

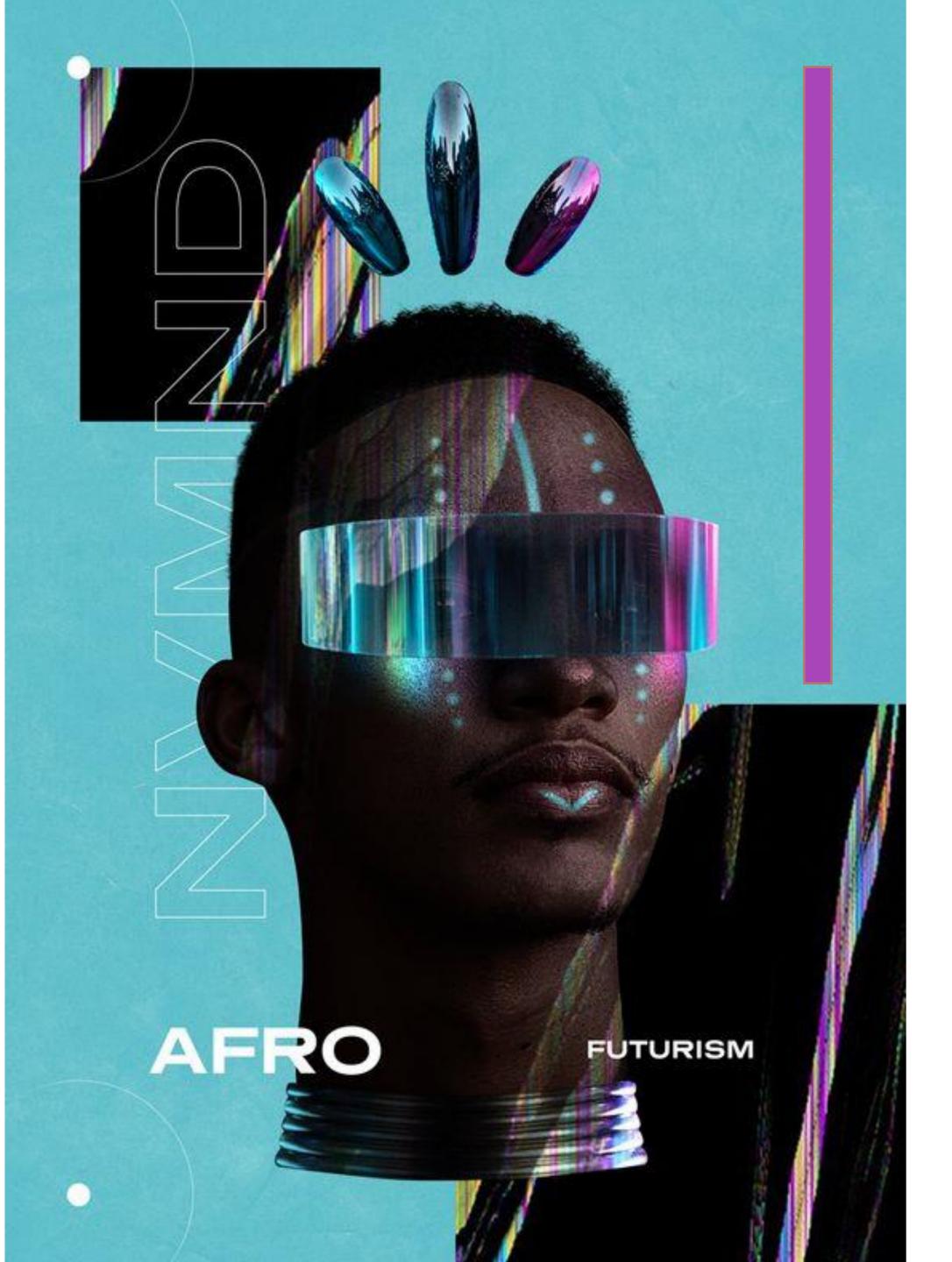
TOURISM AND TECHNOLOGY SUMMIT AFRICA

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CONCEPT NOTE







THEME

"BRIDGING BORDERS,
BREAKING BARRIERS:
TRANSFORMING TOURISM IN AFRICA
THROUGH TECHNOLOGY"



SUMMIT OVERVIEW

THE SUMMIT AIMS TO BRING
TOGETHER KEY STAKEHOLDERS
IN THE TOURISM AND
TECHNOLOGY SECTORS TO
EXPLORE INNOVATIVE WAYS OF
ENHANCING THE TOURISM
INDUSTRY IN AFRICA.







PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES

THE THEME, "BRIDGING BORDERS, **BREAKING BARRIERS:** TRANSFORMING TOURISM IN AFRICA THROUGH TECHNOLOGY," UNDERSCORES THE PIVOTAL ROLE THAT TECHNOLOGY CAN PLAY IN FOSTERING CROSS-BORDER COLLABORATIONS AND **OVERCOMING CHALLENGES IN** THE AREAS OF FINTECH AND AFFORDABLE TRAVEL IN AFRICA.



SUMMIT AGENDA

WE ARE WORKING TOWARDS PRESENTING THE BEST ARRAY OF STELLAR CAST IN DIVERSE **EXPERTISE AS KEYNOTE** SPEAKERS AND PANELISTS FROM THE FINANCIAL, AVIATION AND REALTY SECTORS GLOBALLY TO SHARE KNOWLEDGE AND HELP AFRICA NAVIGATE THE TRANSITION TO ITS DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION FOR THE TRAVEL, TOURISM AND HOSPITALITY INDUSTRIES.





PANEL DISCUSSIONS WOULD CENTRE AROUND.



1: DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION IN TOURISM

TOPICS: IMPACT OF DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES ON TOURISM, OPPORTUNITIES, AND CHALLENGES.

2: SMART DESTINATION MANAGEMENT

TOPICS: UTILIZING TECHNOLOGY FOR EFFICIENT DESTINATION MANAGEMENT.

