



21 <sup>st</sup> Sept	Day 2	Beurs van Berlage
08.00 - 09.00	<b>Arrival, Registration &amp; Refreshments</b>	
09.00 - 09.10	<b>Opening Remarks - Focus for the Final Day - Day Two</b>  <b>Ikenna Azuike, Master of Ceremonies</b>	Join us for the opening words of day two, as we reflect on the valuable insights gained from the previous day. This moment allows us to collectively absorb and internalize the learnings, discussions, and ideas exchanged. Drawing upon the knowledge acquired, we will set the focus for the final day of the conference.
09.10 - 09.30	<b>The Transformative Power of a Bicultural Community</b>  <b>Kemo Camara, CEO and Founder, Omek</b>  <b>Moderator: Ikenna Azuike, Master of Ceremonies</b>	In this session, Kemo Camara (CEO & Founder, Omek) and Ikenna Azuike (Owner, Jolof Rice Productions) zoom into the importance of building community-centric ecosystems dedicated to the social and professional advancement of the African diaspora. Emphasizing that professionals in these networks are essential contributors to the economy and culture.  In this value-packed session, you will learn: About the transformative power of bicultural identity How Biculturals are the future of the workforce The competitive advantage of having bicultural employees of African descent The need for equality, education, and respect when trying to build a modern company.
09.30 - 10.15	<b>Minority Businesses Matter - Stories from the Trenches</b>  <b>Kimberly Ofori, Entrepreneur, Ofori and Co.</b>  <b>Solange Domaye, CEO, Symfonio</b>  <b>Saleh Kerrani, CBO, Miljonbemanning</b>  <b>Surja Bose, Founder and CEO, Bosenet, ESDP Country Manager (Germany)</b>  <b>Moderator: Ikenna Azuike, Master of Ceremonies</b>	Embark on a journey of inspiration and resilience as we uncover the remarkable stories of European ethnic minority-owned businesses (EMBs). Join us in this enlightening session as EMBs take the stage to share their extraordinary experiences, valuable insights, and profound lessons learned along their entrepreneurial paths. Get ready to be inspired and motivated by their successes, challenges, and triumphs, as we celebrate diversity and innovation in the business landscape.



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10.15 - 10.30	<p><b>Disrupting the Norm: Rethinking Supplier Diversity</b></p> <p><b>Mayank Shah, CEO &amp; Founder, MSDUK</b></p> <p><b>Ikenna Azuike, Master of Ceremonies</b></p> <p>Main stage</p>	<p>Join Ikenna Azuike and Mayank Shah in this engaging session as they challenge the status quo of supplier diversity.</p> <p>Through thought-provoking discussions and interactive exercises, participants will explore innovative approaches and unconventional perspectives to drive meaningful change. Be prepared to question assumptions, break down barriers, and discover new ways to foster diverse and inclusive supply chains.</p>
10.30 - 10.50	<p><b>Unveiling Innovation: Meet the Category Winners</b></p> <p><b>Corporate Sponsors of The Innovation Challenge</b></p> <p>Main stage</p>	<p>Get ready for an exciting moment as the top three category winners of the INNOVATION CHALLENGE are announced!</p>
11.00 - 11.30	<p><b>COFFEE BREAK</b></p>	
11.30 - 12.10	<p><b>BREAKOUT SESSIONS 1: ESG-Driven Supplier Diversity: Advancing Inclusion and Sustainability on A Global Scale</b></p> <p><b>Lorenzo Bell, Global Lead Environmental Social Governance Services, EY</b></p> <p><b>Erika Boschitsch, ESG Project Manager, The Dow Chemical Company</b></p> <p><b>Alexandra Tarmo, Vice President Procurement, Kenvue</b></p> <p><b>Jing Liu, CEO &amp; Co-founder, BPC Instruments AB</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Cassandra Dorrington, CEO &amp; Founder, CAMSC</b> Administratie Zaal (1st floor)</p>	<p>Discover how ESG principles transform supplier diversity efforts on a global scale. Learn to integrate ESG goals into comprehensive strategies, driving positive social impact, environmental sustainability, and ethical governance. Gain practical insights, metrics, and collaboration tactics for a more inclusive, sustainable business landscape. Join us in advancing supplier diversity while upholding ESG commitments worldwide.</p>



