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# WPSA Africa Poultry Leadership Conference 2026

## Organised by the African Poultry Network of the WPSA

**Date:** October 6th, 2026
**Location:** Kigali Convention Centre, Kigali, Rwanda
**Conference Room:** AD12
**Time:** 09.00-16.00
**Objective:** Exchange perspectives, explore key industry developments and connect with peers from around Africa and beyond.
**Goal:** Attract Industry Leaders from around Africa
**Number of Expected Participants:** 300+ delegates

***DRAFT PROGRAM***

**Plenary 1: General overview - Market outlook**
Conference Room: AD12

09.00 | Opening Remarks
By Natalie Taylor, Project Manager, VIV Africa
Peter van Horne, Secretary General of WPSA

09.05-09.35 | *Market Outlook Livestock in Africa*
By Nan-Dirk Mulder, Senior Global Specialist Animal Protein, Rabobank, Utrecht, The Netherlands

09.35-10.05 | *Sustainable Transformation of Africa's Poultry Industry: Trends, Prospects and Socio-Economic Contributions*
By Dr. E. Fallou Guèye, Senior Vice-President, World's Poultry Science Association (WPSA) & President, African Poultry Network of the WPSA (WPSA-APN), Dakar, Senegal

**Break-Out Room 1: Conference Theme: Shaping the sustainable transformation of Africa's poultry industry**
Conference Room: AD10

Moderator: Peter van Horne, Secretary General of WPSA

13.30-14.00 | *Climate Change Adaptation for the Sustainable Transformation of Africa's Poultry Industry*
By Dr. Kwaku Adomako, President, World's Poultry Science Association - Ghana Branch, Kumasi, Ghana

14.00-14.30 | *Advancing Sustainable Poultry Development in Sub-Saharan Africa: Challenges, Opportunities, and Regional Collaboration*
By Dr. François Djitie Kouatcho, Secretary General, World's Poultry Science Association (WPSA) - Cameroon Branch, Ngaoundéré, Cameroon

**Break-Out Room 3: World's Poultry Science Association - Rwanda Branch**
Conference Room: AD12

Moderator: Peter van Horne, Secretary General of WPSA

15.00-16.00 | *Forming a World's Poultry Science Association - Rwanda Branch: Membership Benefits* and Dues
By Dr. E. Fallou Guèye, Senior Vice-President, World's Poultry Science Association (WPSA) & President, African Poultry Network of the WPSA (WPSA-APN), Dakar, Senegal

16.00 - 16.15 | Closing Remarks
By Peter van Horne, Secretary General of WPSA

Every talk is 20 minutes + 10 minutes for questions and discussions