

8th GAMIP SUMMIT – Nigeria 2024

(September 7th – 11th, 2024)

Summit theme: Infrastructures for Peace: What Works?

Summit Venue: Abuja, Nigeria

DRAFT PROGRAM – UNDER CONSTRUCTION

The overall objectives:

The summit is expected to provide a participatory learning opportunity for participants to engage themselves, brainstorm and to share their experiences and ideas about the development, roles and application of infrastructures for peace with a view to determining what works in the attainment of sustainable peace, earth and human well-being.

The specific objectives include:

- To explore creative roles of Ministries/Departments of Peace & Infrastructures for Peace (MOPs & I4P) in social issues threatening sustainable peace in our society
- To further promote the concept and deeper understanding of campaigning for MOPs & I4P
- To strengthen the engagement of stakeholders at all levels working for MOPs & I4P, peace within, peace between
- To reinforce GAMIP as a multi-stakeholder platform for promoting MOPs and I4P
- To including launching a multi-stakeholder platform on MOP & infrastructures for peace, peace within, peace between
- To evaluate or assess existing efforts to build architectures for peace in our society and develop a more creative and innovative approach to deepen the work of MOPs & I4P in our communities in terms of peace citizenship, practice and professionalism.
- To explore the role of MOPs & I4P in attaining sustainable peace for human and environmental well-being
- To create a context for participatory learning about practical tools for developing I4Ps at at local, state and national levels
- To build participants' capacity for community mediation in support of social development, peace and security
- To assess the role of architecture for peace in adaptation and in addressing challenges following climate change.
- To launch and distribute a GAMIP book on MOPs & I4P. Each chapter would address specific country experiences related to MOPs and I4P. Successes, failures, and recommendations.
- To summarize and distribute Summit learning in a Report.

PRE-SUMMIT EVENTS

Ongoing	PRE-SUMMIT REGISTRATION (the form should include registering for pre-Summit training)	
AUGUST 2023 TO SEPTEMBER 2024		
DATE	EVENT	COMMENTS
	Publish GAMIP Book	Co-ordinated by Ose
SUNDAY, 31ST AUG, 2024		
TIME	EVENT	COMMENTS
11:00 am	Final Pre-Summit Board Discussions???	At Regular August 2024 GAMIP Board Meeting. Thursday, 12 th Sept is an option (after the Summit, to benefit from Summit conclusions)
MONDAY, 6TH SEPTEMBER, 2024		
TIME	EVENT	COMMENTS
8:00 – 9:00am	In-person meeting of GAMIP Board members attending Summit to discuss final Summit Preparations on the ground	
9:00- 10:00am	In-person GAMIP Meeting with GAMIP Summit volunteers	
9:00 am	In-person Registration - ongoing	In-person Registration
10:00 am – 1:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pre-Summit training - Professionalism exploration 	Training must be relevant to the Summit theme
1:00– 1:30pm	- Break	
1:30 – 5:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Facilitate/train on community mediation: Diana de la Rúa (Argentina,GAMIP Int Board) w. Ornelia Uberti (ALC Chapter Board); - Peace Education, Alicia, w/shop 	

Evening event	Welcome program for pre-summit delegates	Proposed as an informal gathering with entertainment
TUESDAY, 7TH SEPTEMBER, 2024		
TIME	EVENT	COMMENTS
9:00 am -?	1) Pre-Summit training (time and topics tbd)	1) Training must be relevant to the Summit theme.
	Meetings with Government officials (In person Board Directors/Advisory team)	In the coming months, Ose will lobby with government officials to attend the conference
30 mins	Lunch	
2-5	Training	

SUMMIT EVENTS

To be discussed further:

- **Breakout Sessions:** The format and content of Breakout Sessions need to be further discussed. Decision: Each Breakout Session should include provocative questions on both subject matter and personal conduct/peace professionalism/muscles of peace.
- **Government officials:**
- **Pre-Summit Welcome Program for delegates:** This is initially proposed as an informal gathering with entertainment.
- **World Café: What is envisaged? Who will coordinate it? When?**
- **Proposed venue: Nigeria Army Resource Center, Abuja (Venue) (<https://narc.org.ng/>) Advantage:** Security.
- **Decide how to handle transition time between speakers**

Wednesday 11th SEPTEMBER, 2024		
TIME	EVENT	COMMENTS
	Summit facilitation: Youth World Café	
8.00 onward	In-person registration (most will already have registered on-line)	

8:30 – 8:40	Welcome to Nigeria, (Ose)	Including administrivia
8:40 – 8:50	Opening speech (10 minutes) Paul <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Introduce GAMIP, its mission, make special mention of GAMIP’s role re Ministry of Peace in Colombia Broadly introduce the theme and purpose of the Summit	
8:50 – 9:10	Opening address by government official (20 minutes)	The government representative to be chosen strategically for highest potential for follow-up re: MOP/I4P implementation
9:10 – 10:00	Four detailed GAMIP chapter reports: Latin America, Africa. Europe. North America	Focus this session on all GAMIP activities, with brief reference to ministries which will be discussed in more detail later Have speakers from the regional chapter speak about their chapter
10:00 – 10:55	Panel Discussion on I4P – concepts, options, successes, challenges, how to create them. What is it? What has worked? What not? Why not? Moderator – Overall introduction (5 minutes) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Panelist 1 (Paul Maillet) – General Overview (15 minutes) - Panelist 2 How local public policies help build MOPs, including educating cities (15minutes) - Panelist 3, Every Day Application (Muscles for Peace) (10 minutes) - 	
10:55 – 11:10	Break: Cultural dance entertainment & musical performance	
11:10 – 12:20	Break out session for I4P discussion 30 Min breakout,	Speakers need to coordinate to avoid redundancies (Ministries of