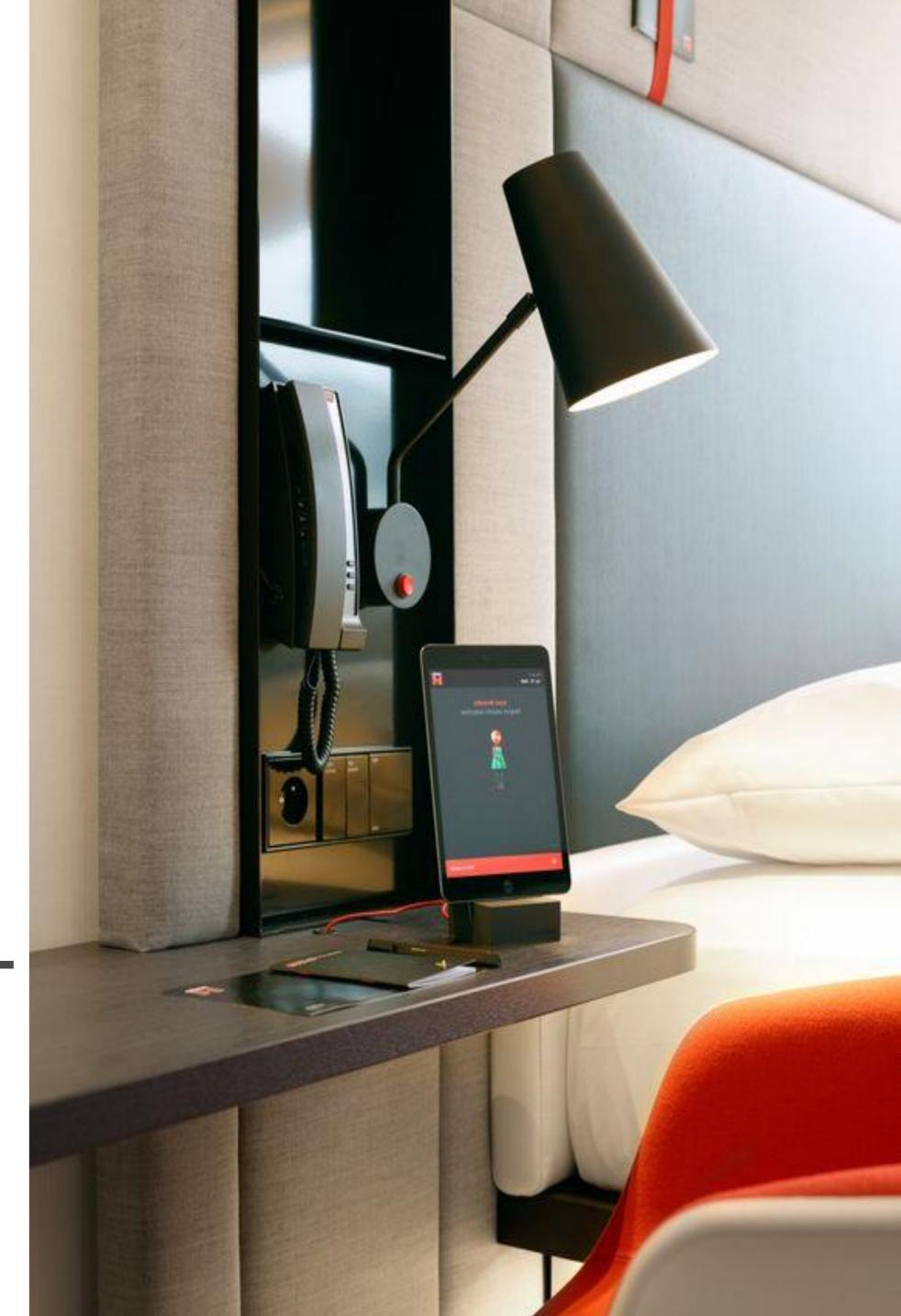


PANEL DISCUSSIONS WOULD CENTRE AROUND:

INFRASTRUCTURE
TOPICS: ASSESSMENT OF THE
TECHNOLOGICAL INFRASTRUCTURE
SUPPORTING CROSS-BORDER
TRANSACTIONS.

3: CROSS-BORDER PAYMENT

4: DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION IN AVIATION TOPICS: INTRODUCTION OF TECHNOLOGY-DRIVEN SOLUTIONS FOR COST REDUCTION.EXAMPLES OF SUCCESSFUL IMPLEMENTATIONS IN OTHER REGIONS.





