16th ICTAZ Annual General Meeting

TRAINING, CONFERENCE & MINI EXPO

29th April - 2nd May 2025

VENUE: AVANI VICTORIA FALLS RESORT

Theme:

"From Copper to Code: *Leveraging Artificial Intelligence to Accelerate Digital Transformation in Zambia for Economic Growth*"

About the AGM

The 2025 ICT Association of Zambia Annual General Meeting (AGM) brings together over 600 ICT professionals and other stakeholders to dialogue around the important role that the ICT sector is playing in local and international development.

This year's event aims to explore the transformative power of artificial intelligence in various sectors, emphasizing its role in accelerating digital transformation and economic development in Zambia. As technology evolves, AI presents new opportunities for businesses, government and individuals to enhance efficiency, foster innovation and drive sustainable growth.

Why Attend?

Be part of Zambia's Digital Conversations

Join Zambia's Digital Conversations to explore emerging trends, innovations, and opportunities shaping the country's digital future.

Boost Visibility and Exposure

This event boosts brand visibility and connects businesses with clients, offering sponsors and exhibitors exposure, leads and networking.

Business Growth and Sales

The AGM drives lead generation, sales and collaboration through B2B and B2C discussions.

Professional Networking

The mini-expo and conference provide networking, career advice, business opportunities, and industry insights.

Earn Mandatory CPD Points

Enhance your professional credentials, fulfill regulatory or certification requirements while expanding your career prospects and earn Continuing Professional Development (CPD) points by attending the event.

Skills through Continuous Learning

The AGM offers expert-led training and insights from top professionals, equipping delegates with skills for career and business growth.

Personal Interactions

The mini-expo offers B2B and B2C sessions for valuable interactions and networking.

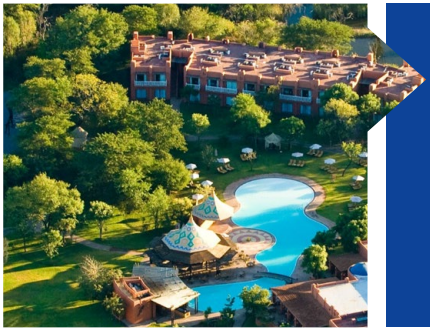
Conference Packages

Packages without accommodation:

Training Only	Conference Only	Training & Conference
ZMW 3,000	ZMW 9,850	ZMW 12,850

The conference fees include refreshments, snacks, lunch and giveaway packages.

Packages with accommodation:



Avani Resort

5 Nights Stay | Training & Conference ZMW 32,350

Radisson Blu Hotel

5 Nights Stay | Training & Conference ZMW 36,850

Protea Hotel

5 Nights Stay | Training & Conference ZMW 40,350

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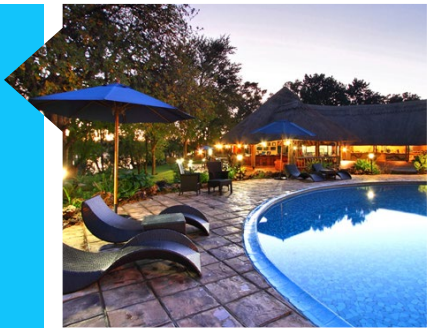
Packages with accommodation:

Chrismar Hotel

5 Nights Stay | Training & Conference ZMW 26,850

Zambezi Lodge

5 Nights Stay | Training & Conference ZMW 20,350



The Courtyard Hotel

5 Nights Stay | Training & Conference ZMW 18,650

A look back at the highlights from last year's Conference, Training, Mini Expo and AGM.

Sponsorship Packages

Choose from our various sponsorship packages which include:

(**Note:** Persons manning the exhibition booths are required to pay the conference participation fee.)

