

DAY 1 – Tuesday, 14 May

7:30 AM Registration Desk Open

8:00 AM Walk in Coffee / Tea

9:00 AM **Welcome from the Conference Co-chairs**

Kwasi Torpey, MD, PhD, MPH, FGCP - Local Chair

University of Ghana, Ghana

Elly Katabira, MD, FRCP - Co-Chair

Makerere University College of Health Sciences
Uganda

Catherine Hankins MD, PhD, FRCPC, CM - Scientific Chair

Amsterdam Institute for Global Health and Development, The Netherlands / Canada

Session 1 **Official Opening Session**

Chairs: Elly Katabira (Uganda) and Kwasi Torpey (Ghana)

9:10 AM **Welcome to Ghana**
Honourable Kwaku Agyemang Manu, Minister of Health

9:25 AM **The Road to 90-90-90: Progress in HIV Prevention and Treatment Scale-up in Sub-Saharan Africa**
Karusa Kiragu, PhD
UNAIDS, Uganda

9:45 AM **Current Status of HIV in Ghana**
Kyeremeh Atuahene
Ghana AIDS Commission, Ghana

10:00 AM **Community Perspective on Progress in Ghana**
Cecilia Senoo
Hope for Future Generation, Ghana

10:15 AM **Keynote Address**
First Lady of Ghana Her Excellency Mrs Rebecca Akufo-Addo

10:30 AM Refreshment Break and Poster Viewing



Session 2 HIV Prevention: Who's in, Who's out and Who's Shaking It All About?

Chairs: Elizabeth Bukusi (Kenya) and Catherine Hankins (Canada / The Netherlands)

- 11:00 AM **Is DREAMS Having an Impact on HIV Prevention in Young Women?**
Ambassador Deborah Birx, MD
US Department of State, USA
- 11:25 AM **Evolving Use of Oral PrEP (Lessons Learned) and Update on New Prevention Technologies – Rings, Long-acting Injectables, Implants**
Sinead Delany-Moretlwe, MBBCh, PhD, DTM&H
The Wits Reproductive Health and HIV Institute (WRHI), University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa
- 11:50 AM **What about the Men: Finding the Missing Connection**
Daniel Were, PhD
Jhpiego, Kenya
- 12:15 PM **Audience Q&A**
- 12:30 PM Lunch and Early-career Investigator Meet-the-expert
-

Oral Abstract presentations I

Chairs: Sam Phiri (Malawi) and Charles Boucher (The Netherlands)

- | | | | |
|---------|--|----------------------|----|
| 1:30 PM | High Rate of PrEP Eligibility and Associated HIV Incidence in a Generalized Epidemic | Victor Ssempijja | #1 |
| 1:45 PM | Dually Enacted Stigma among Young People and their Caregivers Living with HIV: Challenges and Opportunities to Reaching 90-90-90 in Zambia | Joseph Gregory Rosen | #2 |
| 2:00 PM | Implementing a National Mhealth System Improves Viral Suppression and Retention in Routine HIV Care in Kenya | Anthony Wachira | #3 |
| 2:15 PM | Increasing Access to Antiretroviral Therapy; Lessons Learnt from Implementing Family Centered PMTCT Option B+ Services in 13 States in Nigeria | Ihoghosa Iyamu | #4 |
-

Session 3 Innovative Work with Key Populations in Africa

Chairs: Stephen Ayisi Addo (Ghana) and Timothy Mastro (USA)

- 2:30 PM **Progress in Engaging Key Populations in Africa**
Christopher Akolo, MD, MSc, FWACP
FHI360, USA
- 2:55 PM **Audience Q&A**
- 3:00 PM Conference Photo
- 3:15 PM Refreshment Break and Poster Viewing
-



Session 4 Update on Hormonal Contraception and HIV Risk

Chair: *Linda-Gail Bekker (South Africa)*

3:45 PM **Why the ECHO Trial and What Will It Tell Us?**
Elizabeth Bukusi, MBChB, MMed, MPH, PhD, PGD, MBE
Kenya Medical Research Institute, Kenya

4:10 PM **Audience Q&A**

Session 5 Community Impact of Treatment

Chair: *James Hakim (Zimbabwe)*

4:15 PM **PopART in Zambia and South Africa: What Have We Learned?**
Albertus Schaap, MSc
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine / Zambart, United Kingdom / Zambia

4:40 PM **Audience Q&A**

Session 6 Opening Day Formal Debate: The “U=U” Message is Not Appropriate for Africa

Chair: *Peter Kilmarx (USA)*

4:45 PM **Opening Words**

4:50 PM **First Speaker for the Proposition**
François Venter, MBCCH, MMed, FCP, DTM&H, Dip HIV Man
University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa

4:57 PM **First Speaker against the Proposition**
Linda-Gail Bekker, MBChB, DTM&H, DCH, FCP(SA), PhD
Desmond Tutu HIV Foundation, South Africa

5:04 PM **Debate from the Floor**

5:29 PM **Second Speaker for the Proposition**
Tapiwanashe Kujinga, LLB
Pan-African Treatment Access Movement, Zimbabwe

5:33 PM **Second Speaker against the Proposition**
Lucy Wanjiku Njenga
Positive Young Women Voices, Kenya

5:37 PM **Rebuttal**
Each Team 2 Minutes

5:41 PM **Voting**

5:45 PM Opening Reception



DAY 2 – Wednesday, 15 May 2019

7:00 AM Parallel Early Morning Sessions: Grantspersonship, Joep Lange Career Guidance, and Themed Poster Discussions

Session 7 Update on HIV Vaccines and the Promise of a Cure

Chairs: Isabella Akyinbah Quakyi (Ghana) and Guido Ferrari (USA)

8:00 AM **HIV Vaccine Pipeline and Progress, Including Broadly Neutralizing Antibodies (BnAbs)**
Glenda Gray, MBBCh, FCPaed(SA), DSc (Hons)
South African Medical Research Council, South Africa

8:25 AM **Audience Q&A**

8:30 AM **Acute Infection and HIV Cure: Current Status and Implications for the Future**
Zaza Ndhlovu, PhD
Africa Health Institute, SA/Zimbabwe

8:55 AM **Audience Q&A**

Oral Abstract Presentations II

Chairs: James Hakim (Zimbabwe) and Anna Laura Ross (Switzerland)

9:00 AM	Association Between Contraceptive Use and PrEP Uptake and Continuation in Adolescent Girls and Young Women in Cape Town, South Africa	Elzette Rousseau	#5
9:15 AM	The Role of Executive Functioning in Medical Adherence: Evidence from the HIV Associated Neuro-Cognitive Disorders Study in Zambia	Sylvia Mwanza	#6
9:30 AM	Sexually Transmitted Infections in MSM in West Africa: Incidence and Associated Factors (CohMSM ANRS 12324-Expertise France)	Issifou Yaya	#7
9:45 AM	Alcohol Use, Aggressive Behaviours and Mental Health Status are Associated with All Identified Typologies of Risky Sexual Behaviours Among Adolescent Girls and Young Women (10-24 years) in Western Cape, South Africa	Joel Francis	#8

10:00 AM Refreshment Break and Poster Viewing

SYMPOSIUM I - Gilead: Viral Hepatitis C in Africa: Working Towards Elimination Goals

Chair: Mark Sonderup (South Africa)

10:30 AM **Introduction: Objective and Goals**
Viral Hepatitis and Elimination Efforts Overview, African Perspective, WHO Goals, and Introduction to Elimination
Mark Sonderup
University of Cape Town, South Africa

10:40 AM **Overview of Viral Hepatitis Elimination Efforts in Rwanda - Success Factors and Challenges**
Emmanuel Musabeyezu
King Faisal Hospital, Rwanda



- 11:00 AM **Overview of Viral Hepatitis Elimination Efforts in Egypt - Success Factors and Challenges**
Imam Waked
 Menoufiya University, Egypt
- 11:20 AM **Viral Hepatitis Landscape in South Africa and Implementation Plans**
Mark Sonderup
 University of Cape Town, South Africa
- 11:40 AM **Audience Q&A and Panel Discussion**
- 11:50 AM **Summary and Closure**
Mark Sonderup
 University of Cape Town, South Africa

Mini-Oral Abstract Presentations I

Chairs: Kyeremeh Atuahene (Ghana) and Catherine Hankins (Canada / The Netherlands)

- | | | | |
|----------|---|---------------------|-----|
| 12:00 PM | Male Engagement Optimization in Antenatal Care Clinics to Assess Need for Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis in Serodiscordant Couples: Estimation Based on Preliminary Data from a Cluster Randomized Trial in Zambézia Province, Mozambique | Caroline De Schacht | #9 |
| 12:03 PM | Healthcare Providers' Attitudes and Experiences Delivering Oral PrEP to Adolescent Girls and Young Women: Implementation Research to Inform PrEP Rollout in Kenya, South Africa, and Zimbabwe | Definate Nhamo | #10 |
| 12:06 PM | Continuity of PrEP Use and Reasons for Discontinuation: A Cohort Study in a General Eswatini Population | Shreoshee Mukherjee | #11 |
| 12:09 PM | PrEP Uptake and Various Referral Channels in Kenya: Cross-Sectional Analysis of a Large Scale Program | Micah Anyona | #12 |
| 12:12 PM | Shifts in HIV Risk Outcomes among Adolescent Girls and Young Women (AGYW): Mixed Effects of DREAMS Interventions in Kenya | Jerry Okoth Okal | #13 |
| 12:15 PM | Audience Q&A | | |

12:30 PM Lunch and Early-career Investigator Meet-the-expert

SYMPOSIUM II - Johnson & Johnson: Optimising Treatment for Life-long Management of HIV

Chair: Kwasi Torpey (Ghana)

- 1:30 PM **Welcome, Introduction, and Objectives**
WHO Technical Update and 2018 Guidelines
Kwasi Torpey
 University of Ghana College of Health Sciences, Ghana
- 1:40 PM **Faculty Discussion: Understanding the Role of PIs in Antiretroviral Treatment in Africa**
Led by Kwasi Torpey



2:20 PM **Case Study 1: Second-line Treatment**
Selecting a PI in second line in clinical practice in Africa
Michelle Moorhouse
University of Witwatersrand / Charlotte Maxeke Academic Hospital, South Africa

2:35 PM **Case Study 2: Third-line Treatment**
Switching to a PI in third line in clinical practice in Africa
Lloyd Mulenga
University Teaching Hospital / University of Zambia School of Medicine, Zambia

2:50 PM **New Horizons Advancing Pediatric HIV Care Initiative**
Serge Paul Eholie
Treichville University Teaching Hospital, Côte d'Ivoire

Faculty Discussion: Implementing New Horizons in Africa
Led by Lloyd Mulenga

Closing
Kwasi Torpey
University of Ghana College of Health Sciences, Ghana

3:00 PM Refreshment Break and Poster Viewing

SYMPOSIUM III - Joep Lange Institute: Winners for Africa
Chair: Tobias Rinke de Wit (The Netherlands)

3:30 PM **Welcome and Introduction**
Tobias Rinke de Wit
Joep Lange Institute, The Netherlands

3:35 PM **Using Single Cell RNAseq to Unravel Unconventional T-cell Responses**
Shaheed Abdulhaqq
Oregon Health and Science University, Vaccine and Gene Therapy Institute, United States

3:40 PM **Immune Activation and Depression in HIV Infection**
Jonathan Chang
Duke University School of Medicine, United States

3:45 PM **Epidemiology and Control of STIs in the Era of PrEP**
Michael Traeger
Burnet Institute, Australia

3:50 PM **Towards an HIV Risk Profile for Zambian Female Sex Workers**
Kalonde Malama
Aix-Marseille University, France



3:55 PM **Embracing Innovation in HIV Pediatric Diagnostics: A Win for Africa**
Francis Matthew Simmonds
Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation, Zimbabwe

4:00 PM **Discussion**

4:25 PM **Closing**
Tobias Rinke de Wit
Joep Lange Institute, The Netherlands

Session 8 Emerging and Re-emerging Pathogens
Chairs: Peter Kilmarx (USA) and Elly Katabira (Uganda)

4:30 PM **Research Preparedness for Viral Haemorrhagic Fevers in West Africa: The Lassa Fever Example**
Adebola Olayinka, MD, PhD
Nigeria Centre for Disease Control, Nigeria

4:50 PM **Update on the DRC Ebola Outbreak**
Ibrahima-Socé Fall, MD, MPH, MSc, PhD, FFPH
World Health Organization, Republic of the Congo

5:10 PM **Discussion**

5:20 PM **Audience Q&A**



DAY 3 – Thursday, 16 May 2019

7:00 AM Parallel Early Morning Sessions: Grantspersonship, Joep Lange Career Guidance, and Themed Poster Discussions

