

***ECONOMIC PROSPECTS FOR
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Round Table Discussion

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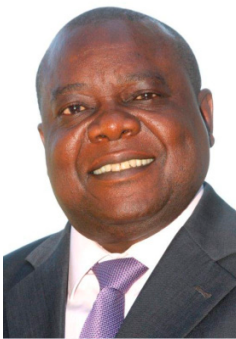
Meikles Hotel, Harare, Zimbabwe

Programme

- 07:15 – 08:00** Registration and breakfast
- 08:05 – 08:10** Welcoming remarks by Christian Beddies, *IMF Resident Representative*,
- 08:10 – 09:15** Panel discussions
- Mr. Charles Msipa, *Past President CZI and Managing Director Schweppes – Moderator*
- Domenico Fanizza IMF, *Mission Chief for Zimbabwe*
Prof. Mthuli Ncube, *Professor of Public Policy, University of Oxford*
Dr. John. P. Mangudya, *Governor of the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe*
Mrs. Chipo Mtasa, *Managing Director, Tel-One*
Dr. Somkhosi Malaba, *President, Bankers Association of Zimbabwe*
Mr. Busisa Moyo, *President Confederation of Zimbabwe Industries (CZI)*
Dr. Godfrey Kanyenze, *Director LEDRIZ*
- 09:15 – 09:50** Open discussions
- 09:50 – 10:00** Closing Remarks: Hon. P. A. Chinamasa, *Minister for Finance and Economic Development*

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Biographies



Charles Msipa: Charles is the Managing Director of Schweppes Zimbabwe Ltd and Immediate Past President of the Confederation of Zimbabwe Industries. Charles has worked in a variety of functional roles in the beverages industry for 23 years in Zimbabwe, Zambia, Malawi and USA. Charles was part of the Zimbabwe private sector delegation that undertook a mission to the European Union in January 2014 to promote closer economic co-operation between EU and Zimbabwe. Charles serves on Board of Directors of Zimbabwe Bata Shoe Company and Board of Trustees of African Lion Environmental Research Trust



Domenico Fanizza: Domenico is an Assistant Director with the African Department of the International Monetary Fund (IMF). He currently heads the IMF team working on Zimbabwe. Previously, he held positions in the Middle Eastern Department, where he led missions to Lebanon, Morocco, Algeria, and Tunisia. Mr. Fanizza holds a Ph. D. in Economics from Northwestern University.



Prof. Mthuli Ncube: Mthuli is a Professor of Public Policy, at Blavatnik School of Government, University of Oxford, where he teaches and researches in the areas on macroeconomics, finance, development economics, political economy, and health economics. Previously he was Chief Economist and Vice President at the African Development Bank Group . Before joining the AfDB, he served as the Dean of the Faculty of Commerce Law and Management, and also Dean and Professor of Finance at Wits Business School, all at University of Witwatersrand, in South Africa. He founded the Centre for Entrepreneurship at Wits University. He was also a Lecturer in Finance at the London School of Economics. He holds a PhD in Economics (Mathematical Finance) from University of Cambridge, Selwyn College, UK.



John. P Mangudya: John is the Governor of the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe. Prior to this appointment, he was the Group CEO of CBZ Holdings. He has 28 years of banking experience having worked for the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe from 1986 to 1996 as an economist and the African Export Import Bank (Afreximbank) from 1996 to 1999 as an international banker. He holds a Bsc Economics (Honours), Msc Economics and a PhD in Business Administration



Chipo Mtasa: Chipo is the Managing Director of Telone. Prior to her appointment at TelOne, Chipo was CEO for the Rainbow Tourism Group. Chipo currently chairs the Zimbabwe Tourism Authority (ZTA) Board and sits on the boards of Women's University in Africa and FBC Holdings. She has won the ZNCC Harare and National Business Woman of the Year Award (2014), Most Customer Focused Executive by the Contact Association of Zimbabwe and Marketing Oriented CEO of the Year by the Marketers Association of Zimbabwe, Tourism Personality of the Year from the Zimbabwe Council for Tourism, ZNCC

Business Woman of the Year (2008), the Harare Chamber of Commerce Business Woman of the Year and the ZTA awarded her the Tourism Personality of the Year (2007). She is a Chartered Accountant, holds a Bachelor of Accountancy Honors Degree (UZ) and is a Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Zimbabwe. She also holds a certificate in Executive Leadership from the Wharton Business School of the University of Pennsylvania, USA



Somkhosi Malaba: Somkhosi is CEO of Agribank and President of the Bankers Association of Zimbabwe. He also serves as Chairman of Council of the Lupane State University. He was Deputy Governor of the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe from August 1988 to April 2004, after 16 years' service at various senior levels within the same institution. He also served for two years as Permanent Secretary in the National Economic Planning Commission, Office of the President and Cabinet. He was appointed Chief Executive Officer of Agribank in May 2004.



Busisa Moyo: Busisa is the CEO of United Refineries Limited one of the largest cooking oil expressing and soap manufacturing company in Zimbabwe. Busisa has been with United Refineries since 2005 when he joined the company as its Finance Director. He has been listed as 100 Future Economic Leaders in Africa by Institute Choiseul, France. Busisa won the Prestigious Chief Executive Officer of the Year award 2013. Busisa holds a Bachelor of Accounting Science Degree (BCompt) from the University of South Africa and completed his articles with Deloitte and Touche in 1999. He holds a Global Executive MBA from IESE Business School (Spain) and has also attended executive education on mergers and acquisitions at the University Of Chicago Graduate School Of Business (Chicago - USA).



Dr. Godfrey Kanyenze, Godfrey Kanyenze is the director of the Labour and Economic Development Research Institute of Zimbabwe. He has previously worked as an economist for the Zimbabwe Congress of Trade Unions and as a statistician at ZIMSTAT. He sits on the Presidential Commission of Enquiry into the Conversion of Pensions and Insurance Policies from Z\$ to US\$ values. He is a Board Chairperson of the Poverty Reduction Forum Trust, a member of the Women's University in Africa Council, and a Convener of the Great Zimbabwe Scenarios Project. Godfrey is an immediate past Board member of the RBZ, the ZIMSTAT and the Open Society for Southern Africa. Apart from his work at LEDRIZ, he is currently working as an external consultant for the ILO assisting Governments in the region integrate employment objectives in their macroeconomic frameworks to facilitate job-rich growth. He has a BSc in Economics from the UZ, a Masters in Economics from the University of Kent, and a PhD in Development Studies from the University of Sussex.





































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