الاتحاد الأفريقي



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

Addis Ababa, ETHIOPIA P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: +251-115- 517 700 Fax: +251-115- 517844 Website: www.au.int

# CANDIDATES FOR THE ELECTION OF COMMISSIONER FOR INFRASTRUCTURE AND ENERGY

## Mr. Amos MARAWA ZIMBABWE



**UNION AFRICAINE** 

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: www.au.int

### Senior Leadership Position Curriculum Vitae (CV)

Position: Commissioner Infrastructure and Energy (I&E)

Personal Information:	
Name:	Amos Marawa
Physical Address:	4 Kingfisher Close, Greystone Park, Harare, Zimbabwe
E-mail Address:	amarawa@hotmail.com
Phone Number:	+263712899705/+263772593099
Date of Birth (dd/mm/yy):	25/10/57
Nationality:	Zimbabwean
Citizenship:	Zimbabwean
Gender:	Male

**Vision Statement** (In not more than one thousand (1,000) words, outline how you intend to achieve the aspirations set out in Agenda 2063 and address the most pressing issues facing Africa and the Commission in this role)

I intend to use my qualifications, skills and vast knowledge and experience in regional integration and infrastructure development attained through working for COMESA and the Africa-EU Strategy to give support to and to contribute to the achievement of the 7 aspirations and 20 goals of the Agenda 2063. The goals are more transformational in nature as they relate to the citizens wellbeing i.e. high standards of living, education, health and nourishment, food security and nutrition, environmental sustainability and climate change, unity, economic and financial stability, human rights, good infrastructure and services, peace and security and respect for the African nation. Whilst the Aspirations of the Agenda 2063 are more developmental in nature and are:

- 1) A Prosperous Africa, based on Inclusive Growth and Sustainable Development;
- 2) An Integrated Continent Politically united and based on the ideals of Pan Africanism and the vision of African Renaissance
- 3) An Africa of Good Governance, Democracy, Respect for Human Rights, Justice and the Rule of Law
- 4) A Peaceful and Secure Africa
- 5) Africa with a Strong Cultural Identity Common Heritage, Values and Ethics



**UNION AFRICAINE** 

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: www.au.int

6) An Africa Whose Development is people driven, relying on the potential offered by African People, especially its Women and Youth, and caring for Children

7) An Africa as a Strong, United, Resilient and Influential Global Player and Partner.

Infrastructure and Energy development can be a key catalyst for the attainment of the Agenda 2063 Aspirations in general and in particular through the successful achievement of Aspiration 1. I intend to use my vast experience and knowledge to enhance the convening power of the AUC through the Infrastructure and Energy Department to engage and collaborate with Member States and regional and international institutions to come up with policies and programmes and promote and support the Agenda 2063 priorities. I will also vigorously engage the Development partners and regional and international cooperating for financial and technical support for continental programmes and priorities for Agenda 2063. This will also require enhancing cooperation and strengthening the relationship and cooperation with Regional Economic Communities in order to harmonise and rationalise the regional integration programmes.

At the AUC level I intend to collaborate and work with the other commissioners to ensure we come up with integrated planning and that will allow cross-sectoral joint programming and alignment and harmonisation of programme implementation and monitoring and evaluation.



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: www.au.int

Executive Profile: (In not more than three hundred (300) words, provide a summary and highlights of your relevant skills, experience, goals and accomplishments)

#### **Oualifications and skills**

- Master of Science: Airport Planning & Management and Bachelor of Science in Aeronautical Engineering
- Collaboration with and in-depth knowledge and hands on practical experience of the AU and its institutional setting and programmes e.g. Agenda 2063, PIDA, etc.
- Hands on experience with EC project implementation rules for external Aid and other Development partners in resource mobilisation.
- Excellent report writing and communications skills as Team Leader of the Support to EU-Africa
  Infrastructure Coordination programme and as Chief Editor for COMESA Policy Organs Meetings since 2003
  responsible for documentation and report writing and production. Experience with information
  dissemination and awareness campaigns, especially for the adoption and implementation of the PIDA
  programme.
- Excellent knowledge of project management tools acquired thanks to more than 30 years' professional experience in project cycle management and logical framework approach.
- Knowledge of European Commission policy and development orientations in the concerned sectors/areas as
  well as good understanding of the Joint Africa-EU Strategy/JAES through participation of the RECs in the Joint
  Africa EU Partnership Summits as well as the implementation of JAES Strategy pillar on trade and regional
  integration and in particular the development and strengthening of physical infrastructure networks and
  services.
- General Professional Experience
- Over 37 years of professional experience in project management and regional integration in general and infrastructure development in particular.

#### Specific Professional Experience

- September 2018 to Date: Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Transport and Infrastructural Development (MOTID), Harare, ZIMBABWE
- October 2015 September 2018 Team Leader, Support to EU-Africa Infrastructure Coordination under the 2014 – 2017 Joint Africa-EU Strategy
- Nov. 2011 May 2015: Director and Team Leader of the COMESA-EAC-SADC Tripartite Project Preparation and Implementation Unit
- July 2003 June 2010: Director Infrastructure Development, COMESA and Team Leader for "Transport and Communications Strategy/Priority Investment Plan for COMESA, EAC, IGAD and IOC regions

Membership in Professional Societies (List of professional bodies in which you are a member, specify position where applicable)

N/A



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Name of Institution	Address of institution (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website)	Qualification Received	Year Obtained
Loughborough University of Technology	Loughborough, Leicestershire, UK	Master of Science: Airport Planning & Management	1988
Military Academy,	Bucharest, Romania	Bachelor of Science: Aeronautical Engineering	1983
University of Timisoara, Romania	Timisoara, Romania	Certificate: University Entry Certificate	1980



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <a href="https://www.au.int">www.au.int</a>

Course Title	Certifying Body or Institution	Address of institution (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website)	Year Attended
Certificate: EDF Financial and Management Procedures and Programme Estimates	European Commission (Training seminars on EDF Procedures)	European Commission International Cooperation and Development Office address: DEVCO L41- 08/163 Telephone: +32 2 2960347	2008
Certificate: Dynamics of Successful Management	Success Motivation International, USA	N/A	2001
Certificate: International Air Transport Regulatory Policy	International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO),	International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) 999 Robert-Bourassa Boulevard, Montréal, Québec H3C 5H7, Canada Tel.: +1 514-954-821	1996
Certificate: Accident Investigation for Aircrew and Operations Executives	Cranfield College of Aeronautics, Cranfield, UK	Cranfield Campus, College Road, MK43 OAL, UK Tel: +441234750111	1993
Certificate: ICAO Familiarisation Course	ICAO, Montreal, Canada	International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) 999 Robert-Bourassa Boulevard, Montréal, Québec H3C 5H7, Canada Tel.: +1 514-954-821	1991
Certificate: Computer Programming, Modelling & Simulation	CACI, FAA, USA	E-mail: <u>icaohq@icao.int</u>	1990



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### UNIÃO AFRICANA

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <u>www.au.int</u>

**Work Experience** (Indicate your work experience beginning with most current or most previous one. Give a comprehensive work history and include/edit table accordingly to capture your work experience)

Name of Organisation /Employer: Ministry of Transport and Infrastructural Development