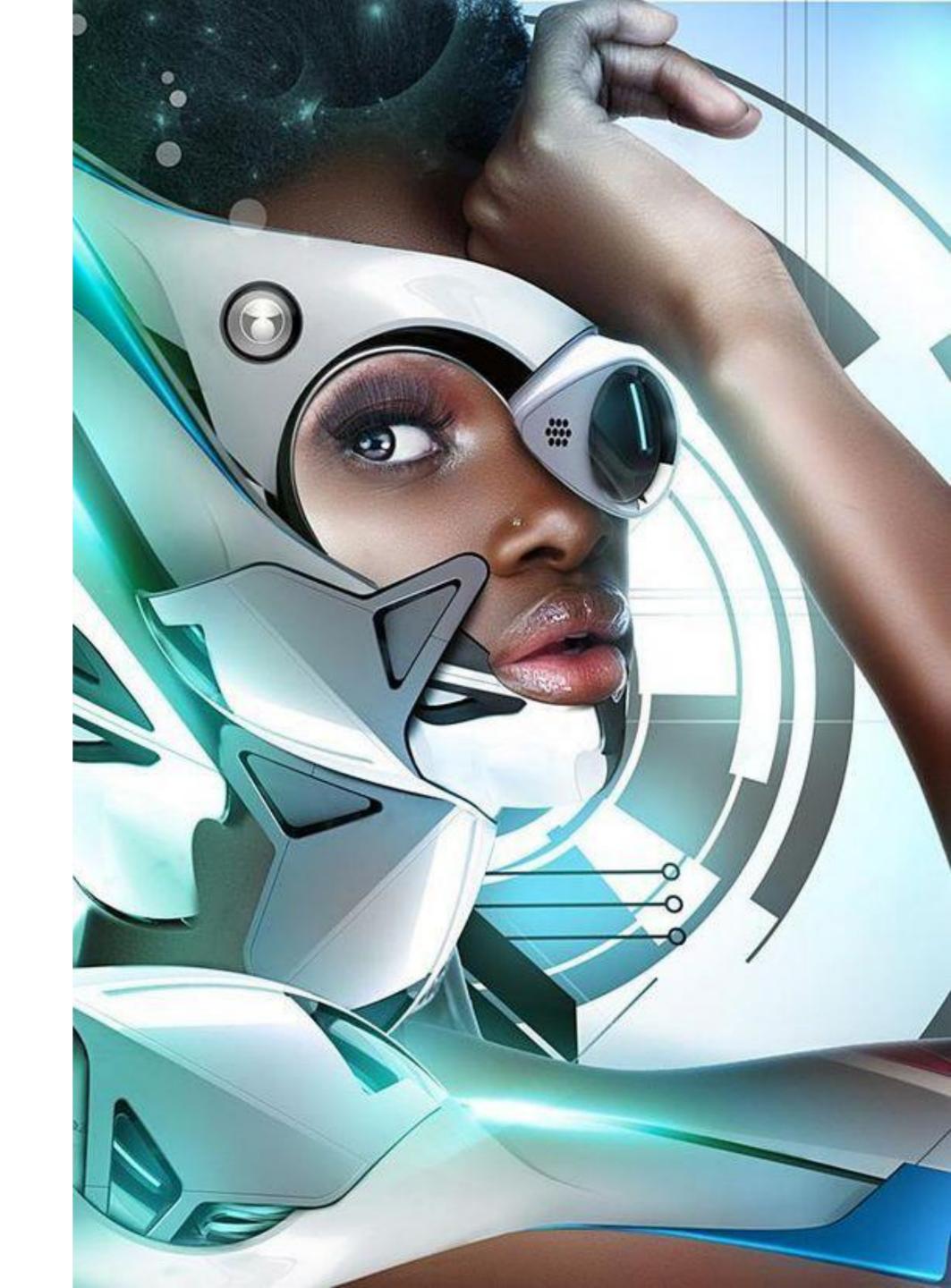


TECH SHOWCASE

EXHIBITORS AND SPONSORS ARE INVITED TO SHOWCASE THEIR TECHNOLOGICAL SOLUTIONS AND ENGAGE THE AUDIENCE WITH VISUALLY APPEALING PRODUCT SHOWREELS. ATTENDEES WOULD BE EXPECTED TO **EXPLORE THE TECH SHOWCASE DURING** BREAKS. THESE WOULD ALSO SERVE AS **NETWORKING SESSIONS AND** OPPORTUNITIES FOR PROFESSIONALS TO CONNECT AND COLLABORATE WITH INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS



THE TARGET AUDIENCE FOR THE TOURISM AND TECHNOLOGY SUMMIT AFRICA INCLUDE INDIVIDUALS AND PROFESSIONALS FROM VARIOUS SECTORS WITH A VESTED INTEREST IN THE INTERSECTION OF TOURISM AND TECHNOLOGY. HERE ARE SOME KEY GROUPS THAT ARE PART OF THE TARGET AUDIENCE:







1)TOURISM INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS:
THIS INCLUDES REPRESENTATIVES FROM
TRAVEL AGENCIES, TOUR OPERATORS,
HOTELS, AIRLINES, CRUISE LINES, AND
OTHER HOSPITALITY BUSINESSES. WHO
ARE INTERESTED IN LEVERAGING
TECHNOLOGY TO IMPROVE CUSTOMER
EXPERIENCE, OPTIMIZE OPERATIONS,
AND ENHANCE THEIR OFFERINGS.



