

EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP & BOOTCAMP



AISCR PUBLIC PROCUREMENT & CONTRACT MANAGEMENT EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP FORUM

“From Compliance to Public Value”

*Empowering procurement leaders to drive innovation and deliver
public value beyond compliance*

Date: 27–29 May 2026

Venue: Djeuga Hotel Palace, Yaoundé

BACKGROUND AND RATIONALE

Public procurement is one of the most significant mechanisms through which governments translate public financial resources into infrastructure, public services, and economic development outcomes. Across many countries, public procurement accounts for 15–20% of GDP, making it one of the most powerful policy instruments available to governments. Historically, procurement systems have been designed primarily to ensure procedural compliance, financial accountability, and audit transparency. While these elements remain essential, global experience increasingly demonstrates that procurement systems must also deliver broader public value. Modern procurement leadership therefore requires a shift from a narrow compliance-based orientation toward strategic procurement governance capable of *delivering value for money, supplier innovation, infrastructure delivery efficiency, economic development, supply chain resilience, and institutional credibility*.

Governments today manage complex supply chains supporting national infrastructure, health systems, emergency response, digital transformation, and public service delivery. These challenges require procurement leaders who can integrate procurement, contract management, and supply chain strategy into a coherent governance system. The AISCR Public Procurement & Contract Management Executive Leadership Forum responds to this need by convening policymakers, procurement leaders, development partners, and practitioners to explore how procurement systems can move beyond compliance toward delivering measurable public value.

Purpose of the Leadership Forum

The forum aims to deliver the following strategic values:

- **Strengthening Procurement Leadership:** The event promotes procurement leadership that goes beyond compliance toward strategic governance and institutional performance.
- **Professional Capacity Development:** The executive bootcamp equips procurement professionals with modern tools and frameworks for procurement planning, supplier evaluation, and contract management.
- **Policy Dialogue and Reform:** The leadership dialogue provides a platform for discussing procurement reform, digital procurement, and institutional modernization.

Key Discussion Themes

The forum will address critical themes shaping the future of public procurement.

- Strategic procurement leadership and governance
- Contract management and supplier performance
- Innovation in public procurement systems
- Supply chain strategy in public institutions
- Digital procurement and e-government platforms
- Supplier development and strengthening local supply chains
- Procurement transparency and accountability
- Green Procurement
- Measuring public value in procurement systems



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Target Participants

The forum is designed for professionals involved in procurement governance and supply chain management. Participants include:

- Government procurement officers
- Procurement directors and contract managers
- Supply chain managers in public institutions
- Policy advisors involved in procurement reform
- Development organizations and multilateral institutions
- Private sector suppliers and contractors
- Consultants supporting public sector procurement
- Procurement and supply chain professionals
- Researchers and academics
- Chartered Accountants
- Professionals of the Legal Profession

Expected Outcomes

The forum aims to generate several key outcomes

- Strengthened understanding of strategic procurement governance
- Enhanced dialogue between policymakers and procurement professionals
- Improved capacity in procurement and contract management
- Identification of innovative procurement practices
- Greater awareness of procurement's role in delivering public value

Key Learning Objectives

Participants will develop capabilities to:

- Design strategic procurement plans aligned with institutional priorities
- Evaluate suppliers using structured scoring models
- Manage contracts and monitor supplier performance
- Identify and mitigate procurement risks
- Strengthen transparency and procurement governance
- Implement digital procurement systems (e-GP)
- Integrate procurement and supply chain strategy
- Audit procurement procedures
- Objective legal outcomes

Program Structure

The forum is structured as a three-day professional event combining strategic dialogue with practical training as follows

Day 1 – Leadership Forum: Strategic Dialogue and Policy Perspectives

Day 2 – Executive Bootcamp: Practical Skills and Strategic Tools

Day 3 – Advanced Procurement Systems: Digital Procurement and Institutional Reform



PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Day 1 - Leadership Forum: **Focus:** Strategic Dialogue and Policy Perspectives