Address of Organisation/Employer ((Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):  16 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Kaguvi Building, Cnr. 4 <sup>th</sup> Street and Central Avenue, Box CY595, Causeway, Harare, Zimbabwe; +263242700109	
Position Held (Title of the role)	Permanent Secretary
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	09/2018 to Date
Number of People Supervised	8 Directors
Responsibilities	<ul> <li>Responsibilities: Head of Ministry and Accounting Officer responsible for:</li> <li>Provide Strategic and Policy Leadership and Implementation of Government Programmes, Policies, Laws and Regulations and development of physical and soft infrastructure projects and services including giving policy direction and monitoring performance of State Enterprises and Organisations under the Ministry</li> <li>Chief Advisor to Government on transport and infrastructure development matters;</li> <li>Government's representative in International Fora i.e. UN and UN Agencies, AU, RECs and AU Agencies as well as Bilateral and Multilateral cooperating and development partners on matters pertaining to regional integration and international cooperation on transport and infrastructure development.</li> <li>Lead the Governments resource mobilisation drive with technical cooperating and strategic bilateral and multilateral development partners for the financing of priority national and regional infrastructure projects and programmes</li> <li>Engages and collaborates with AUC and RECs to ensure national; plans, policies and programmes are aligned to the continental and regional programmes and priorities</li> <li>Provide leadership to the Directors and Heads of Units in the implementation of Government plans, policies and programmes in with the National Development Plans</li> </ul>
Achievements	Key Achievements: Rehabilitation and upgrading of critical transport infrastructure in Zimbabwe i.e. Road rehabilitation, upgrading and dualisation (Harare – Mutare, Harare – Bulawayo, Harare – Masvingo – Beit bridge, Rehabilitation of Cyclone Idai damaged road infrastructure in Manicaland, etc.), Rehabilitation and upgrading of the Harare RGM International Airport, Harare and Development of the Zimbabwe Transport Policy and strategy and the National Transport Master Plan.



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <a href="https://www.au.int">www.au.int</a>

Name of Organisation/	Employer: European Commission
Address of Organisation/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):  European Commission International Cooperation and Development Office address: DEVCO L41-08/163 Telephone: +32 2 2960347	
Position Held (Title of the role)	Team Leader, Support to EU-Africa Infrastructure Coordination under the 2014 – 2017 Joint Africa-EU Strategy (JAES)
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	10/2015 - 9/2018
Number of People Supervised	3
Responsibilities	Team Leader: Support to EU-Africa Infrastructure Coordination under the 2014–2017 Joint Africa-EU Strategy whose main objective is to contribute to the economic and social development of the African continent by improving access to integrated regional and continental infrastructure networks in the fields of energy, ICT, transport and water:  • Support to the identification and appraisal of infrastructure investment projects for financing under the Africa Infrastructure Investment Fund through the EDF and DCI PANAF instruments (blending mechanism)  • Support to the JAES Infrastructure Sector Strategy Paper processes of updating, consolidation, approval and dissemination  • Support to the organisation, functioning and operation of the Reference Group on Infrastructure: TOR & contacts  • Support to the organisation and facilitation of the annual meetings of the Reference Group on Infrastructure  • Promotion of cross-sectoral themes shared by more than one thematic partnership/sector (within nexus of energy, water, transport and ICT): identification, knowledge management, information sharing, development of strategic approach for support & activities  • Consultation with other relevant infrastructure support services (AUC/EU) to develop/follow-on a complementary approach to deliver the JAES infrastructure agenda  • Monitoring & Progress Reporting on the JAES Road Map 2014-2017 & PIDA implementation as regards the four infrastructure domains energy, transport, water and ICT: in relation to the specific JAES Road Map Priority No. 4 on "Sustainable and inclusive development and growth and continental integration"  • Support to wider information sharing: (i) Overview on AUC committees, infrastructure platforms, expert groups, fora & events of JAES relevance; (ii) Mapping of visibility channels  • Support to Reporting on Transport/ICT Topics  • Support to the Development and Implementation of the communication and publicity plan



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Achievements	Key Achievements: Successful identification and approval by the RGI of Priority African Investment projects for funding or funding under PANAF Instrument (i.e. Serenje – Mpika Road section of the Serenje – Nakonde road, NSC, Zambia; Zambia Tanzania Kenya Power Interconnector, Zambia Section; EGNOS, Second Niger Bridge, Multinational Algerie-Niger-Chad: Project de la Route TransSaharienne (RTS), Uganda (Nkenda) - DRC (Beni-Bunda-Butembo) Power Transmission Line, Multinational (Burundi/Zambia): Development of the Lake Tanganyika Transport Corridor), Successful hosting of the RGI 2016, 2017 and 2018, Successful convening of the following stake holder meetings: Meeting of the Civil Society on Digital for Development (D4D); 1st and 2nd Meeting of the Multi-Stakeholders on D4D and PIDA WEEK conferences for 2016, 2017 1nd 2018 and facilitated the conducting of the following studies: Study on Quality Infrastructure Investment and Delivery in the context of EU Africa Infrastructure cooperation: Principles, Concept and Assessment Framework; Study on Women in Digitalisation; and Study on Assessment of Readiness of the African stakeholders to implement the Single African Air Transport Market (SAATM) and Monitoring and Progress report on the Implementation of the JAES Road Map 2014-2017 and PIDA as well as the Abidjan Action Plan (AAP) of the 5th AU-EU Summit
Name of Organisation/I	
Address of Organisation	n/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):
424 100	n/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website): en Bella Road, Lusaka, Zambia
COMESA Secretariat, B  Position Held (Title of the	
COMESA Secretariat, B Position Held (Title of the role)  Duration (Start Date to	en Bella Road, Lusaka, Zambia  Director and Team Leader - Project Preparation and Implementation
COMESA Secretariat, B Position Held (Title of the role)  Duration (Start Date to End Date)  Number of People	en Bella Road, Lusaka, Zambia  Director and Team Leader - Project Preparation and Implementation Unit (PPIU), COMESA-EAC-SADC Tripartite
COMESA Secretariat, B Position Held (Title of the role)  Duration (Start Date to End Date)  Number of People	en Bella Road, Lusaka, Zambia  Director and Team Leader - Project Preparation and Implementation Unit (PPIU), COMESA-EAC-SADC Tripartite  11/2011 - 09/2015  2  Director and Team Leader of the Project Preparation and Implementation Unit of
424 100	Director and Team Leader - Project Preparation and Implementation Unit (PPIU), COMESA-EAC-SADC Tripartite  11/2011 - 09/2015  Director and Team Leader of the Project Preparation and Implementation Unit of the COMESA-EAC-SADC Tripartite:  Coordination and Facilitation of the Tripartite Task Force (TTF) and Infrastructure sub-committee to liaise with Ministers and Permanent Secretaries of Tripartite Member and Partner States to both brief them on the
Position Held (Title of the role)  Duration (Start Date to End Date)  Number of People Supervised	Director and Team Leader - Project Preparation and Implementation Unit (PPIU), COMESA-EAC-SADC Tripartite  11/2011 - 09/2015  Director and Team Leader of the Project Preparation and Implementation Unit of the COMESA-EAC-SADC Tripartite:  Coordination and Facilitation of the Tripartite Task Force (TTF) and Infrastructure sub-committee to liaise with Ministers and Permanent Secretaries of Tripartite Member and Partner States to both brief them on the activities of the PPIU as well as to discuss priorities and targets in infrastructure

الاتحاد الأفريقي



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <a href="https://www.au.int">www.au.int</a>