2)TECHNOLOGY COMPANIES: REPRESENTATIVES FROM TECHNOLOGY COMPANIES THAT PROVIDE SOLUTIONS AND SERVICES FOR THE TOURISM INDUSTRY, SUCH AS ONLINE TRAVEL PLATFORMS, BOOKING SYSTEMS, TRAVEL TECH STARTUPS, VIRTUAL REALITY COMPANIES, AUGMENTED REALITY DEVELOPERS, ETC.







3)BANKS, FINTECHS, FINANCIAL SERVICES COMPANIES: WHO WOULD PROFFER SOLUTIONS TO ISSUES RELATED TO REMITTANCES, COSTS OF TRANSACTIONS, ASSESSMENT OF THE TECHNOLOGICAL INFRASTRUCTURE SUPPORTING CROSS-BORDER TRANSACTIONS.



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DEVELOP STRATEGIES FOR MODERNIZING PAYMENT SYSTEMS AND BANKING INFRASTRUCTURE THROUGH SUCH SOLUTIONS AS CARD PAYMENTS AND MONEY TRANSFERS.

ADDRESS CHALLENGES RELATED TO RESTRICTIONS ON CURRENCY CONVERTIBILITY AND ADVOCATE FOR MORE FLEXIBLE CURRENCY EXCHANGE POLICIES.







4)GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND TOURISM BOARDS: REPRESENTATIVES FROM LOCAL, REGIONAL, AND NATIONAL TOURISM BODIES WHO ARE INTERESTED IN UNDERSTANDING THE IMPACT OF TECHNOLOGY ON THE TOURISM SECTOR AND HOW TO PROMOTE SUSTAINABLE AND TECH-ENABLED TOURISM.



5) CLEAN/GREEN ENERGY COMPANIES: COMPANIES WITH TECHNOLOGIES FOR **ENERGY TRANSMISSION THAT CAN** FACILITATE THE INTEGRATION OF RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES SUCH AS SOLAR, WIND, AND HYDROELECTRIC POWER INTO THE TOURISM INFRASTRUCTURE. UTILIZING CLEAN ENERGY THAT WILL REDUCE THE CARBON FOOTPRINT OF TOURISM ACTIVITIES AND HELP PROMOTE ECO-FRIENDLY PRACTICES.







EXPECTED OUTCOMES:

1)INCREASED COLLABORATIONS
BETWEEN COMPANIES IN
FACILITATING PARTNERSHIPS ACROSS
BORDERS.