Session 9 Treatment

Chairs: Margaret Lartey (Ghana) and Mauro Schechter (Brazil)

8:00 AM **HIV Drug Resistance**
Raquel Viana, PhD

Molecular Pathology Department for Lancet oratories, South Africa

8:25 AM **Audience Q&A**

8:30 AM **Treatment Strategies from a Public Health Perspective**
Meg Doherty, MD, MPH, PhD

World Health Organisation, Switzerland

8:55 AM **Audience Q&A**

Mini-Oral Abstract Presentations II

Chairs: Ely Katabira (Uganda) and Timothy Mastro (USA)

9:00 AM	Treatment Outcome among Patients on ART in Southern Tanzania: Does Time of ART Initiation Matter?	Bernadeta Msongole	#14
---------	---	--------------------	-----

9:03 AM	Pregnancy and Infant Outcomes among HIV-positive Women on Dolutegravir Versus Efavirenz-based Antiretroviral Therapy: Week 48 Analysis of the ADVANCE Trial	Nomathemba Chandiwana	#15
---------	---	-----------------------	-----

9:06 AM	HIV Multi-class Resistance in Patients Failing to First and Second-Line ART in Resources Limited Setting, Mali	Almoustapha Issiaka Maiga	#16
---------	--	---------------------------	-----

9:09 AM	Can Genotyping after Second-line ART Failure Reduce the Need for DRV/r-Based Third-Line ART in Kenya?	Dorothy Mwangae	#17
---------	---	-----------------	-----

9:12 AM	Self-reported HIV-positive Status but Subsequent HIV-negative Test Results in Population-Based HIV Impact Assessment (PHIA) Survey Participants – 11 Sub-Saharan African Countries, 2015-2017	Naeemah Logan	#18
---------	---	---------------	-----

9:15 AM **Audience Q&A**

9:30 AM SYMPOSIUM IV: ViiV - Scientific Debate: 2DR is the Next Frontier in HIV Treatment

Chair: Michael Aboud (United Kingdom)

Joseph Oliver-Commey

Ghana Health Service, Ghana

Michelle Moorhouse

University of Witwatersrand / Charlotte Maxeke Academic Hospital, South Africa

Francois Venter

University of Witwatersrand, South Africa

Frank Post

King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust, United Kingdom



10:30 AM Refreshment Break and Poster Viewing

SYMPOSIUM V: Abbvie: Journey towards Bridging the Gap in Monitoring HIV Viral Load in Resource-Limited Settings: The Third 90 Experiences in Kenya, Nigeria, and Zambia.

Chair: David Kalombo (South Africa)

11:00 AM **Opening Remarks and Introduction of Speakers**

David Kalombo

Foundation for Professional Development, South Africa

11:05 AM **The Third 90 Experiences in Zambia**

Lloyd Mulenga

Ministry of Health, Zambia

11:20 AM **The Third 90 Experiences in Kenya**

Maureen Kimani

National AIDS & STI Control Programme, Kenya

11:35 AM **The Third 90 Experiences in Nigeria**

Hadiza Khamofu

FHI360, Nigeria

11:50 AM **Discussion & Closing**

David Kalombo

Foundation for Professional Development, South Africa

Mini-Oral Abstract Presentations III

Chairs: Elizabeth Bukusi (Kenya) and Linda-Gail Bekker (South Africa)

12:00 PM	Addressing Barriers to Effective Scale Up of Viral Load Uptake: the Case of Viral Load Sample Rejection Rates in Five Counties in Kenya	Romeo Kithuka	#19
12:03 PM	Effect of Strategic Index Case Testing on HIV Case Detection in Nigeria: APIN Experience	Scott Adamu	#20
12:06 PM	Reaching the Unreachable: Early Results from Index Testing in Zambia in the CIRKUIITS Project	Linah K. Mwangi	#21
12:09 PM	Maximizing HIV Testing Yield Through Index Partner Testing Using Assisted Partner Notification (APN) Approach: Implementation Progress in Uganda	John Bosco Junior Matovu	#22
12:12 PM	Partner Delivered HIV Self-Testing is Highly Acceptable and Facilitates Linkage to Care for Partners of HIV Index and Antenatal Care Clients in South Africa	Vincent Zishiri	#23
12:15 PM	Audience Q&A		