	<ul> <li>financing;</li> <li>Represented the Tripartite on the NEPAD – IPPF Oversight Committee cochaired by the AUC and hosted by the AfDB including the ICA AGMs and ICA—Africa stakeholders' meetings and successfully campaign for increased funding into project preparation and the packaging and implementation of PIDA projects in the ESA region in the four sectors of transport, energy ICT and water for example the project along the North South Corridor, etc.</li> <li>Providing oversight and direction for the harmonization and then implementation of the Regional Transport Master Plans, the Regional Energy Priority Investment Plans and the Energy Master Plans of the three RECs;</li> <li>Provide overall monitoring of the CNS/ATM systems project;</li> <li>Providing direction and oversight of the preparation of the Tripartite Infrastructure Master Plan and Database (TRIPDA) and GIS map;</li> <li>Organization and management of Road Shows to international, development and private sector finance institutions, assisting with the preparation of Tripartite investment conferences, and other activities aimed at securing project financing;</li> <li>Overseeing preparation of feasibility and environmental impact assessment studies, detailed engineering designs and tender documents and procurement procedures for infrastructure projects;</li> <li>Establishing and implementing a monitoring, evaluation, and reporting system satisfactory to the Tripartite Task Force.</li> <li>Preparing monthly progress reports to the Tripartite Task Force through the infrastructure sub-committee / Preparation of the PPIU annual work programme and budget as part of the Tripartite work programme and budget.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Key Achievements</li> <li>Led the successful completion of the EU funded detailed design and feasibility and environmental impact assessment study for the rehabilitation of the 600km Serenje – Nakonde road along the Dar es Salaam corridor in Zambia.</li> <li>Spearheaded the preparation of the Tripartite Priority Project Pipeline along the NSC and created the TRIPDA Data Base and GIS map of the entire Tripartite Master Plan. The TRIPDA database has been the basis for the development and is now integrated into NEPAD PIDA continental Data Base and e-GIS system showing the status of implementation of the PIDA PAP as well as REC specific</li> </ul>
Achievements	<ul> <li>priority projects.</li> <li>Led the tendering process for the environmental impact study and detailed design and preparation of tender documents for the rehabilitation of a road section in Malawi – Songwe – Karonga road.</li> <li>Successfully led the operationalization of Project Implementation Units (PIU) for two flagship Tripartite projects i.e. the PIU for the Zambia/Tanzania/Kenya in Lusaka Zambia and the PIU for the Communications, Navigation, Surveillance/Air Traffic management (CNS/ATM) systems project in Kigali Rwanda.</li> <li>Spearheaded the study on the operationalization of the Joint Competition Authority for the liberalisation of air transport services in the Tripartite region. Coordinated the implementation of trade and transport facilitation instruments along major corridors and at border post including implementation of one stop border posts e.g. at the Chirundu border post between Zambia and Zimbabwe</li> </ul>



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

الاتحاد الأفريقي

Name of Organisation/Employer: COMESA		
Address of Organisation/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website): COMESA Secretariat, Ben Bella Road, Lusaka, Zambia		
Position Held (Title of the role)	Director; Infrastructure Division	
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	01/2003 - 09.2010	
Number of People Supervised	5	
Responsibilities	<ul> <li>Set overall goals, targets, standards and measurement instruments and benchmarks for infrastructure and services development in line with the COMESA Infrastructure Development Master Plan</li> <li>Also, successfully represented COMESA on the Steering Committees of the other AUC continental projects and programmes and participated in the meetings of the Ministerial Committees on Transport, ICT, Infrastructure and Energy of the African Union as well as participating as a COMESA delegate at the AU Summits/Assemblies;</li> <li>Provided leadership in the design, formulation and implementation of policies, plans and programmes for regional infrastructure development</li> <li>Coordinated and collaborated in programme development, harmonisations and rationalisation with other AU RECs, AUDA-NEPAD (NPCA) and AfDB</li> <li>Initiate and coordinate infrastructure programs with Member States to ensure strategic coherence and overall synergy and alignment in the implementation of COMESA's regional infrastructure programme</li> <li>Coordinate and organize all Committee and Policy Organ meetings concerning infrastructure development</li> <li>Team Leader in the preparation of documents and organization for the COMESA Summit of Heads of State and Government,</li> <li>Represented COMESA on the AUC Specialised Committees/meetings on Infrastructure and Energy as well as on the PIDA Steering Committee</li> <li>Lead the engagement with Bilateral/Multi-Lateral Development and Cooperating partners for resource mobilisation for the financing of regional priority infrastructure projects and programmes</li> <li>Set annual programmes and performance targets for the Infrastructure Division and day to day management of the same as well as collaborate with other senior and executive management map out the COMESA's vision and policies and strategy for enhancing regional integration.</li> </ul>	
Achievements	<ul> <li>Key Achievements:</li> <li>July 2005 – June 2010: Team Leader of the programme: Transport and Communications Strategy/Priority Investment Plan (TCS/PIP) for COMESA EAC IGAD and IOC regions, funded by EU-EDF (July 2005 – June 2010).</li> </ul>	



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### UNIÃO AFRICANA

### الاتحاد الأقريقي

Addis Ababa, i	Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <u>www.au.int</u>
	<ul> <li>Team leader for the formulation, consensus building and adoption of COMESA Policies in ICT, Broadcasting, Postal Sector and Energy as well as the Regulations on the Liberalisation of Air Transport Services and Competition Regulations for the Implementation of the Yamoussoukro Decision on Air Transport Liberalisation within COMESA, EAC and SADC</li> <li>Team leader for COMESA Task Team that spearheaded the establishment of the COMESA.EAC.SADC Tripartite Framework and the formulation of the Joint Implementation Plan for Infrastructure Programmes including the design of the North South Corridor Pilot Aid for Trade Programme and the planning and development priority infrastructure projects along the corridor</li> <li>Team Leader of the planning and organization of the First Tripartite Summit of the COMESA-EAC-SADC Heads of State and Government as well as the NSC High Level Donors Conference.</li> <li>Team Leader of several COMESA priority regional infrastructure programmes and projects such as the corridor Diagnostic studies along the Central, Northern, Lamu and Djibouti Corridors, Shire Zambezi Waterways project, COMTEL project, Great Lakes Railways Feasibility Study, Detailed Design for the Rehabilitation of the Lukuga Dyke on Lake Tanganyika, Communications Navigation and Surveillance/ Air Traffic management Systems Project, development and establishment of the COMESA Priority Infrastructure Data Base, etc.</li> <li>Chairman of the Sub Saharan Transport Policy Programme REC – Transport Coordinating Committee (SSATP RCE-TCC) for two consecutive terms, member of the Steering Committee for the NEPAD MTLSF/PIPA and AICD Studies.</li> <li>Represented COMESA at international fora such as the United Nations (UN), International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO), International Telecommunications Union (ITU), Infrastructure Projects from Development Banks and cooperating/development partners and institutions such as DBSA, AfDB, WB, EU, USAID, USTDA, NEPAD IPPF, ICA as well as gaining expe</li></ul>
Name of Organisation/	Employer:
KUCHI Holdings	
Address of Organisatio	n/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):
9th Floor BARD House	, Samora Machel Avenue , Harare, Zimbabwe
Position Held (Title of the role)	Managing Director
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	01/2000 = 12.2002
Number of People Supervised	6



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Responsibilities	Responsibilities: held total responsibility for overall direction, policy implementation and company performance / Maintaining overall management, and technical oversight of the implementation of the annual programs by the management teams/ Develop Business Growth and Development Strategy / Business Plan and Annual Budget preparations / Ensuring proper implementation of policies and directives from the Board of directors and proper financial management, control and utilization of group finances and assets	
Achievements	Key Achievements: Increased the projects volume and revenue for the Construction Divisions of the Group / Led the purchase of two new aircraft to replace the old leased aircraft for Air Zambezi and introduced regional flights which increased the airline's market share both in the domestic and regional markets / Secured an International airline identification code for the airline (ZT) from ICAO and interline agreements with three major international airlines.	
Name of Organisation/	Employer: Ministry of Transport and Communication	
Address of Organisation	n/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):	
Position Held (Title of the role)	Director Of Civil Aviation	
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	01/1991 – 12/1999	
Number of People Supervised	13	
Responsibilities	Responsibilities: Chief Advisor to Government on Civil Aviation Matters and Government's representative on the International Civil Aviation Organisation relatives activities and programmes /Administration, regulation and control of civil aviation activities in Zimbabwe / Resource mobilization and coordination with development partners and financing institutions for civil aviation infrastructure projects / Management of the Department of Civil Aviation / Member of the Senior Management Team responsible for the development of Transport Infrastructure and services in Zimbabwe	
	Key Achievements: Concept development and implementation of the autonomous Civil Aviation Authority of Zimbabwe / Planning, Design and Construction supervision of the International Passenger Terminal Buildings for	



