



Conference Program

MOUNT MERU HOTEL | ARUSHA, TANZANIA

JANUARY 22-24, 2025



International Federation of Biosafety Associations



Global Voices

Celebrating Diversity in Biosafety & Biosecurity



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Global Partnership Against the Spread of Weapons and Materials of Mass Destruction





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Pre-Conference Workshops | January 20-21, 2025
Conference | January 22-24, 2025
Mount Meru Hotel | Arusha, Tanzania



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Monday, January 20th

Pre-Conference Workshops

Cyberbiosecurity – 8:30am – 5:00pm

Biological Risk Assessment – 8:30am – 5:00pm

8:30am	Workshop Registration
9:00am	Workshop Commencement
10:30am	Networking Tea Break (30min)
1:00pm	Lunch Break (60min)
2:00pm	Workshop Continued
3:30pm	Networking Tea Break (30min)
5:00pm	Workshop Completion

Tuesday, January 21st

Pre-Conference Workshops

Cyberbiosecurity (cont'd) – 8:30am – 5:00pm

DEI in Biosafety & Biosecurity – 8:30am – 1:00pm

Dual Use Research and Bioethics – 2:00pm – 5:00pm

8:30am	Workshop Registration
9:00am	Workshop Commencement
10:30am	Networking Tea Break (30min)
1:00pm	Lunch Break (60min)
2:00pm	Workshop Commencement
3:30pm	Networking Tea Break (30min)
5:00pm	Workshop Completion





Wednesday, January 22nd

Global Voices Conference

Conference Centre / Tembo Room 8:30am – 5:00pm

8:30am	Conference Registration (Conference Centre)
9:00am	Opening Ceremony (Conference Centre) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Broadcast of “Global Voices in Biosafety & Biosecurity” Video
10:00am	Keynote Speaker (Conference Centre)
10:30am	Networking Tea Break (30min)
11:00am	Plenary Session (Conference Centre)
1:00pm	Lunch Break (60min)
2:00pm	Parallel Breakout Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stream 1 – Diversity, Equity & Inclusion in Biosafety & Biosecurity (Conference Centre)• Stream 2 - IFBA Member Association Meeting (By Invitation Only, Tembo Room)
3:30pm	Networking Tea Break (30min)
4:00pm	Parallel Breakout Sessions cont'd <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stream 1 – Diversity, Equity & Inclusion in Biosafety & Biosecurity (Conference Centre)• Stream 2 - IFBA Member Association Meeting (By Invitation Only, Tembo Room)
5:00pm	End Conference Day 1





Thursday, January 23rd

Global Voices Conference

Conference Centre / Tembo Room 8:30am – 5:00pm

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| 8:30am | Morning Meet & Greet (Conference Centre) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• IFBA and TaBSA Conference Hosts |
| 9:00am | Plenary Session (Conference Centre) |
| 10:30am | Networking Tea Break (30min) |
| 11:00am | Plenary Session cont'd (Conference Centre) |
| 1:00pm | Lunch Break (60min) |
| 2:00pm | Parallel Breakout Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stream 3 – Youth Leaders for A Vision of Tomorrow (Conference Centre)• Stream 4 – Artificial Intelligence & Emerging Biosecurity Challenges (Tembo Room) |
| 3:30pm | Networking Tea Break (30min) |
| 4:00pm | Parallel Breakout Sessions cont'd <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stream 3 – Youth Leaders for A Vision of Tomorrow (Conference Centre)• Stream 4 – Artificial Intelligence & Emerging Biosecurity Challenges (Tembo Room) |
| 5:00pm | End Conference Day 2 |
| 7:00pm | Gala BBQ Dinner (Mount Meru Hotel Garden) |





Friday, January 24th

Global Voices Conference

Conference Centre / Tembo Room 8:30am – 3:30pm

8:30am	Morning Meet & Greet (Conference Centre) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Global Biosafety & Biosecurity Human Library
9:00am	Plenary Session (Conference Centre)
10:30am	Networking Tea Break (30min)
11:00am	Parallel Breakout Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stream 5 – Africa Women’s Network Meeting (Tembo Room)• Stream 6 – One Health Approach to Biosafety & Biosecurity (Conference Centre)
1:00pm	Lunch Break (60min)
2:00pm	Parallel Breakout Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Viewing Scientific Posters & Exhibits (Conference Centre)• Stream 5 – Africa Women’s Network Meeting (Tembo Room)
3:00pm	Closing Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Best Poster Award
3:30pm	End Conference