Time	Activities	Responsible Person
08:00–09:00	Registration & Networking	AISCR Secretariat
	Opening Remarks by AISCR President	Prof. Marcus Ambe, President & CEO, AISCR
	Welcome Address by AISCR Board Chair	Hon. Minister Dagmawit Moges, AISCR Board Chair
	Welcome Address by University of Buea	Prof Eneke Tambe Bechem, Registrar, University of Buea, AISCR Board Member
09:30–10:00	Keynote Address Public Procurement as a Strategic Policy Instrument	Hon Talba Malla Ibrahim, Minister of Public Contracts, Cameroon
10:10–10:30	Presentation 1: Global Trends in Procurement Governance	Dr Albert Njamen, President, CASLOP
10:30–11:00	Morning Tea / Coffee	
11:00–11:30	Presentation 2: Public Procurement Reform and Institutional Capacity	Procurement Specialist, World Bank, Cameroon
11:30–12:00	Expert Presentation National Procurement Regulatory Framework	Mr. Joseph NGO, Director General Public Procurement Regulatory Agency (ARMP) Yaoundé, Cameroon
12:00–13:00	Lunch	
13:30–13:30	Presentation 3: Professionalization of Procurement in Africa	Procurement Specialist, African Development Bank
	Panel Discussion: Strengthening Procurement Systems for Development Outcomes & Public Value	Moderator: Dr Tumenta F. Kennedy, Founder & CEO of the African Business Information Bank (AfricanBIB) Speakers: Ministry of Finance, ARMP, World Bank, African Development Bank, Ministry of Public Works, Ministry of Public Contracts
15:00–15:30	Coffee Break	
15:30–16:00	Closing Session: Reflections and Key Insights	Mr Acho Godfred, AISCR Board Member, Founder & President, YIBS
16:00–17:30	Networking: Leadership Networking Reception	All Participants

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Day 2 – Executive Bootcamp: Focus: Practical Skills and Strategic Procurement Tools

Time	Activities	Responsible Person
08:00–09:00	Networking Morning Coffee	AISCR Secretariat
09:00–10:30	Module 1: Strategic Procurement Planning	Prof. Marcus Ambe, President of AISCR & Professor of Supply Chain Management, JSU
10:30–10:45	Morning Tea / Coffee	
10:45–12:15	Module 2: Tender Evaluation & Supplier Selection	Mr Berka Dzekem, President, Cameroon Association for Public Procurement Practitioners
12:15–13:15	Lunch Break	
13:15–14:30	Module 3: Contract Management & Supplier Performance	Mr Berka Dzekem, President, Cameroon Association for Public Procurement Practitioners
14:30–15:30	Module 4: Green Procurement in Cameroon	Mr Berka Dzekem, President, Cameroon Association for Public Procurement Practitioners
15:30–15:45	Afternoon Tea / Coffee Break	
15:45–17:00	Case Study Workshop: Procurement Decision Frameworks	Mr Berka Dzekem, President, Cameroon Association for Public Procurement Practitioners



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Day 3 – Advanced Procurement Systems: Focus: Digital Procurement and Institutional Reform

Time	Activities	Responsible Person
08:30–09:00	Morning Coffee	
09:00–10:30	Module 5: Digital Procurement Systems (e-Procurement / e-GP)	Procurement specialist COLEPS - Cameroon Online E-Procurement System
10:30–10:45	Morning Tea / Coffee	
10:45–12:15	Module 6: Supplier Development & Local Content	Dr Albert Njamen, President & Founder CASLOPE
12:15–13:15	Lunch	
13:15–14:15	Module 7: Procurement Integrity & Anti-Corruption	Dr Albert Njamen, President & Founder CASLOPE
14:15–15:15	Group Exercise: Procurement Reform Action Plans	Dr Albert Njamen, President & Founder CASLOPE
14:15–15:15	Closing Session: Key Takeaways & Institutional Commitments	Prof Sama Molem, Professor, University of Buea
15:45–16:00	Executive Certificate Award Ceremony & CPD Recognition	Mr Acho Godfred, AISCR Board Member, Founder & President, YIBS Prof Sama Molem, Professor, University of Buea



Meet Our Facilitators

Mr. Berka Dzekem is a distinguished public procurement expert, seasoned trainer, and thought leader with extensive experience in Cameroon's public contracting ecosystem. He currently serves as the President of the Cameroon Association for Public Procurement Practitioners, where he plays a pivotal role in advancing professionalism, transparency, and value-driven procurement practices nationwide.

He holds a First Degree in English Private Law from the University of Buea, a Postgraduate Diploma in Taxation from ENAM (Senior Tax Inspector), and three Master's degrees in Public Contracts, Public Finance, and Public Administration reflecting his strong multidisciplinary expertise in governance and public sector management

Mr. Berka also serves as President of the Special Tenders Board of the Agricultural Infrastructure and Value Chain Development Project (AIVDP) in Buea, where he oversees high-level procurement decisions and ensures compliance with both national and donor-funded procedures.