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11.30 -12.10	<p><b>BREAKOUT SESSIONS 2:</b>  <b>The Power of a Shared Story: Cultivating Inclusion</b></p> <p><b>Rodney Frank, CEO, Vision in Motion</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Karolina Jagodzinska, Senior Manager, Innovation Hub, MSDUK</b>          Verwey Kramer (1st floor)</p>	<p>Join us for a compelling session delving into the transformative impact of a shared story. Discover the extraordinary journey of Doyle Mugeyo, a Burundian refugee who overcame immense tragedy during the '90s mass genocide. Witness Doyle's resilience as he navigated through 17 African countries, finding hope in South Africa. His tale, filled with heartbreak, humor, and shocking moments, demonstrates the profound connections that shared experiences can create, fostering inclusion and unity. Experience the inspiring force of storytelling, driving positive change and cultivating a more connected and compassionate world.</p>
11.30 -12.10	<p><b>BREAKOUT SESSIONS 3:</b>  <b>Room to Talk: Candid Conversations with established regional ESDP Country Managers</b></p> <p><b>Gary Baker, Country Manager, ESDP Sweden</b></p> <p><b>Majid El Jarroudi, Country Manager, ESDP France</b></p> <p><b>Ruben Brave, Country Manager, ESDP Netherlands</b></p> <p><b>Surja Bose, Country Manager, ESDP Germany</b></p> <p><b>Assumpta Munki, Country Manager, ESDP Germany</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Lushenta Naidoo, Managing Director, ESDP</b></p> <p>Mendes da Costa kamer (1st floor)</p>	<p>Join us for an insightful dialogue as we give the stage to the EU Supplier Diversity Project Country Managers who will be sharing unique lessons learned.</p> <p>Engage in this candid conversation and walk away with a clear understanding of the differing regional perspectives, lessons learned and path for the future.</p>



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11.30 -12.10	<p><b>BREAKOUT SESSIONS 4: Advocacy Network</b>  <b>spotlight: Collaborative approach to bring Supplier Diversity to centre stage in Europe</b></p> <p><b>Fabienne Stordiau, Board Member, EGLCC</b></p> <p><b>Mayank Shah, CEO &amp; Founder, MSDUK</b></p> <p><b>Jerome Flint, Regional Director, Europe and MENA, WEConnect International</b></p> <p><b>Andy Daly, Head of Corporate Partnerships at Social Enterprise UK / Telos</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Peter Zerp, Supplier Inclusion &amp; Diversity Manager, Accenture</b></p>	<p>Amidst the growing momentum for Supplier Diversity in Europe, the need for collaboration among advocacy networks has become increasingly vital. In this session, we shine a spotlight on the challenges faced by prominent networks such as WEConnect International, EGLCC, MSDUK, and Social Enterprise in their efforts to champion Supplier Diversity.</p> <p>Join us as we embark on a candid discussion, acknowledging the obstacles that hindered seamless collaboration in the past and exploring innovative solutions to pave the way forward. Together, we will uncover the potential for collective impact and unite our strengths to accelerate progress in bringing Supplier Diversity to the forefront of the business landscape in Europe.</p>
12.10 - 14.00	<p><b>EXHIBITION OPEN &amp; LUNCH SERVED IN EXHIBITION HALL</b></p>	<p>The exhibition will be opened where attendees can visit booths and learn more about the fantastic opportunities are offerings from both EMBs and corporates</p>
12.10 – 12.30	<p><b>How do you pitch yourself in no time at all? (Silent Seminar)</b></p> <p><b>Sheila Schenkel, Pitch and Speaker Coach, Best3Minutes Pitch Coaching</b></p>	<p>In a short and sharp 20-minute session you will get the tools to make your best introduction pitch, and practise this peer-to-peer</p>
	Grote zaal	



