



NAPIANA
NATURAL PRODUCTS INDUSTRY ADVANCEMENT NETWORK AFRICA



NAPIANA-2022 SYMPOSIUM

SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE

MONDAY 17th JANUARY 2022

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TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE PERSONS	MODERATION CHAIR
08:30 - 9:00	Registration & Reception	Secretariate - Ms. Irene Achede	Dr. Collins Bulafu - Makerere University
9:00 - 9:10	Welcome Remarks	Assoc. Prof. Arthur Tugume - Head Department of Plant Sciences, Microbiology and Biotechnology, Makerere University	
9:10 - 9:20	Welcome Remarks	Professor J.Y.T Mugisha - Principal College of Natural Sciences, Makerere University	
9:20 - 9:30	Welcome Remarks	Professor Buyinza Mukadasi - Director Directorate of Research and Graduate Training, Makerere University	
9:30 - 9:40	Welcome Remarks	Professor Cheikh Mbow - Director Future Africa, University of Pretoria, South Africa	

9:40 - 9:50	Official Symposium Opening	Professor Umar Kakumba - Deputy Vice Chancellor Academic Affairs, Makerere University	
09:50 - 10:05	Keynote Speech	Dr. Alice Nabatanzi – Symposium Convener, Makerere University	
10:05 - 10:10		GROUP PHOTO	
10:10 -10:40		COFFEE BREAK AND EXHIBITION	
10:40 - 10:55	Natural Products - Innovations and Breakthroughs during COVID-19 in Uganda	Dr. Grace Nambatya, Director Research - Natural Chemotherapeutic Research Institute (NCRI), Ministry of Health, Uganda	Dr. Anthony Nsubuga - Makerere University
10:55 - 11:10	Regulations and Support to Natural Products Innovations in Uganda	Dr. Brian Sekayombya, National Drug Authority (NDA), Uganda	
11:10 - 11:30	Patenting	Dr. Marco De Canha and Prof. Namrita Lall, University of Pretoria, South Africa	
11:30 - 11:45	IKHS the Roots of Natural Products Value Chains	Professor John David Kabasa, Principal - College of Veterinary Medicine, Makerere University	
11:45 - 12:00	Natural Products in the Face of Climate Change	Professor Fredrick Jones Muyodi, College of Natural Sciences, Makerere University	
12:00 -12:20	Standardization of Natural Products in Africa	Mr. Collins Wafula (Coordinator Regional and International Standisation - Uganda National Bureau of Standards (UNBS)	
12:20 - 13:20	NAPIANA (Natural Products Industry Advancement Network) ESTABLISHMENT Launching the <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. NAPIANA Website 2. NAPIANA Online Directory 	Professor Umar Kakumba – Deputy Vice Chancellor Academic Affairs Prof. Cheikh Mbow - Director Future Africa, University of Pretoria Professor George Mondo Kagonyera – Chancellor Kabale University Professor Buyinza Mukadasi - Director Directorate of Research and Graduate Training, Makerere University Professor John David Kabasa – Principal COVAB, Makerere University Dr. Grace Nambatya – Director Natural Chemotherapeutic Research Institute Dr. Brian Sekayomba – National Drug Authority	

	3. Installing Acting NAPIANA Administration		
13:20 - 13:35	OFFICIAL SYMPOSIUM CLOSURE	PROF. CHEIHK MBOW, DIRECTOR FUTURE AFRICA	
13:35 - 14:30		LUNCH BREAK AND EXHIBITION SESSION	