A respected academic, he is a part-time lecturer at ENAM, ISMP, and PSSFP, where he has supervised numerous Master's students and contributed to building the next generation of procurement professionals.

His expertise has been sought by key institutions including the Ministry of Finance, CONSUPE, and various development projects, where he has delivered high-level seminars and capacity-building sessions.

With over 50 published articles in public procurement, Mr. Berka is widely recognized for bridging theory and practice, ensuring procurement systems deliver tangible development outcomes and improved livelihoods for citizens.



Mr Berka Dzekem

President, Cameroon Association of Public Procurement Practitioners (CAPP)



Dr. Albert Njamen

President CILT Cameroon, President & Founder, CASLOPE, Supply chain & Procurement Expert Consultant

Dr. Albert Njamen Njanke is a distinguished authority in Supply Chain Management, Procurement, and Logistics, with over three decades of international experience driving transformation across public and private sector institutions. Renowned for his expertise in procurement systems strengthening, he has played a pivotal role in designing and implementing transparent, efficient, and accountable procurement frameworks, including engagements with global institutions such as the World Bank.

A leading voice in procurement integrity and governance, Dr. Njanke specializes in anti-corruption strategies, procurement reform action plans, and strategic sourcing. His work focuses on enhancing institutional capacity, promoting ethical procurement practices, and aligning procurement systems with global standards for public value and sustainable development.

As a trusted advisor and consultant, he has delivered high-impact capacity-building programs across Africa, equipping leaders and organizations with the tools to combat corruption risks, improve compliance, and drive procurement excellence.

Dr. Njanke currently serves as President and Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport (CILT Cameroon) and is the Honorary President and Founder of CASLOPE (Cameroon Association of Supply Chain Logistics and Procurement Experts). His contributions to the profession have earned him multiple recognitions, including the prestigious Supply Chain Excellence Award.

A highly sought-after keynote speaker and trainer, Dr. Njanke continues to influence policy, practice, and professional development in procurement and supply chain management through consultancy, research, and executive education.

Dr. Tumenta F. Kennedy is a distinguished expert in private sector development, SME strategy, and economic transformation across Africa. He is the Founder and CEO of the African Business Information Bank (AfricanBIBank) based in Germany, and serves as Commissioner of the African Diaspora Development Agency (ADDA).

With extensive experience in Central Africa's entrepreneurial ecosystem, Dr. Tumenta has played a pivotal role in designing and implementing innovative SME development strategies that promote growth, competitiveness, and economic empowerment. As a consultant to the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA) and several Central African governments, he has contributed to strengthening business environments and facilitating SME integration into the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA).

He is widely recognized for his "graduation model," a transformative approach that enables small and informal businesses to evolve into structured, export-ready enterprises. Through his leadership, AfricanBIBank has supported regional integration efforts and provided strategic guidance to member states on private sector development.

The AfricanBIB Social Business HUB, under his direction, has empowered over 3,000 businesses across the continent by delivering critical business development services, fostering innovation, and unlocking investment opportunities.

At the AISCR Public Procurement & Contract Management Executive Leadership Forum, Dr. Tumenta will serve as Moderator for the session on "Strengthening Procurement Systems for Development Outcomes & Public Value," where he will guide high-level discussions on leveraging procurement systems as strategic tools for inclusive growth, transparency, and sustainable development.



Dr. Tumenta F. Kennedy

Founder & CEO, AfricanBIBank
Commissioner, ADDA

ABOUT AISCR

The Advanced Institute for Supply Chain Research (AISCR) is an independent nonprofit institute dedicated to strengthening supply chain systems through applied research, workforce development, and strategic partnerships. Headquartered in Dallas, Texas, United States, with operations in Cameroon, AISCR works across Africa and globally with universities, governments, industry leaders, and development partners to advance research, professional education, and institutional capacity in supply chain management.

AISCR was originally established in 2019 at the University of South Africa (UNISA) as the African Institute for Supply Chain Research. As the organization expanded its international partnerships and scope, it adopted the name Advanced Institute for Supply Chain Research (AISCR) on March 2, 2026, reflecting its broader global mission. Through research-driven solutions, professional education, and multi-stakeholder collaboration, AISCR works to strengthen supply chain governance, build professional capacity, and promote transparent, efficient, and resilient supply chains that support economic growth and sustainable development across Africa and beyond. We bridge the gap between academic scholarship, industry practice, and public-sector decision-making, ensuring that knowledge leads to implementation, measurable results, and sustainable impact.

ABOUT UNIVERSITY OF BUEA (UB)

University of Buea is a leading public university located in Buea. Established in 1993, it is Cameroon's first Anglophone state university and operates within the Anglo-Saxon academic tradition.

The university offers undergraduate, postgraduate, and doctoral programs across disciplines including business, engineering, agriculture, health sciences, and social sciences. Through teaching, research, and international collaboration, the University of Buea contributes significantly to human capital development, research innovation, and national development in Cameroon and Central Africa.

ABOUT YAOUNDE INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS SCHOOL (YIBS)

YIBS is a top-ranking professional private university based in Yaoundé focused on career-oriented and globally relevant education in business and technology. YIBS offers Higher National Diploma (HND), Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech), and master's programs (MBA, MSc, and M-Tech), as well as executive and professional certificate programs.

The institution emphasizes practical learning, entrepreneurship, and industry engagement, preparing graduates to contribute to business development, innovation, and economic growth in Cameroon and beyond.

ABOUT CAMEROONIAN ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT PRACTITIONERS (CAPPP)

CAPPP is a professional body dedicated to uniting and advancing public procurement professionals across Cameroon. Officially recognized by the Ministry of Territorial Administration (MINAT) on 18 November 2024 and by the Ministry of External Relations (MINREX) on 2 June 2025, CAPPP serves as a platform for collaboration, capacity building, and professional excellence in the public procurement sector.

The association aims to bring together practitioners to foster the exchange of knowledge and best practices, promote high ethical standards, and strengthen the professional development of its members. It also represents and defends the interests of its members within the public procurement space.

CAPPP actively organizes training seminars on public contracts, builds strategic partnerships with like-minded organizations, and promotes solidarity and cooperation among its members, contributing to the improvement and transparency of public procurement practices in Cameroon.

ABOUT GLOBAL DOMINIUM SERVICES (GDS)

Global Dominion Services was established in March 2016 by a group of consultants, some of whom now have over 25 years of experience in the supply chain sector.

GDS aims to provide tailored services and supply chain management consulting to both businesses and individuals. This is achieved through seminars, training workshops, and coaching sessions customized to the needs of each client. Furthermore, this group of supply chain experts assists organizations in implementing their supply chains according to international standards. Total customer satisfaction remains at the heart of the company's focus.

To support recent graduates and professionals in their pursuit of knowledge, the company provides access to international certifications in Supply Chain, Transport, Logistics, and Procurement through its foreign partners:

- International Institute for Procurement and Market Research (IIPMR, USA)
- Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport (CILT, UK)
- All India Management Association (AIMA)
- World Bank
- Empower School of Health

ABOUT AFRICAN BUSINESS INFORMATION BANK (AFRICANBIB)

African Business Information Bank (AfricanBIB) is a strategic platform designed to close Africa's critical credibility and information gap connecting African entrepreneurs, businesses, and civil society with trusted partners, investors, and institutions across the globe.

At its core, AfricanBIB addresses one of the continent's most persistent barriers to growth: asymmetric and unreliable investment information. By transforming how business intelligence is generated, validated, and shared, AfricanBIB enables confident decision making, fosters trust, and unlocks scalable investment opportunities across Africa.

It achieves this by:

- Delivering credible, timely, and actionable investment intelligence
- Empowering SMMEs to become transparent and investor-ready
- Building entrepreneurial capacity across Africa
- Facilitating B2B and B2I (Business-to-Investor) connections



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Select Executive Bootcamp/ Retreat(s)

- AISCR Public Procurement & Contract Management Executive Leadership Forum
- Trade, Transport & Logistics Systems Leadership Bootcamp
- Supplier development & supply chain governance
- Strategic supplier chain leadership Bootcamp

Training Fees

	Non-Members	AISCR Members
EARLY BIRD <small>(21+ days before event)</small>	280.000 Fcfa	250.000 Fcfa
STANDARD <small>(21 to 5 days before event)</small>	300.000 Fcfa	280.000 Fcfa
LATE BIRD <small>(Less than 5 days before event)</small>	325.000 Fcfa	300.000 Fcfa

Registration Type

- Individual Registration Corporate Registration (3–5 participants) Corporate Group Registration (6+ participants)

Corporate / Group Registration Details (If Applicable)

Company Name: _____

Number of Participants: _____

Names of Participants (attach additional sheet if necessary):

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