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THEME
ISCHOOL DAY FOR AFRICA

October 26th 2020

Starting
4.00 PM EAT, 2.00 PM GMT, 3.00 PM (Berlin), 9.00 AM USA EST, 10.00 PM (Korea)

Zoom link
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SPEAKER PROFILES

Professor Gobinda Chowdhury
Professor of Information Science, Department of Computer & Information Sciences, University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, and Chair of the global iSchools Organization.

Professor Sam Oh
Professor, Faculty of Library and Information Science, Sungkyunkwan University, Seoul, South Korea and Affiliate Professor at University of Washington (UW) iSchool. Past Chair and Special Ambassador of Global iSchools and a Current Chair of Dublin Core Metadata Initiative Governing Board.

Professor Michael Seadle
Executive Director, iSchools, Inc, Director, Humboldt-Elsevier Advanced Data and Text (HEADT) Centre, Professor, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin. Former Director, Berlin School of Library and Information Science and former Dean of Humanities.

Professor Javed Mostafa
Professor, School of Information and Library Science (SILS); Director of the Carolina Health Informatics Program and the Director of the Laboratory of Applied Informatics Research, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Professor Keith Marzullo
Professor and Dean of the University of Maryland, College of Information Studies (the iSchool), Member of the Advisory Board for the National Science Foundation Office of International Science and Engineering.

Professor Peter Bath
Professor of Health Informatics and Health Data Analytics, and former Head of Information School at the University of Sheffield.

PROGRAMME

4:00-4:05 pm - Opening remarks (Prof. Joseph Kiplang’at)
4.05-4.30 pm - Introducing Heads of African Schools (Prof. Justus Wamukoya)
4:30-4:40 pm - iSchool Chair’s Remarks (Professor Gobinda Chowdhury)
4:40-4:50 pm - iSchool Application (Professor Michael Seadle)
4:50-5:10 pm - Q and A
5:10-5:25 pm - Highlights of Health Informatics at UNC-Chapel Hill (Professor Javed Mostafa)
5:25-5:40 pm - Importance of an Undergraduate Program in Information Science - (Professor Keith Marzullo)
5:40-5:55 pm - Highlights of UK Sheffield iSchool (Professor Peter Bath)
5:55-6:10 pm - The iSchools and SKKU Model in Korea (Professor Sam Oh)
6:10-6:30 pm - Q and A