

Victoria & Albert Museum and University of the Arts

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KPAKPAKPA:
Design concepts from the African continent
REVISED PROGRAMME

10.30am_ Welcome to Kpakpakpa: Design Concepts from the African Continent, by Cher Potter (LCF/V&A Research Fellow) and Njoki Ngumi (NEST Collective)

10.45am_ Opening Keynote: Dr. Ashitey Trebi-Ollennu (Engineer, NASA) - Intersections of engineering, design and the Arts
Q&A

11.45 am_ TEA BREAK

12.00pm_ Session #1: Ayekoo and coded mythologies

Dr. Ayorkor Korsah (AFRON: African Robotics Network, Ashesi University Computer Science)

Dr. Paula Callus (National Centre of Computer Animation) on Wesley Kirinya (Leti Arts)

Discussion hosted by Njoki Ngumi (NEST Collective)

1.20pm_ LUNCH

2.20pm_ Session #2: Kpakpakpa, Stellation and comparable technologies

Dr. Ralph Borland (African Robots; UCT Global Arenas)

DK Osseo-Asare (LOWDO: Low Design Office, Agbogbloshie Makerspace Platform)

Dela A. Kumahor (Independent UX Designer)

Discussion hosted by Njoki Ngumi (NEST Collective)

4.00pm_ TEA BREAK AND NETWORKING