

Post- 7th NCST Council Meeting Symposium



Side Event



Thursday October 13, 2022



Serena Hotel, Kigali



Virtual via Webex & Youtube



Integrating STI across all sectors to stimulate Rwanda's economic growth:

Linking Research, Technology and Innovation for economic development to become high-income economy.

13th Oct 2022, Serena Hotel Kigali and virtually via webex & Youtube at 2.30-4:30 pm

Speakers:

The post- 7th NCST Council Meeting Symposium side-line event will provide evidence that supports research and innovation to stimulate economic development. The goal is to achieve high quality of life of Rwandan citizens and industrial growth, by addressing social, economic, and environmental challenges based on research and development (R&D) outcomes to inspire innovation.

Invited renown speakers shall provide their experiences on **Technologies in designing resilient built environments, and Innovation and development** highlighting how Rwanda like other African countries have powerful advantages based on abundance of resources (sun, land, and water) to power industrial development, and to provide an export platform. The revival of agriculture as a high-tech industry also offers new opportunities to leapfrog into green technologies.

Thus, Rwanda like many African countries should be allowed policy space to nurture their local firms.



“Technologies in designing resilient built environments in developing countries”

Dr. Jack Ngarambe

Kyung Hee University, South Korea



“Innovation and Development:”

Leapfrogging into a new ecofriendly techno economic paradigm for Rwanda and other African Developing Countries

Prof. Keun Lee

Professor of Economics, National University, South Korea, and was Vice Chair to H.E. The President (& Chair) of South Korea of National Economic Advisory Council.



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Speakers:

Venue:

**Serena Hotel
 Kigali**

**Dr Jack Ngarambe
 Kyung Hee University, South Korea**

**Distinguished Prof. Keun Lee
 Seoul Nat' University, South Korea**

	Time	Activity	Responsible
Thursday, 13th October 2022	02:00 –02:30 pm	Arrival at the venue	All participants and guests
	Presentation each, followed by Q&A		
	02:30 –02:40 pm	Welcome Statements	Dr. Eugene Mutimura Executive Secretary NCST
	02:40 –03:10 pm	Technology and Innovation for sustainable development: Role of novel technologies in designing resilient built environments in developing countries.	Dr. Jack Ngarambe, Kyung Hee University in South Korea
	03:10 –04:00pm	Innovation and development: Leapfrogging into a new ecofriendly technological paradigm for Rwanda and other African Developing Countries	Prof. Keun Lee, Seoul National University, South Korea (Vice Chair to H.E. The President of South Korea on National Economic Advisory Council)
	04:00-04:30 pm	Q&A Session	Moderator (TBD)
	04:40 –04:50 p.m.	Closing Remarks	Hon. Paula Ingabire, Minister of ICT and Innovation