

EVENT PROGRAM

Saturday, October 5th, 2024

Time	Event	Location
10 -10:30 a.m.	Registration/Check-In	1 st Floor Hariri Building
10:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Marketplace <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • African Merchandise Vendors • African Embassies 	3 rd & 4 th Floor Atrium Hariri Building
	Food Festival <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • African Food Vendors 	Connelly Commons & Patio
2:00 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.	Welcome Note: Georgetown Dean	Fisher Colloquium
2:15 p.m. -2:45 p.m.	Keynote Speakers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kimberly Basset - Secretary of the District of Columbia • Fmr. Ambassador Edward Boateng of Ghana to China Founder & Executive Chairman of Global Media Alliance 	
2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	African Cultural Dance	
3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.	Panel 1: A Thriving Africa: African Change-Makers Impacting the Continent through Media	
3:45 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Break	
4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.	Panel 2: Journeys of Transformation: Leveraging U.S. Education and Careers for Africa's Future	
4:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Vote of Thanks & Closing Remarks	
5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	Entertainment & Mixer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fashion Show • Comedy Show • Afrobeats & Amapiano DJ Session <i>Free finger food to be served</i>	
10:00 p.m. till late	After Party	The Park at 14 th