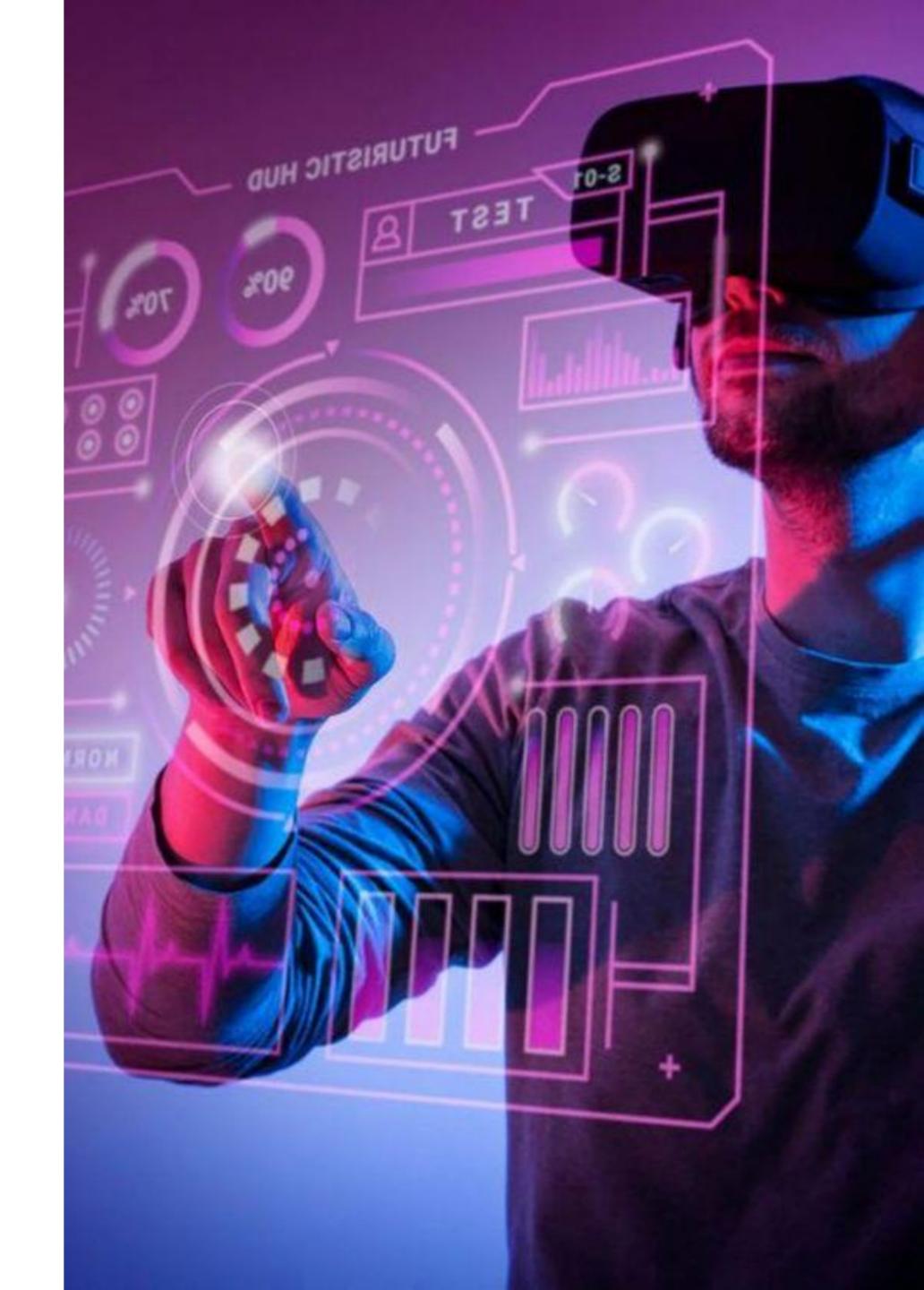
2)ENCOURAGEMENT AND ADOPTION OF INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGIES FOR TOURISM GROWTH ACROSS THE AFRICAN CONTINENT.

3)PROMOTION AND EXCHANGE OF IDEAS.KNOWLEDGE AND BEST PRACTICES AMONG PROFESSIONALS.



EXPECTED OUTCOMES:

- 4) DEVELOPMENT OF POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS FOR GOVERNMENTS TO SUPPORT THE TOURISM-TECH ECOSYSTEM.
- 5) CAPACITY BUILDING TO EQUIP PROFESSIONALS WITH THE NECESSARY SKILLS FOR THE FUTURE OF TOURISM.
 6) SPOTLIGHT ON THE ASTRONOMICAL COSTS OF TICKETS ACROSS AFRICA AND STEPS TO BEGIN ADDRESSING THE ISSUES



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S/NO	ITEM / DESCRIPTION	UNIT	COST	TOTAL
1	VENUE	1	N5,000,000	N5,000,000
2	LED SCREENS	2	N500,000	N1,000,000
3	PA SYSTEM/SOUND SYSTEM	2	N200,000	N400,000
4	PRESS CONFERENCE	1	N1,000,000	N1,000,000
5	CONFERENCE BAGS	500	N2500	N1,250,000
6	MASTER OF CEREMONY	1	N1,000,000	N1,000,000
7	TEA BREAK/LUNCH	500	N10,000	N5,000,000
8	EXHIBITION BOOTHS	10	N100,000	N1,000,000
9	BROCHURES	500	N3,000	N1,500,000
10	RED CARPET/STAGE	2	N1.200,000	N2,400,000
11	TRANSPORT/INTERNET	2	N850,000	N1,700,000
12	PRINTING/BACKDROPS/GRAPHICS	3	N1,200,000	N3,600,000





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