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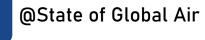
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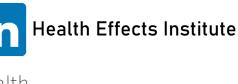




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- Global expert network
- **Rigorous science** •
  - Over 350 studies on a wide variety of air pollutants and sources: PM, ozone, air toxics; coal, diesel, natural gas, others
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## **Scientific Review**

- The Health Effects of Exposure to Traffic
- Health Effects of Air Pollution in Asia •

## **Global Health**

- The State of Global Air
- Targeted work in South Asia, East Africa, Southeast Europe









# Strengthening capacity to promote East Africa-led research programs on air quality and health

## Webinar 2

October 25, 2023

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## Agenda

Welcome

Opening Remarks: Capacity needs for converting research into practice

### Perspectives on East Africa-led research programs

Capacity strengthening on air pollution and health

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**Discussion and questions** 

**Closing Remarks** 

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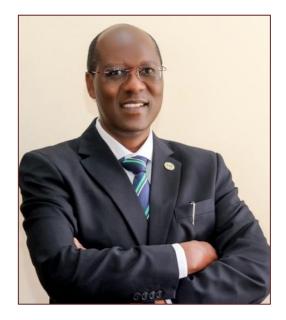
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30 mins



## **Chairs and Speakers**







**Dr. Lynn Atuyambe** Makerere University, Uganda

### **Dr. Cathryn Tonne** Barcelona Institute for Global Health (ISGlobal), Spain

Dr. James Mwitari Kenya Medical Research Institute (KEMRI), Kenya

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### **Prof. Bertrand Mbatchou**

University of Douala, Cameroon & Pan African Thoracic Society



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**September 19, 2023** Building momentum for health studies using locally available air quality and health data

**October 25, 2023** Strengthening capacity to promote East Africa-led research programs on air quality and health

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The next webinar, Expanding public engagement and communication on air pollution and health, is scheduled for November 29, 2023. Please join us!

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