4th African UNESCO-UNEVOC TVET Summit:

Flexible Learning: from TVET policy to skills training practice

Wednesday, 26th May 2010, Lusaka, Zambia

Draft Programme

09:30 – 10:30  Welcome statement
Mr Muzano Simumba, Director of Vocational Education and Training, Ministry of Education, Zambia

Opening statement
Mr Saul Murimba, UNESCO Office in Harare

Overview
Ms Alison Mead Richardson, Education Specialist – Skills Development, Commonwealth of Learning (COL)

Keynote address: Employing the UNEVOC Network, e-Forum and online services to develop and improve TVET
Mr L. Efison Munjanganja, Officer in Charge, UNESCO-UNEVOC International Centre

10:30 – 11:00  Innovation and technology: from policy to practice
Mr George Herd, Commonwealth of Learning

11:00 – 11:30  Coffee break

11:30 – 12:30  Innovation, technology and flexible learning
Mr Nicholas Kimolo, Free/Libre and Open Source Software for Education in Africa (FLOSS4Edu), Nairobi, Kenya

ICT for TVET teachers professional development in Africa
Mr Temechegn Engida, Programme Officer, ICT Use in Education, UNESCO-IICBA

12:30 – 14:00  Lunch break

14:00 – 14:30  Flexible skills development initiative
Ms Alison Mead Richardson, Education Specialist – Skills Development, COL

14:30 – 15:45  Using ICT to improve quality and access in TVET: Group work
Ms Alison Mead Richardson and Mr George Herd, COL

15:45 – 16.15  Coffee break

16.15 – 16:45  Using ICT to improve quality and access in TVET: Group reports
Mr L. Efison Munjanganja, Officer in Charge, UNESCO-UNEVOC; Ms Alison Mead Richardson, Education Specialist – Skills Development, COL

16.45 – 17.00  Panel discussion and closing
Mr L. Efison Munjanganja, Officer in Charge, UNESCO-UNEVOC