

## **Ngorongoro Conservation Area Authority**

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TO: GGN

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We are delighted to invite you to attend the **First African International Conference on UNESCO Global Geoparks**, to be held from 17<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> May 2020 in Arusha, Tanzania, followed by two days of excursion in the Ngorongoro Lengai UNESCO Global Geopark, from 21<sup>st</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>, May 2020. Excursion are optional.

The conference will be hosted at **Arusha International Conference Centre** (AICC), in Arusha, the vibrant tourism City in northern Tanzania situated closely to the Mt. Kilimanjaro, the highest mountain in Africa.

The conference goes with the theme "Promotional and Management of Geological Heritage for Sustainable Development in Africa" that aims to stimulate a new dynamic for a homogeneous development of UNESCO Global Geopark on African continent.

The conference will encompass oral and poster presentations, speakers from GGN, UGGp, and UNESCO Headquarter. Apart of the presentations and networking with other Geoparks around the world during the conference, you will witness colorful event of inauguration of the African UNESCO Global Geoparks Network, coupled with an opportunity of lifetime to visit Ngorongoro Lengai UNESCO Global Geopark and famous Ngorongoro Crater (optional and payable)

Registration process and more information can be obtained through workshop webpage; <a href="https://augg2020.ncaa.go.tz/">https://augg2020.ncaa.go.tz/</a>. We also ask you to integrate this webpage into your network pages for information to reach many.

I personally warmly welcome you to Tanzania.

Sincerely,

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