

Contribution to Evaluation Capacity Development (ECD) in Africa: Challenges & Opportunities from the African Evaluation Association (AfrEA)



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Outline

- ▶ **Overview of ECD with the African Evaluation Association (AfrEA)**
 - Brief history
 - Key achievements
- ▶ **Challenges and opportunities**
 - SWOT analysis



AfrEA at-glance (ww.afrea.org)

▶ ECD & AfrEA

- Coaching & advocacy
- Documentation
- Dissemination
- Networking & P2P



AfrEA President



Secretariat in Accra, Ghana



Organizing for Collaborative Action



ECD in Practice

Organisational & Individual in an Enabling environment

Key achievements

- Completed ECD activities
 - P2P learning projects (EvalPartners)
 - Workshops during its biennial conferences
 - EvalMentors
 - Mentoring (Roaster of experts)
 - AEJ (African Evaluation Journal)
<http://www.aejonline.org/index.php/aej>
- Possible future ECD agenda
 - ECD into SDG agenda in Africa
 - “Made in Africa approach to evaluation”

SWOT analysis

Strenght	Weakness
International recognition as the continental VOPE for ECD	Gouvernance and Institutional capacities
Opportunity	Threat
Increasing demand for ECD (Accountability)	Weak dynamism (Including VOPE's members)

What need to be improve?

Conditions to achieve success:

- Institutional and individual capacities
- Content (Short, middle and long terms objectives)
- What format for ECD?



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