



Multinational Development Policy Dialogue – Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung

Invitation to the Adenauer Forum

The Multinational Development Policy Dialogue (MDPD) office of the Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung (KAS)

is pleased to invite you to the Adenauer Forum, a closed-door high-level dinner discussion with:

Tidjane Thiam

President of the *Parti Démocratique de Côte d'Ivoire – Rassemblement Démocratique Africain* (PDCI-RDA) and former CEO of Credit Suisse

Topic:

Reflections on the future of Africa-EU relations

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The year 2025 marks a significant milestone in Africa-Europe relations: It has been 25 years since the first formal political agreement between the African Union (AU) and the European Union (EU) at the inaugural AU-EU Summit held in Cairo in 2000. On 21st May 2025, Brussels will host the 3rd AU-EU Ministerial Meeting, a key moment to further enhance cooperation between Africa and Europe. At this Adenauer Forum, we will reflect on the current state and future direction of Africa-Europe relations ahead of the Ministerial Meeting.

Tuesday, 20th May 2025, 18:30 h

Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung, Avenue de l'Yser 11, 1040 Bruxelles

Guest by invitation only

Kindly confirm your attendance by the 16th May 2025.

We look forward to welcoming you!

Dr. Olaf Wientzek

Director, MDPD office of the Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung