



INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON 60 YEARS OF WILDLIFE CONSERVATION IN AFRICA: SUCCESSES, CHALLENGES AND PROSPECTS



FINAL PROGRAM

20-21 November 2023

Day 1: Monday 20 November 2023

OPENING 09:00-10:00

Health Break 10:00-10:30

PLENARY SESSION I: MAJOR KINLOCH HALL (10:30-12:30)

Chair: John Salehe / Rapporteur: Dr. Emmanuel Martin

Keynote Presentations

Upscaling conservation and tourism achievements: Dr. Antony Lynam 10:30-11:00

Championing community-led conservation initiatives: Pastor Magingi 11:30-12:00

General Discussion 12:00-12:30

PARALLEL SESSION I

Sub-Theme 1: Achievements

GOMBE STREAM ROOM

Chair: Prof. Elvin Roskaff

Repertoire Dr. Julius Lasway

Combating illegal wildlife harvests and trade

Quadra
Kegembe

12:40-12:55

Sub-Theme 2: People

UDZUNGWA MOUNTAIN ROOM

Chair: Prof. Julius Nyahongo

Repertoire: Dr. Kwaslema Malle

Contribution of Land Use Change on the Distribution of the Wildlife Species in Semi-Arid Areas of Tanzania
Dr. Naza Emmanuel

Lunch Break 13:00-14:00

Fostering applied research for improved wildlife conservation	Prof. Francesco Rovero	14:00-14:15	Promoting enabling policy options for successful CBNRM initiatives	Dr. George Wambura
Reflections on African protected area management effectiveness	Dr. James Wakibara	14:20-14:35	Strengthening the participation of women and the youth in community-based wildlife conservation	Dr. Teresia Olemako
Leveraging collaborative management partnerships for the financing and management of protected areas	Jean Labuschagne	14:40-14:55	Mental health and wildlife conservation	Charles Etoru
Optimizing domestic tourism	Prof. Kokel Melubo	15:00-15:15	Conservation effectiveness of benefit sharing and the community perspectives	Juma Kegamba
Health Break 15:20-15:40				
Restoring Wildlife Corridor through an Agricultural Landscape	Dr. Trevor Jones	15:40-16:00	Promoting Human-Wildlife co-existence	Dr. Maurus Msuha
Success stories in the form of short audio or video from Mozambican students trained at College of African Wildlife Management.	Prof. Mohamed Abdul Suamade Harun	16:00-16:15	Human-Large carnivore co-existence	Dr. Franco Mbise
Inequalities in the production and dissemination of biodiversity conservation knowledge on Tanzania: A 50-year bibliometric analysis	Dr. Mathew Bukhi Mabele & Dr. Wilhelm Andrew Kiwango	16:20-16:35	Buzzing into the Future: Six decades of African Wildlife Conservation with special focus on Wild Pollinators Conservation	Dr. Julius Lasway
General Discussion 16:40-17:00				

PLENNARY SESSION II: MAJOR KINLOCH HALL (17:00-18:00)

General Discussion

Chair: Dr. Alex Lobora /Rapporteur: Dr. Baker Masuruli

Day 2: Tuesday 21 November 2023

PLENARY SESSION III: MAJOR KINLOCH HALL (09:00-10:30)

Keynote Presentations

Chair: George Wambura/Repertoire Teresia Ole Mako

Optimizing Mechanisms for financing wildlife: John Salehe 09:00-09:30

Preparedness for wildlife conservation and Tourism-related risks: Sirili Ako 09:30-10:00

Health Break 10:00-10:30

Strengthening the work of Custodians: Prof. Alexander Songorwa 10:30-11:00

General Discussion 11:00-11:30

PARRALEL SESSION II

**Sub-Theme 3: Financing
GOMBE STREAM ROOM**

Chair: Prof. Kokel Melubo

Rapporteur. Dr. Oliva Nyakunga

Seizing novel funding options to support wildlife conservation

Noel Mbise

11:15-11:30

**Sub-Themes 4/5: Risk Preparedness/Custodians
UDZUNGWA MOUNTAIN ROOM**

Chair: Dr. Julius Keyyu

Repertoire Dr. Gabriel Mayengo

Dry season hourly motorcycles movement patterns during the day in three villages adjacent to northwestern Serengeti ecosystem, Tanzania Prof. Julius Nyahongo

Promoting partnerships in wildlife conservation	Fadhili Njilima	11:35-11:50	First record of thermophilization in Africa, impact of climate change in wildlife conservation	Dr. Emmanuel Martin
Abundance, chicks' mortality and potential threats of secretary bird (<i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i>) in the Serengeti National Park	Dr. Federico Romani & Dr. Elena Ramella Levis	11:55-12:10	Strengthening risk preparedness in wildlife conservation	Masegeri Tumbuya
Funding of Research and Training in Africa	Prof. Elvin Roskaft	12:15-12:30	Seizing technology to enhance the work of Rangers	Bruce Jones
Adopting coping mechanisms for tourism-related risks	Masera Ghaka	12:35-12:50	Transformation of Policing and Anti-poaching: Fostering Sustainable Conservation	Robert Mande
Fencing for Conservation: Physiological and Demographic Responses to Barriers to Dispersal in an African Elephant Population.	Bradley Cain	12:55-13:15	Building Effective capacities for a Ranger	Wesley Gold
Lunch Break 13:20-14:20				
General Discussion 14:20-15:00				
PLENARY SESSION 4 (15:00-16:00)				
GENERAL DISCUSSION				
Chair: Prof. Alex Kisingo/Rapporteur: Dr. James Wakibara				
CLOSING SESSION 16:00-16:30				