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

	Member and Deputy Chairman of Air Services Board which grants operating licence and permits to operators / Negotiating bilateral training programs for the DCAs personnel (e.g. Singapore, Netherlands, Australia, Canada, United Kingdom, USA and Sweden).
Name of Organisation/	Employer:
Loughborough University of	of Technology
Address of Organisation	n/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):
Loughborough University o	of Technology, Loughborough, Leicestershire, U.K.
Position Held (Title of the role)	Research Associate and Tutor
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	02/1988 - 12/1990
Number of People Supervised	5
Responsibilities	Responsibilities: Aviation Systems Planning in apron capacity demand models / Tutor to the Airport Planning and Management Graduate and Post Graduate
Achievements	Programs Key Achievements: Feasibility Study on the requirement of an additional Runway in the South East of England (London Area) / Level of Service Critic for three UK Airports (Manchester, East Midlands and Luton) / Study on the impact of the coming into being of the EEC on European Airports operations /Study on Apron stand allocation model for Dublin Airport / Guest Speaker at Airport Planning and Management Workshops organized for the industry Executives by Loughborough University
Name of Organisation/l	Employer:
Air Zimbabwe	
Address of Organisation	n/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):
Air Zimbabwe, Box AP1, Ha	rare RGM International Airport, Zimbabwe
Position Held (Title of the role)	Planning Engineer
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	01/1984 - 12/1987



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: www.au.int

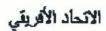
Number of People Supervised	3
Responsibilities	Responsibilities: Maintenance Planning for the Aircraft Engines, Power Plant, Propellers and Accessories for the airline's entire aircraft fleet
Achievements	. Key achievements: Successful maintenance planning for the airlines aircraft fleet and Introduction of a computerized monitoring and maintenance planning system.

Skills and Competencies (In not more than five hundred (500) words, demonstrate how your experience and qualifications match the skills and competences outlined in the role profile of the position you are applying for)

I possess relevant qualifications and have a strong professional experience in steering and overseeing the coordination of regional infrastructure development programmes and in particular in the overall cross-sectoral coordination of energy, water, transport and ICT programmes in Africa and EU in general and in particular in Eastern and Southern African region covering countries in the COMESA, EAC, SADC and IGAD that has enriched my leadership capabilities on management quality and effectiveness, technical, administrative and logistical coordination, communication, accountability and sound financial management and results oriented activities implementation.

Complementing my experience in overall coordination and implementation infrastructure development activities in the domains of energy, transport, water and ICT, is my practical understanding of projects and programmes funded by development partners. In addition to managing the *donor funded programmes under the Africa – EU Strategy*, I have also participated in a number of activities funded by AfDB and other African financial institutions. I have extensive experience at a senior level in positions that bridge infrastructure development strategy, policy and regulation and coordination practice through direct engagement and advocacy with the Governments of the Members States the ESA region, primarily through sustained work with Ministries of responsible for Infrastructure Development at national/regional level coordinating the Technical and Ministerial Infrastructure Committees Meetings including High –level Infrastructure Investments Conferences and Summits of Heads of State and Government. I have extensive experience in organizing and facilitating the technical and ministerial committee meetings and investment conferences and summits through administrative and logistical support as well processing the technical inputs and outputs of the meetings. I have developed a wide network and contacts in Ministries responsible for Infrastructure development Africa and EU in general and in particular in the Eastern and Southern Africa region as well as regional and sub-regional infrastructure related institutions such as AUDA-NEPAD (NPCA).

I have experience of working in the areas of coordination of continental and regional infrastructure development programmes and in particular in the overall cross-sectoral coordination of energy, water, transport and ICT at





#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### UNIÃO AFRICANA

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: www.au.int

cross-regional and African continental level. I participated in the implementation of continental infrastructure projects and programmes such as YD, SAATM, PIDA, Agenda 2063 jointly with AUC and other RECs which were financially supported by international cooperating and development partners such as the European Commission, World Bank, etc. My broad range of experience has given me a deep understanding of the infrastructure development challenges facing the African continent and in particular the poor, small and vulnerable countries in Africa.

I have developed a wide-ranging network of strong professional ties in a number of key regional and international which include European Commission, ACP Secretariat, AUC, RECs, and development partners.

In addition to contributing to a number publications, panel discussions and presenting as guest speaker at regional and international high – level investment conferences on infrastructure, I have developed a track record of honesty, goal-oriented dedication and positive attitude to work, team spirit that is coupled with ability to work and mix with people of different cultural backgrounds and interests.

Achievements/Accomplishments: (In not more than five hundred (500) words, indicate any other achievements besides those under work experience you would like to highlight)

I have reviewed technical articles on transport for the Chartered Institute of Transport, U.K from 1989-1991 in addition to being a Panellist and Presenter on air transport topics at various international air transport conferences from 1991 – 2000. I have also been a Judge for the COMESA Media Awards as well as the Zimbabwe Media Awards in the Transport and infrastructure Domain since 1992.

**Publications (if any):** (Provide list of publications you have authored or co-authored, provide links to access the publications if online)

- Airport Stand (Gate) Assignment Model, Loughborough University, 1991
- Co-operation in Aircraft Maintenance within SADC, World Bank, 1995
- Regional Co-operation and Airline Integration within SADC, World Bank; 1993

**Working Languages** (Indicate your speaking, reading and writing proficiency levels for the AU languages below. Examples of proficiency levels: Excellent, Good, Fair or Poor)

Working Languages	Speaking	Reading	Writing
Arabic	Poor	Poor	Poor



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <a href="https://www.au.int">www.au.int</a>

English	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	
French	Fair	Fair	Fair	
Portuguese	Poor	Poor	Poor	



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

+263 242 746 285

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

**Engineer Ben Mugabe** 

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: www.au.int

Referees (Indicate three persons as your referees with the details below. One referee should be a professional

referee and one be a personal/character referee) Position and Telephone **Email Address** Name Organisation Number **Dr Vincent Hungwe** Chairman, Public vincent.hungwe@gmail.com +263242253466 Service Commission, Zimbabwe Head of Unit C5, European Commission International Mr Paolo Ciccarelli paolo.ciccarelli@ec.europa.eu +32 2 2960347 Cooperation and Development

bmuqabe@gmail.com

Senior Partner,

Engineers

ProStruct Consulting

Certification	
I, the undersigned, o	ertify that this information correctly describes me, my qualifications and my
Name	Amos Marawa
Signature	-
Date	14/07/2020

### Mr. Cyrus NJIRU KENYA



UNION AFRICAINE

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <u>www.au.int</u>

### Senior Leadership Position Curriculum Vitae (CV) Template

**Position:** (Indicate the title of the position you are applying for)

Commissioner, Infrastructure and Energy (I & E)

Name:	Dr Cyrus Njiru
Physical Address:	Nairobi, Kenya
E-mail Address:	cyrus@drcyrusnjiru.com
Phone Number:	+254720484117
Date of Birth (dd/mm/yy):	04/04/58
Nationality:	Kenyan
Citizenship:	Kenyan
Gender:	Male

**Vision Statement** (In not more than one thousand (1,000) words, outline how you intend to achieve the aspirations set out in Agenda 2063 and address the most pressing issues facing Africa and the Commission in this role)

One of Africa's key challenges is poverty, despite the enormous resources available within the African continent. The contribution of the African continent to global trade and investment is dismal, yet trade and investment is the sustainable way to generate wealth and hence reduce poverty within the continent. There is considerable research evidence that infrastructure services facilitate industrialization, regional integration, trade and investment that in turn generates wealth.

With this in mind, the African Union has done a commendable job in identifying key areas of intervention that should be undertaken across the entire African continent by Member States, as envisioned in Agenda 2063. As a specialist in infrastructure, my vision is not only to promote infrastructure provision within the continent, but also lobby stakeholders in planning and developing infrastructure that seeks to connect people, enable business, improve livelihoods. For instance, with regard to development of a high - speed rail, and under my leadership as Permanent secretary in the



**UNION AFRICAINE** 

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <u>www.au.int</u>

ministry of Transport in Kenya, Kenya successfully commissioned development of the standard gauge rail to connect the strategically important port of Mombasa to the Kenyan capital (Nairobi) and onwards to Uganda and Rwandese capitals of Kampala and Kigali.

Furthermore, I was involved at the highest levels in conceiving the LAPPSSET project that has as its goal the vision of utilising high-speed rail network to transform the economically marginalised northern Kenya region and connect Kenya to its northern neighbours (Ethiopia and South Sudan).

These two projects highlight my conviction in Agenda 2063 that the African continent can be transformed through strategic Infrastructure and Energy projects.

As a highly qualified and experienced professional in the area of infrastructure, with high level experience in policy formulation, infrastructure development, finance and management, I am well placed to champion the projects and programmes on infrastructure and energy as stated in Agenda 2063.



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

### الاتحاد الأقريقي

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <u>www.au.int</u>

Executive Profile: (In not more than three hundred (300) words, provide a summary and highlights of your relevant skills, experience, goals and accomplishments)

I am a highly qualified and experienced infrastructure professional, with high level experience in both the public and private sector. I have also acquired senior level leadership in international organisations such as the African Development Bank. Having served the government of the republic of Kenya as Permanent Secretary in several ministries, I have demonstrated effective leadership at the highest levels in government. I have successfully delivered several infrastructure projects, especially in Kenya, while participating in regional projects. I have experience at the national, regional and international level, that I will bring to the role of Commissioner, Infrastructure and Energy at the AU.

Membership in Professional Societies (List of professional bodies in which you are a member, specify position where applicable)

- 1. Member, Institution of Civil Engineers (MICE), United Kingdom;
- 2. Fellow, Institution of Engineers of Kenya (FIEK); Kenya
- 3. Registered Professional Engineer (R.Eng), Engineers Registration Board of Kenya
- 4. Member, Institution of Engineers of Kenya (MIEK); Kenya
- 5. Member, Chartered Institute of Water & Environmental Managers (CIWEM), United Kingdom;

### Academic and Professional Qualifications (Indicate your academic and professional qualifications, beginning with the highest qualification)

Name of Institution	Address of institution (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website)	Qualification Received	Year Obtained
Loughborough University, United Kingdom	Epinal Way Loughborough Leicestershire LE11 3TU Phone: +44 (0)1509 222222 www.lboro.ac.uk	Doctor of Philosophy (PhD in Civil Engineering)	2002
Loughborough University, UK	Epinal Way Loughborough Leicestershire LE11 3TU Phone: +44 (0)1509 222222 www.lboro.ac.uk	Master of Business Administration (MBA)	2005
The University of Manchester,	Oxford Rd, Manchester M13 9PL, United Kingdom	Masters Degree in Management and Implementation of	1998



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <a href="https://www.au.int">www.au.int</a>

United Kingdom	+44 (0) 161 306 6000	Development Projects	
	https://www.manchester.ac.uk/		
IHE Institute for Water Education, The Netherlands	IHE Delft Institute for Water Education, Westvest 7, 2611 AX Delft The Netherlands <a href="http://www.un-ihe.org/">http://www.un-ihe.org/</a> +31 (0)152122921	Post Graduate Degree in Sanitary Engineering	1989
University of Nairobi, Kenya	PO Box 30197- 00100  Nairobi, Kenya  +254 20 4910000  https://www.uonbi.ac.ke/	Bachelor of Science Honours Degree in Civil Engineering	1983



**UNION AFRICAINE** 

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <u>www.au.int</u>

Other Relevant Training (Indicate other certified trainings/courses you have attended that are

Address of institution

Course Title	Certifying Body or Institution	(Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website)	Year Attended
Name of Organisatio			
Address of Organisa State House, Nairob		address, Telephone numl	pers and Website)
Position Held (Title of the role)	Permanent Secretary	, Ministry of Transport	
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	2009 to 2013		
Number of People Supervised	10,000 (Including sta Ministry of Transpor	ate agencies under the dire	ection of the



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Responsibilities	I was responsible to His Excellency the President of Kenya for executive leadership of the entire Ministry of Transport in the republic of Kenya		
	I led the planning and development of transport infrastructure covering railways, ports and airports with a number of projects already commissioned to provide the critical connectivity to enhance competitiveness of Kenya and the region.		
Achievements	I have demonstrated leadership in development and management of infrastructure services to facilitate industrialization, regional integration trade and investment that generates wealth as the sustainable way to eliminate poverty in Africa.		
	Of particular note, I led the planning and development of the Lamu Port - South Sudan – Ethiopia Transport and Economic Corridor (LAPSSET project that was launched on 2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2012 by His Excellency President Mwai Kibaki of Kenya, His Excellency President Silva Kiir of South Sudar and His Excellency Prime Minister (late) Meles Zenawi of Ethiopia.		
Name of Organisatio  Address of Organisa	n/Employer: tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):		
Address of Organisat	tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):  Permanent Secretary, Office of Deputy Prime Minister and		
Address of Organisate Position Held (Title of the role) Duration (Start Date	tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):  Permanent Secretary, Office of Deputy Prime Minister and Ministry of Trade		
Address of Organisate  Position Held (Title of the role)  Duration (Start Date to End Date)  Number of People	Permanent Secretary, Office of Deputy Prime Minister and Ministry of Trade  April 2008 to September 2009  About 1,000 (Including state agencies under the direction of the		



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

	integration policies that were agreed upon by the Council of Ministers, and subsequently ratified by the heads of states and governments of the countries comprising COMESA, EAC & SAD		
Name of Organisatio	n/Employer:		
African Developmen	t Bank (AfDB)		
Address of Organisat	tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):		
African Developmen Avenue Joseph Anoma o1 BP 1387 Abidjan 01 Côte d'Ivoire	t Bank Group		
Phone (Standard): +225	; 2026 3900		
https://www.afdb.org/e	$\mathbf{n}$		
Position Held (Title of the role)	Principal Infrastructure Specialist, African development Bank, Tunis, Tunisia.		
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	2005 to 2008		
Number of People Supervised			
Responsibilities	Responsible for planning, development and management of infrastructure projects in Africa		
Achievements	Successful development & management of various infrastructure projects, at various stages of implementation in African countries		
Name of Organisatio	on/Employer:		
Loughborough Unive	ersity, United Kingdom		
Address of Organisa	tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):		
Position Held (Title of the role)	Research & Consultancy Manager		
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	1999 to 2005		



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Management of Research and Consultancy projects in the area of infrastructure development & management in low - and middle - income countries.		
I successfully led several research and consultancy projects, attracting large amounts of research funds. I published research results in several papers in both professional and academic peer reviewed journals. I successfully supervised several PhD students who completed their research work and obtained their PhDs.		
on/Employer:		
servation & Pipeline Corporation, Kenya		
tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):		
Chief Development Services Manager		
1995 to 1999		
200		
Responsible for Development Services Department of a national		
organisation that was responsible for overall project management of a large portfolio of water supply and sanitation projects in Kenya.		
management of a large portfolio of water supply and sanitation		
management of a large portfolio of water supply and sanitation projects in Kenya.  Successful development and management of several projects.		
management of a large portfolio of water supply and sanitation projects in Kenya.  Successful development and management of several projects.  Completion of several projects within the project time and budge		
management of a large portfolio of water supply and sanitation projects in Kenya.  Successful development and management of several projects.  Completion of several projects within the project time and budgeton/Employer:		



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأقريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <a href="https://www.au.int">www.au.int</a>

Duration (Start Date to End Date)	1991 to 1995		
Number of People Supervised	300		
Responsibilities	Management of several water and sanitation projects in the coastal region		
Achievements	Successful management of infrastructure projects		
Address of Organisa	ing Organisations, undertaking projects on behalf of Governments tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):  Project Manager, Senior Resident Engineer, and Resident		
Address of Organisa Position Held (Title of the role) Duration (Start Date	tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):  Project Manager, Senior Resident Engineer, and Resident		
Address of Organisate Address of Organisate Position Held (Title of	tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):  Project Manager, Senior Resident Engineer, and Resident Engineer in a number of infrastructure projects in Kenya.		
Address of Organisate  Position Held (Title of the role)  Duration (Start Date to End Date)  Number of People	tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):  Project Manager, Senior Resident Engineer, and Resident Engineer in a number of infrastructure projects in Kenya.  1983 to 1991		



#### UNION AFRICAINE

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <u>www.au.int</u>

**Skills and Competencies** (In not more than five hundred (500) words, demonstrate how your experience and qualifications match the skills and competences outlined in the role profile of the position you are applying for)

As a highly qualified and experienced infrastructure professional, with high level experience in policy formulation, infrastructure development, finance and management, I am uniquely suited for the role of Commissioner, Infrastructure and Energy at the African Union.

The extensive experience striding across both project/programme level management and executive senior public sector management that I have been fortunate to acquire, will enable me to drive the implementation of Infrastructure and Energy policies, programs and strategies in line with the aspirations of Agenda 2063.

I have the capacity to effectively engage at all levels with Member States in order to pursue the Commissions work to promote domestication of AU Agenda 2063 at the national level by Member States.

My experience of working at the African Development Bank's headquarters, and working closely with regional economic institutions/communities will be useful in my role as leader of the Infrastructure and Energy portfolio at the Commission.

My recent role as Permanent Secretary in the Government of the Republic of Kenya has equipped me with top level government experience and skills that I will bring to the role of Commissioner at the AU.

Achievements/Accomplishments: (In not more than five hundred (500) words, indicate any other achievements besides those under work experience you would like to highlight)

In my capacity as Chairman, Development Committee within the Anglican diocese of Embu, I have led development of several church projects as part of my personal social responsibility in my home county of Embu in Kenya. I derive satisfaction when I serve the community, utilising my skills as an expert in the field of infrastructure.

**Publications (if any):** (Provide list of publications you have authored or co-authored, provide links to access the publications if online)

Financing Infrastructure projects – Asia law and Practice (with Dr Tony Merna)

Title Financing Infrastructure Projects

Construction management series

Authors A. Merna, Tony Merna, Cyrus Njiru



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأقريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: www.au.int

Publisher Thomas Telford, 2002

ISBN

0727737775, 9780727737779

Length

296 pages

 $\frac{https://books.google.co.ke/books/about/Financing\ Infrastructure\ Projects.html?id=8A2nAQAACAAJ\& redir\ esc=y$ 

**Working Languages** (Indicate your speaking, reading and writing proficiency levels for the AU languages below. Examples of proficiency levels: Excellent, Good, Fair or Poor)

<b>Working Languages</b>	Speaking	Reading	Writing
Arabic			
English	Speaking - Excellent	Reading - Excellent	Writing - Excellent
French			
Portuguese			



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

Name	Position and Organisation	Email Address	Telephone Number
Amb. Francis K. Muthaura	Former Head of Civil service, Republic of Kenya. Chairman, Kenya Revenue Authority		+254733839097
Eng. Josphat K. Njagi	Managing Partner, PrimeConsult (Consulting Engineers)		+254722259464

I, the undersigned, o	certify that this information correctly describes me, my qualifications and my
experience.	
Name	Dr (Eng.) Cyrus Njiru
Signature	
Date	20th August 2020

## Mrs. Amani ABOU-ZEID EGYPT



UNION AFRICAINE

UNIÃO AFRICANA

الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: www.au.int

### Senior Leadership Position Curriculum Vitae (CV) **Template**

osition: (Indicate the title of the position you are applying for)

Commissioner Infrastructure and Energy

Name:	Amani Abou-Zeid	
Physical Address:	102 B Nile Street , Dokki, Giza 12311, Egypt	
E-mail Address:	Amani_abouzeid@icloud.com	
Phone Number:	+201223176517	
Date of Birth (dd/mm/yy):	24/04/1961	
Nationality:	Egyptian	
Citizenship:	Egyptian	
Gender:	Female	

chieve the aspirations set out in Agendu 2063 and address the most pressing issues facing A

- My vision is to turn the COVID-19 crisis into an unprecedented opportunity for our Continent to leapfrog and "Build Better, Smarter and More Resilient Africa"

Energy and Transport sectors, must include the implementation of innovative strategies to address the current economic challenges, embracing technology and the move to digitalisation. The consequences of Africa's response to COVID-19 are likely to give rise to compelling opportunities. The immediate imperative is to kick-start inclusive economic growth by restoring confidence, attracting investment, and implementing infrastructure projects which will lead to near-term employment gains, and which then support inclusive growth, resilience and recovery over the medium and longterms.

Infrastructure As Catalyst For Quality Growth, Integration & Resilience Our Continent's post-COVID19 recovery hinges upon robust re-imagined Infrastructure plans marked by key-drivers, namely (i) acceleration of energy access and transition, (ii) spur of



UNION AFRICAINE

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

الاتحاد الأقريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: www.au.int

digitalisation across sectors, (iii) scale-up smart, resilient and inclusive transport, and (iv) support operationalisation of AfCFTA and flagship projects

3.1 Accelerating Energy Access and Improving the Energy Mix Increasing access to electricity in Africa through regional programmes such as NEPAD and AREI, as well as 'on-grid' and 'off-grid' renewable energy presents a major opportunity in the context of African-owned growth model that is sustainable, inclusive and resilient. Smart energy transition - AU plans going forward should re-emphasise energy transition consistently

with resilient, climate-smart and scale up initiatives such as stand alone energy solutions, AREI, PIDA energy programmes and the harmonisation of energy frameworks and operationalise the

african energy market.

Innovation - Renewable energy is the next sector likely to see a digital revolution in Africa. Increasing the use of smart solutions will bring more flexible and connected solutions which in turn will help improve the transmission and distribution lines and help meet energy demand across the Continent. Efficiency - An important component of energy transition and mix improvement is energy efficiency through the work of AFREC.

Clean Cooking - AU plans should drive faster actions to meet energy access goals and to call for an approach to tackle the clean cooking crisis.

3.2 Spurring Digitalisation By increasing productivity and facilitating innovation, technology is a key sector for the economic development. To expedite Africa's economic recovery and resilience the continent will need to accelerate its digital transformation, through the implementation of the harmonised approach of Africa's Digital Transformation Strategy, especially the linkages with sectors as disgital health, education, commerce, identity, financial transfers, the fast tracking of ICT PIDA projects as well as the operationalisation of the Malabo convention and capacity building in terms of cybersecurity and data confidentiality.

3.3 Scaling-Up Smart, Resilient & Inclusive Transport Green and inclusive transport infrastructure can tackle environmental vulnerabilities, produce green jobs and economic opportunities while availing the needed access to services and physically connecting rural and urban areas as well as the economic centres across the Continent.

