

WEBINAR: AI, Employment and Economic Inclusion in Africa

25 May 2026
11am – 12:30pm

PROGRAMME

Time	Activity	Responsibility
11:30 – 11:35	Chair’s welcome and speaker introductions	Chair: Ms Elizabeth Sidiropoulos Chief Executive, SAIIA
11:35 – 12:00	Introductory remarks: Five-minute statements from each panellist regarding AI policy, education, and global trends.	Panellists: Ms J. Morwane Chief Director, Department of Communications and Digital Technologies Dr T. Basikolo Programme Coordinator, UN International Telecommunication Union Mr A. Ayantola Researcher, Global Center on AI Governance
12:00 – 12:30	Moderated panel discussion: A guided dialogue on economic inclusion, job market disruptions, and ethical governance frameworks.	Chair and panellists
12:30 – 12:55	Audience Q&A	Chair and audience
12:55 – 13:00	Closing remarks: Summarising policy priorities and concluding the session.	Ms Elizabeth Sidiropoulos Chief Executive, SAIIA