



**AFRICA** STARTUP  
CONNECT WEEK.  
HOSTED IN **BERLIN**.

20 – 24/11/2023

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**Make-IT  
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**VENUE: AHOY! Co-Working Space,  
Wattstraße 11, 13355 Berlin**



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	<b>Event Space 3rd Floor</b>	<b>Meeting Room: Santorini (50 PAX)</b>
<b>Wednesday, 22. November 2023</b>	Workshop in World Café Style; <b>by invitation only!</b> <b>Science-based Innovation Roundtable</b> Hosted by: Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT) & CoCreation Hub <b>10:00 AM - 11:20 AM</b>	
	Panel Discussion <b>Does Innovation Ecosystem Specialisation Make Sense?</b> Hosted by: Briter Bridges & MakeIT in Africa <b>11:30 AM - 12:30 PM</b>	Workshop; <b>by invitation only!</b> <b>Gender Lens Investing Roundtable</b> Hosted by: Female Founders <b>10:30 AM - 12:30 PM</b>
	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
	Panel Discussion <b>Empowering Women Entrepreneurs in Africa</b> Hosted by: GIZ Employment and Skills for Development in Africa (E4D) <b>2:00 PM - 3:50 PM</b>	Workshop <b>Pitch Workshop</b> Hosted by: GIZ Private Sector Cooperation & Karlsruhe Institute of Technology 3:00 PM - 5:30 PM <b>First come, first serve!</b>
	Panel Discussion <b>Enhancing Access to Finance and Skills for African SMEs together with the Diaspora</b> Hosted by: WIDU.africa - Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH <b>4:00 PM - 6:00 PM</b> <b>Please register on the website!</b>	

**VENUE: Mindspace  
Krausenstrasse**

Networking Event; **registration needed!**  
**Investor Mixer**  
 Hosted by: Westerwelle Foundation  
 (Krausenstraße 9, 10117 Berlin)  
**7:00 PM - 9:30 PM**

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<b>Thursday, 23. November 2023</b>	<b>Event Space 3rd Floor</b>	<b>Meeting Room: Santorini (50 PAX)</b>
	<p>Panel Discussion <b>Science-based Innovation: Roundtable Outcomes</b> Hosted by: CoCreation Hub &amp; Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT) 10:00 AM - 11:20 AM</p>	<p>Workshop <b>Green Hydrogen: Potential for Digital Startups in the Green Hydrogen Value Chain</b> Hosted by: Endeava 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM</p>
	<p>Workshop <b>Creating Positive Impact Through Entrepreneurship</b> Hosted by: Enactus Germany e.V. 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM</p>	<p>Design Sprint; by registration only (max. 20 participants) <b>Mini Lab of Tomorrow: Design your own sustainable business in emerging markets!</b> Hosted by: GIZ lab of tomorrow 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM To register, please send an email to <a href="mailto:make-it-in-africa@giz.de">make-it-in-africa@giz.de</a></p>
	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
	<p>Panel Discussion <b>Launch of CATAL1.5°T Initiative – the Global Platform to boost investment in promising early-stage climate ventures from the Global South</b> Hosted by: GIZ Make-IT in Africa &amp; Climate-KIC 2:00 PM - 3:15 PM</p>	<p>Panel Conversation <b>Building a Solid Bridge Between Africa's Tech Ecosystems and Berlin</b> Africa Berlin Tech Network by BlackInTech 2:00 PM - 3:20 PM</p>
	<p>Panel Discussion <b>How KfW Banken-Gruppe Champions Innovative African Companies</b> KfW &amp; DEG 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM</p>	<p>Presentation + Q&amp;A <b>Thinking about moving to Berlin? Entering the Berlin Ecosystem!</b> Hosted by: Westerwelle Foundation &amp; Berlin Partner 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM</p>

**CLOSING EVENT**

Networking Event; Registration needed!  
**It's a Wrap! Africa Startup Connect Week Closing Event**  
Hosted by: GIZ Make-IT in Africa  
Where: AHOY! Co-Working Space (Event Space 3rd Floor)  
**5:30 PM - 8:30 PM**