3.4 Support to Africa's Continental Free Trade Area & Flagship Projects Successful operationalisation AfCFTA will have a profound impact on the continent's infrastructure sectors. The AfCFTA provides an entirely new platform to expand these efforts regionally and pursue infrastructure development to relieve the infrastructure restraint. AfCFTA agreement is also likely to encourage africans to rethink our infrastructure supply chains and look at regional and local supply chains more.

4. Key Considerations

4.1 Gender empowerment Women's and communities' health, wellbeing and socio-economic development are strongly interlinked with equal access to infrastructure and technologies.

4.2 Climate resilient-infrastructure

To increase Africa's resilience, promote quality growth, and speed up efforts to end extreme poverty, investment in resilient infrastructure is fundamental. COVID-19 pandemic has amplified calls for infrastructure to be resilient and adaptable.



UNION AFRICAINE

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

الاتحاد الأفريقي

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: www.au.int

4.3 Smart solutions

We should think big on digital development. Digital technologies offer us a chance to unlocking new pathways across all sectors for rapid economic growth, innovation, job creation and access to services.

5. Guiding Principles

Instill and strengthen synergies across

\* Catalyse and mobilise partnerships

\* Improve, integrate and harmonise regulations

\* Ensure universal access to smart, resilient and sustainable infrastructure

\* Factor in gender equality, climate resilience and innovative smart solutions

### **xecutive Profile:** (In not more than three hundred (300) words, provide a summary and

International development expert with in-depth knowledge of socio-economic development challenges and opportunities in Africa & Middle East at political, strategic and operational levels, spearheading impactful initiatives and programmes especially on digitalisation, universal energy access, corporate governance, environmental action & gender empowerment. 35 years of service in leading positions in international organisations and private banks. Brings a strong mix of knowledge and experience, heading large and complex organisations and programmes, forging strategic synergies and partnerships with regional, international and multilateral organisations. Leading AU infrastructure, energy and tourism programmes with remarkable visibility, synergy, impact and results. Active global stakeholder and partner in various Commissions and boards; A proactive and strategic thinker, initiator and implementer, promoting team spirit, innovation and openness. Proven track record of working effortlessly and effectively across cultures, constituencies and stakeholders. Multi-disciplinary advanced degrees from world prestigious academic institutions. Recipient of numerous international honours and awards for integrity, excellence, innovation, impact and leadership.

\*Raising Africa's image and visibility and effectively promoting and positioning African priorities in global fora, plans and strategies

\*Leading Africa's digitalisation, innovation and adoption of new technologies, renewable energy, universal energy access, energy for cooking, to help the Continent leapfrog, ensuring prominent place for private sector development and partnership, continental digital transformation and tourism initiatives

\*Launched second phase of African Infrastructure Programme emphasising smart, gender sustainable criteria and role of private sector; Post 2020 road safety african position; African domain DotAfrica, Initiative for Digital Africa; AU-EU task forces on digitalisation, transport and energy \*Accelerated implementation of the Single African Air Transport market

Professional Societies (List of professional bodies in which you ar

Member of the UN High Level Broadband Commission for Sustainable Development

Chair of the Advisory Board of the African Cities Research Centre, the University of Manchester/DFID



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: <u>www.au.int</u>

Trustee of 5Rights Foundation, for children safety online, UK

Board member of the High Level Advisory Council of Identification for Development (ID4D), World Bank Group

Member of FIA Global High Level Panel for Road Safety

Member of the Global Commission for Urgent Action on Energy Efficiency

Steward of the Board for System Initiative on Shaping the Future of Energy, World Economic Forum

Co-Chair of the Steering Committee & board member of "Smart Africa"

Founder & chair of African Network for Women in Infrastructure(ANWIN)

Name of Institution	Address of institution (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website)	Qualification Received	Year Obtained
Faculty of Social and Economic Studies, University of Manchester	Oxford Road, Manchester M13 9PL, UK	Ph.D. Socio-Economic Development Management and Administration	2000
Harvard Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University	79 JFK St, Cambridge, MA 02138 , USA	Masters of Public Administration (MPA)   International socio- economic development	1998
Université Internationale pour le développement en Afrique, - Université SENGHOR	Mancheya square, Alexandria, Egypt	Diplôme d'Etudes Professionnelles Approfondies   Gestion de Projets	1992
Université Paris- Sorbonne (Paris IV), France	Paris 75005, France	Diplôme Supérieur d'Etudes Françaises   Lettres & Arts Modernes,	1986
Faculty of Engineering, Cairo University	University street , Giza, Egypte	B.Sc. electrical Engineering	1984



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

#### UNIÃO AFRICANA

Course Title	Certifying Body or Institution	Address of institution (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website)	Year Attended
Corporate Leader Executive Programme	Harvard Business School, Harvard University	Boston, MA 02163, USA	2008
Leadership and management development programme	Cranfield School of Management	College Rd, Cranfield, Wharley End, Bedford MK43 OAL, United Kingdom	2010

Name of Organisation African Union Comm	
Address of Organisa Roosevelt street, Add	tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website): dis Ababa, Ethiopia
Position Held (Title of the role)	Commissioner for Infrastructure and Energy (elected)
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	March 2017 – Present
Number of People	



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

### الاتحاد الأقريقي

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

Responsibilities	In charge of Transport (rail, road, air & sea), Energy, Digitalisation and Tourism; Under the authority of the Chairperson of the AU Commission responsible for driving the implementation of Africa's Agenda 2063 flagship projects, policies, programmes, strategies and other key continental legal frameworks to promote integration, trade, boost growth and create jobs Engages with the African Union (AU) Member States, Regional Economic Communities (RECs), Private Sector, AU Development Agency (AUDANEPAD) and strategic partners for effective delivery of continental priorities. Leads partnership negotiations and resources mobilisation; Leads the development, harmonisation and ratification of continental policies and programmes; Jointly drives the implementation of the AU Institutional Reform Agenda.
	The Commissioner also oversees the work of the following African Union specialised agencies:  • The African Energy Commission (AFREC)  • African Civil Aviation Commission (AFCAC)  • Pan African Postal Union (PAPU)
	African Telecommunication Union (ATU)
Achievements	Raising Africa's image and visibility and effectively promoting and positioning African priorities in global fora, plans and strategies Rallying regional and international stakeholders and partners to suppor Africa's resilience and post-COVID19 strategies under "Green, Smar. Sustainable Recovery" motto & Campaign for Saving Lives, Economies & Livelihoods  Leading Africa's digitalisation, innovation and adoption of new technologies, renewable energy, universal energy access, energy for cooking, to help the Continent leapfrog, ensuring prominent place for private sector development and partnership  Initiated first continental digital transformation and tourism initiatives Forged excellent synergy with World Bank Group, especially in digital economy development and energy access and transport sectors resulting in earmarking USD 27billion to digitalisation in Africa  Launched second phase of African Infrastructure Programme emphasising smart, gender sustainable criteria and role of private sector Post 2020 road safety african position; African domain DotAfrica Initiative for Digital Africa; AU-EU task forces on digitalisation transport and energy  Accelerated implementation of the Single African Air Transport marke resulting in adherence of 38 countries representing 800 million africans. Assisted governments and institutions in introducing reforms, designing and implementing programmes  Guiding sustainability, responsible banking and corporate governance in private sector institutions  Championing gender equality in STEM; founded African Network for Women in Infrastructure (ANWIN)



