



EVENT SCHEDULE

DAY 1 – Saturday, November 22, 2025

Start Time (WAT CST)	Duration	Session Type	Title & Details
12:00 PM (WAT) 5:00 AM (CST)	20 min	Opening Address	Welcome Address & Theme Setting Speaker: Dr. Amaka Ifeduba
12:20 PM (WAT) 5:20 AM (CST)	40 min	Panel 1	The Ascent Code – Building Future-Ready Leaders Moderator: Dr. Amaka Ifeduba Panelists: Michael Eromonsele, Tolu Ekwe
1:00 PM (WAT) 6:00 AM (CST)	40 min	Panel 2	EdTech, Innovation & the Future of Learning Moderator: Dr. Augusta Imomon Panelists: Margarida Romero, Iana Galai
1:40 PM (WAT) 6:40 AM (CST)	40 min	Panel 3	From Invisible to Irresistible: Personal & Business Branding Moderator: Dr. Amaka Ifeduba Panelists: Adaobi Oti, Zubedah Namugenyi
2:20 PM (WAT) 7:20 AM (CST)	40 min	Panel 4	The True Power of the Mind: Growth Mindsets that Move You Forward Moderator: Kimisha King Panelists: Dr. Josiah Nang-Bayi, MD Moktar

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3:00 PM (WAT) 8:00 AM (CST)	40 min	Panel 5	Health & Healthcare Systems – Breaking Barriers in Public Health Communication & Systems Leadership Moderator: Dr. Sumayya Panelists: Dr. Josiah, Dr. Ellen Sheris, Verena Achick-muyu
3:40 PM (WAT) 8:40 AM (CST)	20 min	Speaker Session	Discovering Your Unique Path: Purpose, Voice & Impact Speaker: Dr. Vicki Otaruyina
4:00 PM (WAT) 9:00 AM (CST)	10 min	Guest Welcome	Dr. Amaka Ifeduba
4:10 PM (WAT) 9:10 AM (CST)	20 min	Speaker Session	Science Communication & Public Speaking for Global Impact Speaker: Chinasa A. Ufondu
4:30 PM (WAT) 9:30 AM (CST)	40 min	Side Attraction	“Come to the Mic – A ScholarUP Speaking Contest” Anchor: Tolu Ekwe
5:20 PM (WAT) 10:20 AM (CST)	20 min	Special Guest	The Future Is Human: Skills AI Will Never Replace and Why They Matter More Than Ever Speaker: Dr. Constance Leyland
5:40 PM (WAT) 10:40 AM (CST)	40 min	Fireside Chat	Academic Brilliance: Pathways to Excellence & Future-Ready Learning Moderator: Moyosoreoluwa Agbojo Guest: Colin Boguski
6:20 PM (WAT) 11:20 AM (CST)	40 min	Fireside Chat	Agriculture as a Ladder: Youth, Climate & Food-Security Leadership Panelists: Dr. Foster, Emeka Christian Umunnakwe

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7:00 PM (WAT) 12:00 PM (CST)	20 min	Special Guest	Women, Power and Purpose: Redefining Leadership in a Changing World Speaker: Mrs. Olufunmilayo Adedibu (FCMB)
7:20 PM (WAT) 12:20 PM (CST)	20 min	Speaker Session	Parenting in the Modern Age – Intentional Family Design Speaker: Ibironke Semowo
7:40 PM (WAT) 12:40 PM (CST)	20 min	Closing Day 1	Summary & Highlights of Day 1 + Preview of Day 2 Closing by: Dr. Amaka Ifeduba

DAY 2 – Sunday, November 23, 2025

Start Time (WAT CST)	Duration	Session Type	Title & Details
4:00 PM (WAT) 9:00 AM (CST)	10 min	Opening Address	Welcome to Day 2 + Thank the Sponsors Speaker: Dr. Amaka Ifeduba
4:10 PM (WAT) 9:10 AM (CST)	20 min	Speaker Session	Real Estate Without Borders: How Anyone Can Build Wealth Through Property Speaker: Tolulope Oladipupo-Olawuyi
4:30 PM (WAT) 9:30 AM (CST)	40 min	Panel 7	From Talent to Impact: Preparing Leaders for a Tech-Driven Economy (Cybersecurity, Fintech & EdTech) Moderator: Dr. Augusta Imomon Panelists: Mohamed Hamdi Ouardi, Coach David Adeoye
5:10 PM (WAT)	50 min	Panel 8	Uncommon Transitions: Turning Purpose into Your Career Compass

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10:10 AM (CST)			Moderator: Dr. Amaka Ifeduba Panelists: Dr. Jonathan Shaver, Steve Mantle, Dr. Maureen Onyeziri
6:00 PM (WAT) 11:00 AM (CST)	40 min	Side Attraction	"Pitch Your Tech/AI Business" Contest Anchor: Dr. Amaka Ifeduba
6:40 PM (WAT) 11:40 AM (CST)	20 min	Keynote Speaker	Future-Proofing Your Career Through Innovation: Lessons from Two Decades at Microsoft Speaker: Dean Carignan
7:10 PM (WAT) 12:10 PM (CST)	40 min	Panel 9	Women Breaking Barriers: Reclaiming Brilliance & Leadership Moderator: Ellen Sheris Umoh Panelists: Sumayya A. Al-Mansur, Ibironke Semowo
7:50 PM (WAT) 12:50 PM (CST)	60 min	Awards Ceremony	Global Awards Ceremony – Honoring Global Leaders, Innovators & Changemakers
8:50 PM (WAT) 1:50 PM (CST)	10 min	Closing Address	Final Inspirational Address & Farewell Speaker: Dr. Amaka Ifeduba