

THEMATIC SESSIONS

DAY 01

27 MAY 2025

TIME	BANQUET 1	BANQUET 2	BANQUET 3	AG08	AG09	COMMITTEE ROOM 2	COMMITTEE ROOM 3	COMMITTEE ROOM 1
15:15 - 16:45	AMCOW Ministerial Session (CLOSED)	Environmental, social, and governance and sustainability for the private sector Wiggle Ventures	Fair water footprints ANEW	Special session: UN Water Conventions supporting a post-2025 Africa Water vision and Policy and AU Agenda 2063 UNECE	MINISTERIAL HOLDING ROOM	Accelerating Access to Safely Managed Sanitation through the Post 2025 Africa Water Vision and Policy Pan-African Association of Sanitation Actors	ACEWATER III Project: Partners building capacity and contributing to Africa Water Vision Post 2025 AUDA-NEPAD WCoEs	PROVISIONAL SESSION
16:45 - 17:00	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK
17:00 - 18:30	Special Session on the Blue Africa Transboundary Water Management Initiative (TEI) European Union	Heads of States Initiative - securing High-Level leadership for making WASH a national priority UNICEF	Transforming Africa's agri-food systems through the WEFEE Nexus: Climate-Resilient Water Solutions for the Africa We Want IWMi	A paradigm shift from sector-specific development to an integrated, inclusive approach AR	MINISTERIAL HOLDING ROOM	From Data to Action: upscaling investment for inclusive and resilient water and sanitation access through the AIP-PIDA water scorecard AUDA-NEPAD	Consultations on the AMCOW Strategic Operational Plan (SOP) - African Ministers' Council on Water	PROVISIONAL SESSION

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0900 - 10:30	Ministerial Dialogue - consultation Water Strategic Action Plan African Development Bank	Water and Sanitation Systems Leadership for Transformation in Africa IRC	New frontiers of transboundary water management on the African continent for development and growth World Bank	Consultations on the Policy Assessment Framework for Improved WASH Governance AMCOW	MINISTERIAL HOLDING ROOM	Pathways to Financing a Water Secure Future for everyone everywhere; Insights from Zambia, Tanzania and Malawi WaterAid Zambia	Women and girls at the centre ANEW	PROVISIONAL SESSION
10:30 - 11:00	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK	HEALTH BREAK
11:00 - 12:30	Regional CSO dialogue on water governance for water resources NGO WASH Forum	The evolution of SADC RBOs to drive joint planning and investment GWPSA	Building a resilient Africa starts with climate resilient WASH infrastructure-post 2025 Water for People	Transboundary water cooperation around shared water resources, particularly transboundary aquifers, for enhanced water security, sustainable development and livelihoods improvement MWDS	MINISTERIAL HOLDING ROOM	Groundwater management for water security and resilience in Africa Africa Groundwater Network	Sanitation and water security nexus: conceptual mapping and Stakeholder Dialogue DAI	PROVISIONAL SESSION
12:30 - 13:30	LUNCH BREAK	LUNCH BREAK	LUNCH BREAK	LUNCH BREAK	LUNCH BREAK	LUNCH BREAK	LUNCH BREAK	LUNCH
13:30 - 15:00	THEMATIC PLEANARY SESSION 1: Financing, investments and resource mobilisation	THEMATIC PLEANARY SESSION 2: Water supply, sanitation, hygiene, and wastewater	THEMATIC PLEANARY SESSION 3: Water infrastructure for economic production; climate resilience; and disaster risk reduction	MINISTERIAL HOLDING ROOM				
15:20 - 16:40	THEMATIC PLEANARY SESSION 4: Governance and institutions for managing and protecting water resources	THEMATIC PLEANARY SESSION 3: Information management and capacity development	THEMATIC PLEANARY SESSION 3: Gender and social inclusion					