Sponsorship Packages

PLATINUM SPONSOR (ZMW 250,000)

1. 1 VVIP delegate pass for the conference, training and five nights' accommodation for 1 delegate at a 5-star prestigious Radisson Blu Hotel
2. 15-minute premium presentation slot during the official opening day conference
3. 5 minutes speaking opportunity at the Night of Music
4. Opportunity to moderate a discussion panel
5. Priority exhibition space at the Mini Expo
6. Prominent display space at the front of the conference hall
7. Brand placement in high-visibility areas at the venue
8. Exclusive brand placement and presence in the VIP holding room and high table
9. 2 seats at business dinner with the Guest of Honor and other VVIP Guests
10. Feature in ICTAZ Tech Talks, Podcasts and ICTAZ publications
11. Brand placement at the Night of Music venue
12. Official recognition as a Platinum Sponsor during the event
13. Branding featured in all pre-event, during-event and post-event promotional materials

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Sponsorship Packages

DIAMOND SPONSOR (ZMW 200,000)

1. 1 VIP delegate pass for the conference, training and five nights' accommodation for 1 delegate at Avani Resort
2. 10-minute premium presentation slot during the official opening day conference
3. Exhibition space at the Mini Expo
4. Prominent display space at the front of the conference hall
5. Brand placement in high-visibility areas at the venue
6. Exclusive brand placement and presence in the VIP holding room and high table
7. 2 seats at business dinner with the Guest of Honor and other VVIP Guests
8. Feature in ICTAZ Tech Talks, Podcasts and ICTAZ publications
9. Brand placement at the Night of Music venue
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Sponsorship Packages

GOLD SPONSOR (ZMW 150,000)

1. 2 VIP delegate pass for the conference, training and AGM
2. 10 minute premium presentation slot during the second day of the conference
3. Exhibition space at the Mini Expo
4. Prominent display space in the conference hall
5. 1 seat at business dinner with the Guest of Honor and other VVIP Guests
6. Brand placement in high-visibility areas at the venue
7. Feature in ICTAZ Tech Talks, Podcasts and ICTAZ publications
8. Official recognition as a Gold Sponsor during the event
9. Branding featured in all pre-event, during-event and post-event promotional materials

SILVER SPONSOR (ZMW 100,000)

1. 1 VIP delegate pass for the conference, training and AGM
2. 5 minute premium presentation slot during the second day of the conference
3. Exhibition space at the Mini Expo
4. Display space in the conference hall
5. Brand placement in high-visibility areas at the venue
6. 1 seat at business dinner with the Guest of Honor and other VVIP Guests
7. Feature in ICTAZ Tech Talks and ICTAZ publications
8. Official recognition as a Silver Sponsor during the event
9. Branding featured in all pre-event, during-event, and post-event promotional materials

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Sponsorship Packages

BRONZE SPONSOR (ZMW 80,000)

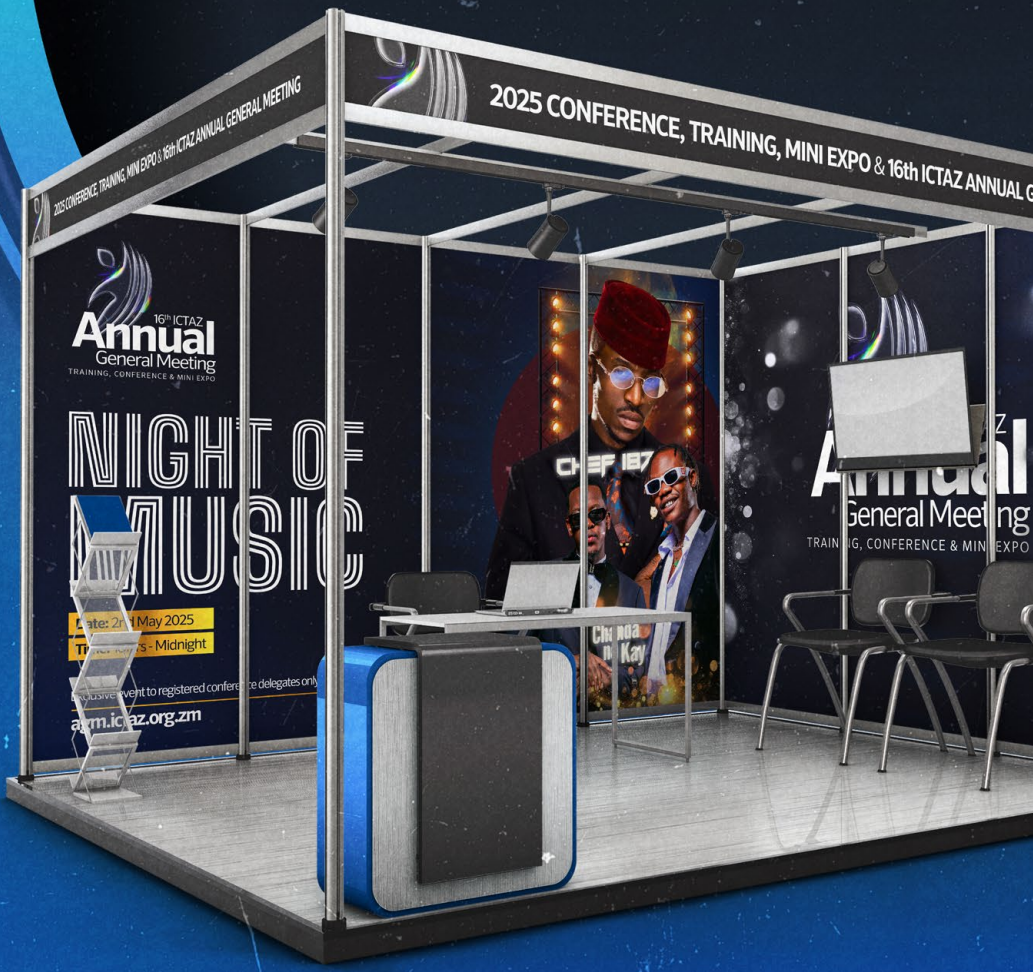
1. 1 delegate pass for the conference, training and AGM
2. Exhibition space at the Mini Expo
3. Display space in the conference hall
4. Brand placement in high-visibility areas at the venue
5. 1 seat at business dinner with the Guest of Honor and other VVIP Guests
6. Feature in ICTAZ Tech Talks and ICTAZ publications
7. Official recognition as a Bronze Sponsor during the event

Exhibitor Opportunity at the ICTAZ Conference, Training & AGM!

Showcase your brand at the ICTAZ Conference, Training & AGM and connect with key industry players!

Exhibition Fee: K40,000

Exhbition package includes: 1 Delegate only with full access to the Conference, Training & AGM



Programme at a glance

Date	Time	Activity
28th April 2025 Monday	**10:00Hrs – 21:00Hrs**	Registration and Accreditation

29th April 2025
Tuesday
	08:00Hrs – 16:00Hrs	**Conference Day 1** - Official Opening
		• Welcoming Remarks
		• Speeches
		• **Keynote – Guest of Honour**
		• Platinum Sponsor Presentation
		• Panel Discussions (with Q&A)
		  ◦ *Artificial Intelligence for Digital Transformation as an Economic enabler for Zambia.*
		• ICTAZ Future: 2025 -2027 and Beyond
		• Presentations
		• Diamond Sponsor Presentation
		• Guest of Honor and VIP Tour of the Expo Stands
		• Panel Discussions (with Q&A)
		  ◦ *The Two Sides of Data Protection in Zambia: Balancing Regulatory Benefits with Compliance and Implementation Challenges*

30th April 2025
Wednesday
	08:00Hrs – 16:00Hrs	**Conference Day 2**
		• Panel Discussions (with Q&A)
		  ◦ *Understanding Counterfeit ICT: The Hidden Costs and Implications*
		• Presentations
		• Gold Sponsor Presentations
		• Panel Discussions (with Q&A)
		  ◦ *Governance, Risk and Compliance (GRC) Cybersecurity*
		• Silver Sponsor Presentation
		• Panel Discussions (with Q&A)
		  ◦ *The Absence of Digital Identity in Zambia: Challenges, Risks and Opportunity Cost*
		• Conferment of Fellows
		• Big Ideas, Byte Sized: Tech in 300 Seconds
		(5 short 5 minutes presentations by 5 members)
		• ICTAZ Student Chapters Presentations

1st May 2025 Thursday	**08:00Hrs – 16:00Hrs**	**Trainings x 2 (Parallel)** • Training 1 • Training 2
2nd May 2025 Friday	**09:00Hrs – 13:00Hrs**	**16th Annual General Meeting**

Note: Mini expos will run throughout the event, allowing attendees to explore showcases at their convenience.

Parralel Training Topics for this year's ICTAZ Training Sessions

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Parallel Topic 1:

Evolving from Technical to Strategic Leadership:
Navigating the Path to CIO, CTO, CEO and Boardroom Influence.

Parallel Topic 2:

Cybersecurity in Today's Business Environment:
Leveraging on Data Science, Artificial Intelligence and Data Security Tools.

Parallel Topic 3:

Cloud Computing and DevOps:
Building Scalable Digital Infrastructure.

Please ensure you register for this year's training and indicate your preferred training topic.
Slots are limited!

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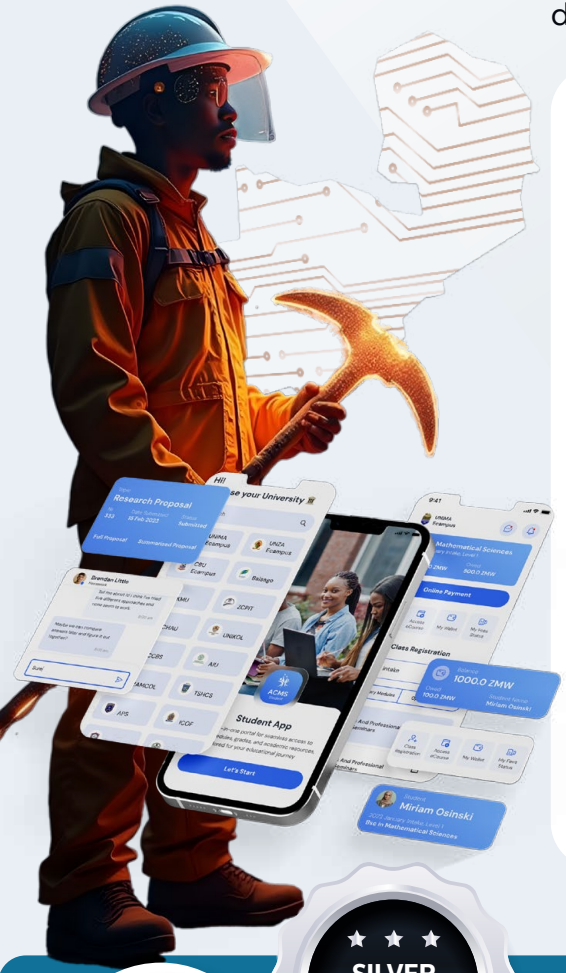

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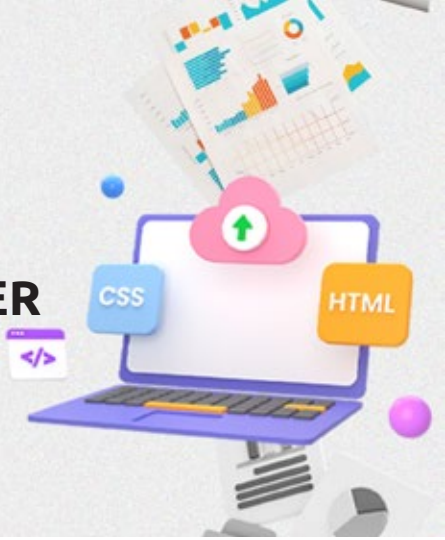
STATE OF THE DEVELOPER ECOSYSTEM IN ZAMBIA SURVEY 2025



Are You Building with Technology in Zambia? Shape Our Tech Future!

We invite everyone involved in creating software, apps, websites, and digital solutions in Zambia to share their experiences. Help us understand the landscape, identify opportunities, and drive growth in our vibrant tech community.

Why Your Voice Matters & Who Should Participate

This survey is for everyone creating technology in Zambia – Developers, Programmers, Coders, Designers, Data Scientists, Students, Freelancers, Entrepreneurs, and anyone building digital solutions.

By participating, you:

Shape Support: Influence training, resources, and policy.

Identify Trends: Help map skills, challenges, and opportunities.

Drive Growth: Attract investment and foster relevant local solutions.

Strengthen Community: Contribute to a better-connected tech ecosystem.

SCAN HERE

Make your Impact : The confidential survey takes approximately **15 minutes**. The anonymous and aggregated findings from this survey will be compiled into a public report and shared widely.

https://bit.ly/zmdevelopersurvey2025

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NIGHT OF MUSIC

Date: 2nd May 2025

Time: 18Hrs - Midnight

Join us for a spectacular evening of music and entertainment after the AGM! Experience a vibrant atmosphere filled with rhythm, energy and incredible performances.

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