

**EU CSO Steering Group Consultation on the Joint Africa EU
Strategy (JAES) with its African Partners
21-22 September 2010
Espace Jacquemotte, Rue Haute 139, 1000 Brussels**

Tuesday, 21 September

9.30 – 10.00	Registration
10.00 – 10.30	Welcome
10.30 – 11.00	Presentation (ECDPM): The Joint Africa EU Strategy (JAES) - Objectives and developments since the Lisbon Summit
11.00 – 11.30	<i>Coffee Break</i>
11.30 – 13.00	Panel discussion: Global evaluation of the JAES: Challenges and Prospects Moderator: ECDPM Panelists: Christa Randzio-Plath (VENRO) Aho Tete Benissan (REPAOC) Klaus Rudischhauser (EU Commission) Mohamed Igueh, (African Union Mission to the EU) (tbc)
13.00 – 14.00	<i>Lunch</i>
14.00 – 16.00	Working group sessions on the different partnerships: Democratic Governance and Human Rights Peace and Security Trade, Regional Integration and Infrastructure MDGs Energy & Climate Change Migration, Mobility & Employment
16.00 – 16.30	<i>Coffee Break</i>
16.30 – 17.00	Plenary: Reporting back of working groups and closing

Wednesday, 22 September

- 9.30 – 11.00 **Panel discussion:** Critical issues for the future of the JAES
Moderator: ECDPM
Panelists:
Ibrahima Kane (OSI-Addis-Nairobi)
Simon Stocker (Eurostep)
Dr. Cheikh Tidiane Dieye (ENDA)
Ildiko Szilasi (African-Hungarian Union)
- 11.00 – 11.30 *Coffee Break*
- 11.00 – 13.00 **Working group discussion** on critical issues
- 13.00 – 14.00 *Lunch*
- 14.00 – 16.00 **Plenary:** Reporting back from Working Groups
- 16.00 – 16.30 **Closing session**