12:30 PM Lunch and Early-career Investigator Meet-the-expert



Session 10 Laboratory Science at the Service of the Response

Chairs: Stephen Ayisi Addo (Ghana) and Charles Boucher (The Netherlands)

1:30 PM **Laboratory QA and Innovation**
Pascale Ondo, MD, MSc, PhD
African Society of Laboratory Medicine, The Netherlands

1:55 PM **Audience Q&A**

SYMPOSIUM VI: International AIDS Society (IAS): Differentiated Service Delivery in West and Central Africa – From Pilots to Policy

Chairs: Ndoungou Salla Ba (Burkina Faso) and Linda-Gail Bekker (South Africa)

Welcome and Introduction

Ndoungou Salla Ba

World Health Organization, Burkina Faso

Linda-Gail Bekker

Desmond Tutu HIV Foundation / University of Cape Town, South Africa

2:00 PM **Providing Community ART in a Time of Conflict: Pilot Projects from Central African Republic**
Charles Ssonko
Médecins Sans Frontières, United Kingdom

2:10 PM **Patient Preference: Scaling up PODIs, Fast-track, and ART Refills in Peer Support Groups in the Democratic Republic of the Congo**
Didier Kamerhe
PATH, Democratic Republic of the Congo

2:20 PM **Pushing ART Refills to Six Months: National Policy Progress in Guinea**
Foromo Guilavogui
Ministry of Health, Guinea

2:30 PM **Putting the Policy into Practice: The Experience of DSD Guidance in Ghana**
Nyonuku Akosua Baddoo
Ministry of Health, Ghana

2:40 PM **Discussion and Launch of Key Messaging Document on DSD in WCA**
Ndoungou Salla Ba and Linda-Gail Bekker

3:00 PM Refreshment Break and Poster Viewing



Mini-Oral Abstract Presentations IV

Chairs: Stephen Watiti (Uganda) and François Venter (South Africa)

3:30 PM	Improved Case Detection and Management of Advanced HIV Disease through TB Contact Risk Stratification and Implementation of a Package of Interventions in a Rural District of Mozambique	Santiago Izco	#24
3:33 PM	“From Ostracism to Centralism” The Evolution of Meaningful Involvement of People Living with HIV (MIPA) in Zimbabwe Resulting in Improved Health Outcomes	Silibele Mpofo	#25
3:36 PM	Évaluation de l’Efficacité Virologique et Clinique de la Prise en Charge Thérapeutiques des Enfants VIH+ dans les Régions Sud du Sénégal (EnPRISE2)	Aminata Niang	#26
3:39 PM	Mortality and Virologic Outcomes between Two to Five Years of Age after Early Initiation during Infancy of Antiretroviral Treatment: Experience of the ANRS-1240 PEDIACAM Study (Cameroon)	Francis Ateba Ndongo	#27
3:42 PM	Point-of-Care Early Infant Diagnostic Testing at Alternative Entry Points: a High-Yield, Cost-Efficient Strategy to Increase HIV Positive Infant Case Finding	Isaac Ssewanyana	#28
3:45 PM	Audience Q&A		

Session 11 Paediatrics: Leaving No One Behind

Chair: Lorna Renner (Ghana)

4:00 PM	Stepping on the Accelerator: Innovations in Pediatric HIV Programming Nadia A. Sam-Agudu, MD, CTropMed Institute of Human Virology/ University of Maryland School of Medicine, Nigeria / USA
---------	--

4:25 PM **Audience Q&A**

Session 12 Non-Communicable Disease

Chairs: Kyeremeh Atuahene (Ghana) and Pierre-Marie Girard (France)

4:30 PM	Burden of Disease, Prevention Strategies, Treatment Studies, Service Intergration Gerald Yonga, MBChB, MMed, FRCP, MBA, FESC, FACC Aga Khan University Hospital, Kenya
---------	--

4:55 PM **Audience Q&A**

Session 13 Women in Science, Medicine, and Global Health

Chair: Catherine Hankins (Canada / The Netherlands)

5:00 PM	Advancing Women: What Do We Need to Do and How? Helen Rees, MD, MA, MRCP The WITS Reproductive Health and HIV Institute (WRHI), University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa
---------	---