	20 Min feedback to plenary 10 Min response from presenters	peace will be discussed separately although brief references can obviously be made in each session) All panels to include provocative question on subject matter and on personal conduct/peace professionalism
12:20 – 12:30	Overview of topics for the summit (10 minutes)	
12:30 - 2:00	Lunch break	1.5 hours
2:00 – 4:00	Panel on Ministries of Peace <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Panelist 1 Historical review of existing Ministries of Peace in the World: Nepal, Costa Rica, Solomon Islands, Ethiopia (Sudan) (20 minutes) - Panelist 2 Colombia Ministry of Peace (10 minutes) - Panelist 3 The Gambia Ministry of the Interior/Secretary of Peace (10 minutes) - Panelist 4 North America (10 minutes) - Panelist 5 Europe (10 minutes) 	
	Break out session for MOP discussion (Africa, East Asia, South Asia, Middle East, Europe, Latin America, North America etc.) 30 Min breakout, 20 Min feedback to plenary 10 Min response from presenters	Breakouts 1 hour
4:00 – 4:10	Break	
4:10- 4:30	Peace Professionalism	Low attendance at end of day?
4:30 – 6:00	Breakout Session on peace professionalism	
THURSDAY 12th SEPTEMBER, 2024		

TIME	EVENT	COMMENTS
9:00 – 11:00	<p>Keynote: Government official (30 minutes)</p> <p>Keynote</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Common Security Trending: Alyn Ware (?) general (15 minutes) - including the role of MOP & I4P in curbing terrorism & organised crimes. (15 minutes) 	<p>Possible speakers/topics</p> <p>Gabriel Aguirre World Beyond War (Colombia-based)</p> <p>Science based reduction of violence (?? As</p>
	<p>Breakout for Common Security</p> <p>30 Min breakout, 20 Min feedback to plenary 10 Min response from presenters</p>	
11:00- 11:30	<p>Break: University drama related to peace (15 mins)</p>	
11:30 – 12:30	<p>Keynote: From global warming to global boiling: Implication of climate change dynamics on conflicts and the intervention role of MOP & I4P. seeding presentation by ...</p>	<p>Look for speaker</p>
12:30- 2:00	<p>Lunch</p>	
2:00 – 3:00	<p>Breakout for Global Warming</p> <p>30 Min breakout, 20 Min feedback to plenary 10 Min response from presenters</p>	
3:00 – 4:00	<p>Keynote: Racism, ethno-religious intolerance, extremism & the challenges of achieving social cohesion</p>	<p>Looking for speaker</p>
4:00 – 4:30	<p>Break: Dance drama entertainment</p>	
	<p>Breakout for achieving social cohesion</p> <p>30 Min breakout,</p>	

	20 Min feedback to plenary 10 Min response from presenters	
4:30 - 6:30	Keynote: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Election violence: seeding presentation by - Election violence: the interventional role of infrastructures/ministries for peace 	Looking for speakers
	Breakout for Overcoming Election Violence 30 Min breakout, 20 Min feedback to plenary 10 Min response from presenters	

FRIDAY 13th SEPT, 2024

TIME	EVENT	COMMENTS
9:00 – 11:00	Keynote: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Proliferation of small-light weapons and organised crime: seeding presentation by (15-30 minutes) - Proliferation of small-light weapons and organised crime: the interventional roles of infrastructures/ministries for peace – breakouts session 	Looking for speakers
	Breakout for Small-Light Weapons 30 Min breakout, 20 Min feedback to plenary 10 Min response from presenters	
11:00- 11:30	Break/ Interlude: Cultural dance for peace entertainment	
11:30 – 12:30	AGM meeting	

12:30- 2:00	Lunch	
2:00 – 4:00	Keynote: Insurgency movement. Seeding presentation by	Looking for speakers
	<p>Breakout for Insurgency Movement 30 Min breakout, 20 Min feedback to plenary 10 Min response from presenters</p>	
4:00 – 4:30	Break/Interlude: Drama for peace presentation– entertainment	
4:30 – 6:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closing Public lecture title: Top-down/Two-way? peacebuilding: Linking MOP & Local Peace Infrastructures. Guest speaker – • Summary presentation of next steps by GAMIP chapters? • Regional feedback on OP/I4P campaigns • Awards & presentation of gifts • Refreshment, Celebration & Group photographs • Action point taking Meeting • Vote of thanks & Closing • Press conference/release? 	
SATURDAY, 14th SEPTEMBER, 2024		
All day	Second government speaker?	
Saturday	Sight seeing	