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12.35 – 12.45	<p><b>The power of empathy in transforming your business (Silent Seminar)</b></p> <p><b>Anita Abaisa, Director, IBias VR   Learning &amp; Development</b></p> <p>Grote zaal</p>	<p>Step into Anita's world as she guides you through her latest business metamorphosis and the importance of empathy, a captivating journey where she delved into the depths to unearth her true self and mold her business into her vision. In this riveting conversation, she'll shine a spotlight on the invaluable significance of customers who wholeheartedly believe in your mission. Get ready to be inspired and enlightened!</p>
12.50 – 13.00	<p><b>From top consultant to social entrepreneur Session (Silent Seminar)</b></p> <p><b>Juliane Kronen, Co-founder &amp; CEO, innatura gGmbH</b></p> <p>Grote zaal</p>	<p>Juliane had been a partner with a top strategy consulting firm when a former colleague offered her two truckloads of mislabelled shampoo as an in kind donation for charities she had worked with. She will describe her motivation and journey to start innatura as a platform to distribute brand-new consumer goods to charities, and share the challenges caused by implementing an innovation. Today, innatura delivers products to over 2,700 charities in Germany for a small handling fee. Her demand: Social innovations need the same support and funding as technical innovation to address our societies' important issues.</p>
14.15 -14.30	<p><b>EXHIBITION WILL BE OFFICIALLY CLOSING</b></p>	<p>The exhibition will officially close for ESDP Conference and Awards, 2023</p>
14.30 -14.40	<p><b>Welcome Back</b></p> <p><b>Ikenna Azuike, Master of Ceremonies</b></p> <p>Main stage</p>	<p>It's time to take a moment to reflect on the enriching experiences we've shared throughout the morning.</p> <p>Join us for this interactive pause, led by Ikenna Azuike, as we gather feedback from the day so far.</p> <p>What is in store for us for the rest of the Afternoon. Get ready, set, go.</p>





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14.40 - 15.10	<p><b>Allies in Progress: The Power of Collaboration Between Advocacy Networks</b></p> <p><b>Tobias Holfelt, Board Member, EGLCC</b></p> <p><b>Lushantha Naidoo, Managing Director, ESDP</b></p> <p><b>Jerome Flint, Regional Director Europe and MENA, WEConnect International</b></p> <p><b>Andy Daly, Head of Corporate Partnerships, Social Enterprise UK / Telos</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Ikenna Azuike, Master of Ceremonies</b></p> <p>Main stage</p>	<p>"In the ever-evolving landscape of social progress, the importance of collaboration and allyship between advocacy networks cannot be overstated. Join us in this insightful session as we explore how the strength of collective efforts drives meaningful change. Our panel of esteemed speakers, representing diverse advocacy networks, will share their experiences, challenges, and triumphs in forging alliances to advance common goals.</p> <p>Discover how building bridges between different advocacy groups creates a unified force that amplifies voices and influences policy-makers, industry leaders, and society at large. "</p>
15.10 - 15.30	<p><b>Empowering Change: Key insights from ESDP</b></p> <p><b>Mayank Shah, Founder &amp; CEO, MSDUK &amp; ESDP</b></p> <p><b>Lushantha Naidoo, Managing Director, ESDP</b></p> <p>Main stage</p>	<p>Don't miss CEO Mayank Shah's closing presentation, revealing the highly anticipated outcomes and achievements of ESDP over the last two years. Be among the first to witness the exciting announcement of our new EU entity and welcome on stage our Managing Director, Lushantha Naidoo, who will lead our efforts to accelerate supplier diversity efforts and promote inclusivity across Europe</p>
15.30 -15.40	<p><b>Vote of thanks</b></p> <p><b>Mayak Shah, CEO &amp; Founder, MSDUK &amp; ESDP</b></p> <p><b>Lushantha Naidoo, Managing Director, ESDP</b></p> <p><b>Ikenna Azuike, Master of Ceremonies</b></p> <p>Main stage</p>	<p>The conference comes to a close with a Vote of Thanks from Mayank Shah, CEO and Founder of MSDUK and Managing Director of ESDP, Lushantha Naidoo</p>