5:25 PM **Audience Q&A**



DAY 4 – Friday, 17 May 2019

7:00 AM Parallel Early Morning Sessions: Grantspersonship, Joep Lange Career Guidance, and Themed Poster Discussions

Mini-Oral Abstract Presentations V

Chairs: Margaret Larrey (Ghana) and Pierre-Marie Girard (France)

8:00 AM	Examining the Effectiveness of Differentiated Service Delivery Models for HIV Testing among Female Sex Workers in Ghana	David Tetteh Nartey	#29
8:03 AM	Sexual and Mental Health of Transgender Persons in Nairobi, Kenya	Rodah Wanjiru	#30
8:06 AM	Analyse Coût-Efficacité d'une Stratégie Thérapeutique à Base de Sofosbuvir dans le Traitement de l'Hépatite C en Afrique Centrale et de l'Ouest (ANRS 12311)	Maël Baudoin	#31
8:09 AM	Improved HIV Testing Efficiency in Zambia through Enhanced Real-time Program Surveillance	Andres Montaner	#32
8:12 AM	Reasons for PrEP Decline among Clients Identified at Substantial Risk for HIV Infection in the Kingdom of Eswatini	Sindy Matse	#33
8:15 AM	Audience Q&A		

Session 14 Update on Tuberculosis

Chair: Elly Katabira (Uganda)

8:30 AM **State of the Response, New Drugs and Diagnostics, Vaccine Developments, Advocacy, and Lessons Learned from UN General Assembly on TB**
Kogieleum Naidoo, MBChB, PhD

Centre for the AIDS Programme of Research in South Africa, South Africa

8:55 AM **Audience Q&A**

9:00 AM SYMPOSIUM VII: Roche - Debate: Patient Self- Management - Radical patient self-management will address current health challenges in Africa

An engaging debate bringing together scientists from the African continent

Chair: Catherine Hankins (Canada / The Netherlands)

Francois Venter

University of Witwatersrand, South Africa

Sergio Carmona

Charlotte Maxeke Academic Hospital, South Africa

Sindisiwe Van Zyl

Private Practice, South Africa

Tendani Gaolathe

Ministry of Health, Botswana

10:00 AM Refreshment Break and Poster Viewing



Session 15 Science in Action

Chair: Peter Kilmarx (USA)

10:30 AM **The Importance of Science and Innovation for the Global Fund**
Christoph Benn

Global Fund, Switzerland

10:55 AM **Audience Q&A**

Session 16 Ethics of Choice in Public Sector Programmes, Including Access to Contraception

Chair: Timothy Mastro (USA)

11:00 AM **Three Billboards on West African Adolescent HIV Prevention Studies: Rights, Complexities and Possible Solutions**

Ann Strode, BA, LLB, LLM, PhD

University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa

11:25 AM **Audience Q&A**

Mini-Oral Abstract Presentations VI

Chairs: Lorna Renner (Ghana) and Anna Laura Ross (Switzerland)

11:30 AM	Factors Associated with Liver Injury among HIV Infected Children and Adolescents Attending a National Referral Pediatric HIV Clinic in Uganda	Bonny Mulindwa	#34
----------	---	----------------	-----

11:33 AM	Prevalence of Cervical HPV Infection among Women Living with HIV in Harare, Zimbabwe	Ardele Maureen Mandiriri	#35
----------	--	--------------------------	-----

11:36 AM	Application of Machine Learning Models in Prediction of PrEP Retention among High-risk Persons in Uganda	Agnes Kiragga	#36
----------	--	---------------	-----

11:39 AM	Economic Burden of Accessing Treatment on People Living with HIV; Outcomes of a Cross-Sectional Survey in Lagos State, Nigeria	Adewale Ogunnaike	#37
----------	--	-------------------	-----

11:42 AM	Characterizing the HIV Epidemic among 15-24 Year Olds in Urban Ethiopia, 2017-18	Aderonke Ajiboye	#38
----------	--	------------------	-----

11:45 AM Audience Q&A

Session 17 Closing Session

Chairs: Kwasi Torpey (Ghana), Elly Katabira (Uganda) and Catherine Hankins (Canada / The Netherlands)

12:00 PM **Presentation of the Joep Lange Award to Highest Scoring Abstract by an Early-Career African Scientist**

12:10 PM **Reflections by the Chairs of the 13th INTEREST Conference**

12:20 PM **Closure of the Conference**

