

ARTS & CRAFTS

SCIENCE & ENGINEERING

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AGRICULTURE & ENVIRONMENT

INVENTION & ENTREPRENEURSHIP



Maker Faire
AFRICA

Accra, Ghana
August 14-16



2009



FRIDAY 9-6

SATURDAY 10-6

SUNDAY 10-6



CELEBRATE WITH US! A ONE-OF-ITS
KIND EVENT ON THE CONTINENT.

TWO DAYS OF IDEAS, INVENTIONS AND
PEOPLE YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS!

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A Celebration of African Ingenuity and Invention

FRIDAY 9-6

- 9:00-10:00 Conference Registration
- 10:00-10:30 Welcome and Opening Remarks
- 10:30-10:50 Morning Keynote
- 11:00-12:10 Panel: Technology Transfer Partnerships
- 12:15-1:35 Keynote Lunch
- 2:00-3:15 Panel: African Innovation & Ingenuity
- 3:30-5:00 Panel: Funding & Getting Product to Market
- 5:15-6:00 African Music & Performance

SATURDAY 10-6 • SUNDAY 10-6

ARTS & CRAFTS

AT THE OUTDOOR ARTS CENTER

- » **MODELS.** Toys and real-life miniatures from scratch
- » **MIXED MEDIA.** Using everyday materials for decorative art
...and lots more for kids of all ages!

SCIENCE & ENGINEERING

EXHIBITIONS AND HANDS ON WORKSHOPS

- » **SOLAR.** Using the sun to power everyday devices
- » **PEDAL POWER.** Ingenious solutions using bike parts
- » **INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT DESIGN SUMMIT**
New inventions from the 3rd Annual IDDS at KNUST

ROBOTICS

AT THE ROBOLAB

- » **GADGETS.** Hacks for fun and function.
- » **ROBOTICS WORKSHOP.** Build a robot with Legos
- » **PANEL DISCUSSION.** Robotics in Africa

AGRICULTURE & ENVIRONMENT

MOTHER NATURE MAKED

- » **BIOFUEL FUTURE.** From plant to power
- » **HACKING LIFE.** New tools to improve productivity
...and more, including architecture and housing

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Maker Faire Africa

Organizing Team

- Henry Barnor
Founder, GhanaThink
- Emer Beamer
Co-founder, Butterflyworks
- Mark Grimes
Founder, NedSpace,
Co-founder, Better World
Media Network
- Erik Hersman
Founder Afrigadget
Co-founder, Ushahidi
- Emeka Okafor
Principal, Makeda Fund,
Director, TED Africa
- Nii Simmonds
Founder, Afrobotics
- Lars Hasselblad Torres
MIT IDEAS Global Challenge
Founder, MixedMedia



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