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأقريقي

Name of Organisation African Development	
Address of Organisa	tion/Employer ((Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website): , 01 BO 1387, Abidjan 01, Côte d'Ivoire
Position Held (Title of the role)	Director p.i. African Natural Resources Centre (ANRC)
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	January 2013 – January 2017
Number of People Supervised	15
Responsibilities	Led ANRC work and team, as an innovative, non-lending AfDB centre that brings expertise and services on natural resources management to AfDB and its regional member countries.
Achievements	Advised on the Centre's work program, playing a leadership role in implementation.  Assisted number of african countries with policy tools to maximise development outcomes derived from natural resources. Developed guidelines for gender inclusion and mainstreaming in gas and oil industries and land reforms. Led resource mobilisation and partnerships. Actively contributed to AfDB strategic thematic task forces and development of financial products. Acted as gender champion
Name of Organisatio African Developmen	
	tion/Employer ((Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website): , o1 BO 1387, Abidjan 01, Côte d'Ivoire
Position Held (Title of the role)	Country Manager, Morocco
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	September 2009 – January 2013

الاتحاد الأقريقي



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

Number of People Supervised	30
Responsibilities	Led AfDB largest office and largest client, Morocco; led a multinational, multidisciplinary team. Managed a USD 8 billion operations portfolio
Achievements	Managed a USD 8 billion operations portfolio comprising AfDB first private sector in Morocco with No1 client Office Chérifien des Phosphates OCP Group, as well as regional private sector operations, major infrastructure projects in renewable energy such as Ouarzazate "Nour" solar power plant, highways and rural roads, railways, airports & water and sanitation projects as well as programmes to support financial and administrative reforms, social inclusion and employment, thus establishing AfDB as the country's premier development partner and donor. Decorated by HM King Mohamed VI of Morocco for distinguished service to the country and African partners.
Name of Organisatio African Developmen	
Address of Organisa	tion/Employer ((Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):
Avenue Jean-Paul II	, o1 BO 1387, Abidjan o1, Côte d'Ivoire
Avenue scan-1 au 11	, 01 20 130/, 12212121 02, 0010 2
+22520263900	
Position Held (Title of the role)	Lead Expert, Infrastructure, Private Sector & Regional Integration
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	April 2007 – September 2009
The state of the s	
Number of People Supervised	3
	Advised AfDB Vice President and senior management on strategy formulation, programming and budgeting for private sector, infrastructure and regional integration strategies and programmes across Africa.



#### UNION AFRICAINE

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

Name of Organisation African Develipment	
	ion/Employer ((Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):
	o 1 BO 1387, Abidjan 01, Côte d'Ivoire
Position Held (Title of the role)	Principal Expert, Operations Policy & Compliance
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	March 2005 – April 2007
Number of People Supervised	_
Responsibilities	Ensured policy compliance and inclusiveness in Bank operations.
Achievements	Developed guidelines and provided capacity building and technical assistance to operations. Contributed to numerous Bank task forces on policy formulation, liaising with in-country partners and international organisations.
Name of Organisatio	
Address of Organisa	tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website): Aziz Street, Giza Egypt
Position Held (Title of the role)	Manager, Institutional Development Programme
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	1992-2000
Number of People Supervised	10
Responsibilities	Founding member of the organization. Managed the institutional development programme for SFD, then world's largest social fund with the widest scope of operations, introducing SMEs development and finance in Egypt. Analysed economic, social and political variables (national and international), and development needs affecting SFD's agenda.



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

### الاتحاد الأقريقي

Achievements	Contributed to SFD's development strategy formulation through participatory processes. Coordinated international donors and led resource mobilisation and replenishment exercises. Partnered with local institutions for policy implementation and compliance. Identified thematic issues of relevance to Egypt, implementing three of the largest national surveys on living conditions and developing their analysis for national targeting of socio-economic benefits.
Name of Organisation	n/Employer:
USAID Governance P	
Address of Organisat	ion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):
Amman Sq, Cairo, Eg	ypt
Position Held (Title of the role)	Director, Results Monitoring and Information Management
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	2001-2002
Number of People Supervised	7
Responsibilities	Led programme and team; Monitored performance, ensuring results, quality of services and client satisfaction.
Achievements	Supported Egyptian civil society in governance and advocacy. Led development and marketing of new knowledge assets, intellectual capital, and higher-value information products and services
Name of Organisatio	on/Employer:
Self-employed Address of Organisa	tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):
Position Held (Title of the role)	Consultant , Self-employed
Duration (Start Date to End Date)	2002-2005
Number of People Supervised	



#### UNION AFRICAINE

#### UNIÃO AFRICANA

### الاتحاد الأقريقي

Responsibilities	
Achievements	Provided consultancy services to several international clients and senior members of government in the domains of development and restructuring. Clients and roles included: Advisor to the Egyptian ministries of Communications and Information Technology, Finance and Trade; and Executive Director of L'Université Française d'Egypte.
Name of Organisation	n/Employer: broup; Fiducie Desjardins, FRANCE and CANADA
	tion/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Website):
Address of Organisat	non/Employer (Postal address, Telephone numbers and Western
Audi ess of or gamen	
Position Held (Title of the role)	Head of technical assistance
Position Held (Title of	
Position Held (Title of the role) Duration (Start Date	Head of technical assistance
Position Held (Title of the role)  Duration (Start Date to End Date)  Number of People	Head of technical assistance



#### **UNION AFRICAINE**

### الاتحاد الأفريقي

#### **UNIÃO AFRICANA**

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia P. O. Box 3243 Telephone: 251115517700/251115526373 Fax:251115518718/251115536950 Website: www.au.int

Skills and Competencies (In not more than five hundred (500) words, demonstrate how your experience and qualifications match the skills and competences outlined in the role profile of the position you are applying for)

Demonstrated negotiation, critical thinking & problem solving skills | Excellent communication, intrapersonal relations & public speaking abilities | Motivates, builds trust, confidence and consensus | Brings energy, stimulates and galvanises efforts, pushes boundaries for impact and results | Proven record of highest standards of integrity, accountability & anti-corruption

### Achievements/Accomplishments: (In not more than five hundred (500) words, indicate any other achievements besides those under work experience you would like to highlight)

- Decorated the Wissam Alaouite from HM King Mohamed VI of Morocco
- Named trice one of "Most Influential Women in Africa" in 2012, 2019 & in 2020, by Avance
  Media
- Named one of the "Most Reputable Africans" in 2020, by Reputation Poll International
- Received the "Outstanding Alumni Award" from the University of Manchester, UK, 2018
- Named "Personalité d'avenir" by Government of France, 1995
- Fellow of the Institute for Social and Economic Policy in the Middle East, Harvard Kennedy School
- Guiding member sustainability at CIB & Mayfair
- Fellow of the Salzburg Seminar
- · Chevening and Francophonie scholar
- Honorary member of the French Chamber of Commerce & Industry in Egypt
- Accomplished and certified mountain climber
- Competes and is winning participant of desert car rallyes

**Publications (if any):** (Provide list of publications you have authored or co-authored, provide links to access the publications if online)

Working Languages	Speaking	Reading	Writing
Arabic	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
English	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
French	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent



#### UNION AFRICAINE

### الاتحاد الأقريقي

**UNIÃO AFRICANA** 

Name	Position and organisation	Email:	Téléphone number
Makhtar DIOP	Vice President Infrastructure, The World Bank	Mdiop2@worldbank.com	+12023795933
Fatih BIROL	Executive director , International Energy Agency	Executivedjfector@iea.org	+33140576549
Mohamed Shaker	Chair of AU STC Transport Energy & Tourism; Minister of Electricity and renewable energy, Egypt	Omransob@gmail.com	+201000006436

experience.	
Name	Amani Abou-Zeid
Signature	(Olli
Date	3 September 2020

#### **AFRICAN UNION UNION AFRICAINE**

**African Union Common Repository** 

http://archives.au.int

Organs

Council of Ministers & Executive Council Collection

2021-02-04

# Candidates for the Election of Commissioner for Infrastructure and Energy

#### African Union

**DCMP** 

https://archives.au.int/handle/123456789/9523

Downloaded from African Union Common Repository