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the Date



Ministry of Agriculture &  
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# Introducing the African Conference on Agricultural Technologies

30th October – 3rd November 2023 | Nairobi, Kenya

Save the date for a bold, new, and innovative conference on game-changing novel agricultural technologies, ideas, and policies that will move African agriculture forward.

The inaugural **African Conference on Agricultural Technologies (ACAT)** by the **Africa Agricultural Technology Foundation (AATF)**, will be held from **30th October to 3rd November 2023 in Nairobi, Kenya** on the theme **Agricultural Resilience through Innovation**.

ACAT will highlight the centrality of science, technology, and innovation (STI) in fostering agricultural transformation. It will be the principal forum for discussing agricultural technology transfer that catalyze more efficient, inclusive, resilient, and sustainable African agriculture. Innovation has been key in solving many of Africa's challenges; from mobile money payments to drought-tolerant seed, our path towards agricultural resilience therefore depends on innovation.

This first ACAT will highlight technological advances and successes in the development and deployment of innovative technologies to the continent's smallholder farmers and celebrate 20 years of AATF's innovation and impact in Africa's agriculture since its founding in 2003.

**Book your slot to join ACAT and participate in an exciting array of sessions including:**

- Live demonstrations showcasing scalable agricultural technologies.
- Awards to celebrate the continent's best innovators in agriculture.
- Sector-specific consultations with ministers, academia, business, ag researchers, and farmers.
- High-level sessions discussing the prerequisite enabling regulatory frameworks.
- Workshops to debate key issues in the agtech space including gene editing, one health, digitalization, mechanization and urban agriculture, among others.

Don't miss this landmark and revolutionary event!

## Why ACAT?

- Spotlight moment on STI trending scalable solutions
- Network and create a community of practitioners
- Cross-border/continent solutions, including south-south cooperation
- Shared learning on agricultural biotechnology
- Feed into continental and global policy processes
- Address biases to technology use and access, and link to policy decisions

## Program Focus

**Agricultural Resilience Through Innovation**

### Sub-themes

1. Unlocking Food security
2. Enabling Environment
3. Climate Smart Agriculture
4. Nutrition-Sensitive Agriculture
5. Food Systems Development

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