and Development Partner leaders.
4:30 PM - 6:00 PM	Africa Pro Bono Awards Ceremony	Recognizing outstanding ESG leadership, academic service-learning, and grassroots CSOs.
6:00 PM - Late	Grand Gala Closing Dinner	Formal dinner, live African band performance, cultural dance troupes, and toolkit distribution.

Note: Grounded in SDGs 1, 4, 8, 13 and AU Agenda 2063, this program converts International Year of Volunteers (IVY 2026) commitments into institutionalized development returns.