Nigeria's Economic Outlook

4th Quarter 2021
EA's One-Day Conference

Thursday, 25 November 2021
Lagos: at Lagos Continental Hotel,
Plot 52A, Kofo Abayomi Street, VI

Tuesday 30 November
Abuja: at The Envoy Hotel,
305 Diplomatic Drive, CBD

Thursday 2 December
Port-Harcourt: at Hotel Presidential,
Aba Road, GRA Phase II

Time: 9:00am-5:00pm; Fee: N97, 500 per person.

Sub-Themes:
Glocal Connections | National Options | Subnational Options | Sectoral Options

CEOs, EDs, Senior Executives, Strategists, Analysts, Donors, and Diplomats
The conference presents opportunities to discuss evolving global connections and options for realigning national, subnational, and corporate aspirations with global megatrends.

1. **Glocal Connections**
   How countries, states, and companies can map global megatrends into their income statements and balance sheets.

2. **National Options**
   Options for recoupling Nigeria’s income statement and balance sheet with evolving global trends.

3. **Subnational Options**
   Options for recoupling State’s income statements and balance sheets with evolving global trends.

4. **Sectoral Options**
   Options for recoupling corporate income statements and balance sheets with evolving global trends.

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Participation is by prior reservation, subject to confirmation by EA. Pre-conference materials will be made available to confirmed participants in advance. Please complete online reservation form at www.econassociates.com, or call Comfort 0816 555 2681, or e-mail info@econassociates.com for more information.
Ayo is CEO of Economic Associates (EA) where he provides strategic direction for ongoing research and consulting on the outlook of the Nigerian economy, focusing on global, continental, national, sub-national, and sectoral issues. He teaches Economics of Globalization on the post-graduate Nigerian Scholars Programme (NSP) at the Nigerian University of Technology and Management (NUTM) in Lagos.

He is the Coordinator of the Technical Working Group (TWG) on Financial Sector and Capital Markets on National Development Plans MTNDP 2021-25, MTNDP 2026-30, and Nigeria Agenda 2050. He is the Vice-Chairman of the Technical Committee of the National Council on Privatization (TC-NCP), aligning privatization programmes with the macroeconomy.

He was a Member of Board of Economic Advisers in the Office of the Economic Adviser to the Vice-President, contributing to the conception of economic policy ideas for the country. He was a Member of Nigeria’s Industrial Council, shaping efforts to ensure Nigeria’s industrial advancement. He was a Member of Presidential Technical Advisory Committee on Implementation of New National Minimum Wage. He was a member of the defunct National Economic Intelligence Committee (NEIC), where he conducted periodic reality checks on macroeconomic, fiscal, and monetary policies.


Ayo received grants from Ford Foundation and Rockefeller Foundation, chaired the steering committee of Money, Macroeconomic and Finance Research Group of Money Market Association of Nigeria, a Council Member and Chair of Economic and Statistics Committee of Lagos Chamber of Commerce and Industry, a Non-Executive Director of Proshare and was a Non-Executive Director of Greenwich Trust Group.

Ayo is well known for publicly articulating views on Nigeria’s economic reform imperatives. From 1996 to 1998, he spearheaded the advocacy for re-denomination of Naira notes and coins that led to the introduction of N100, N200, N500 and N1000 between 1999 and 2005. N50 note was the highest denomination prior to that advocacy. His current advocacy is how Nigeria can leverage vast stocks of under-utilized public wealth to attract external liquidity inflows required to rejuvenate ebbing fiscal, financial, and forex flows and change the economic narratives.

ABOUT EA

WHAT WE DO
Incorporated in 2004, Economic Associates (EA) equips decision-makers with the information required for the creation, preservation, and optimization of economic value in Nigeria. Our conferences, seminars, reports, and advisory clients have included decision makers and analysts from manufacturing, trading, banking, investment, stock broking, consulting, federal and state government ministries, departments and agencies, multinational corporations, embassies, and multilateral and bilateral development partners. Our service offerings currently revolve around five work areas:

- **The Global Crucible**: framework for tracking and aligning with unfolding global realities
- **Continental Melting-Points**: realignment options for syncing continents’ strategies with global realities
- **National Melting-Points**: realignment options for syncing countries’ strategies with global realities
- **Subnational Melting-Points**: realignment options for syncing states’ strategies with global realities
- **Sectoral Melting-Points**: realignment options for syncing companies’ strategies with global realities

EA offers three mutually reinforcing modalities for tracking and realigning strategies with global evolution:

1. **Our open-enrolment conferences on Nigeria’s Economic Outlook** offer decision makers opportunities to engage external peers, with varied backgrounds and aspirations, on the latest developments in global, national, sub-national, and sectoral spheres, and refine their tacit notions of the best adaptive responses to unfolding realities.

2. **Our subscription services on Nigeria’s Economic Outlook Report and Leading Indicators Databases** codify insights from our conferences for wider circulation among decision makers at national, sub-national, and sectoral levels who desire reference documents for guiding economic decisions.

3. **Our in-house presentations on Nigeria’s Economic Outlook** offer decision makers opportunities for the deeper internal engagement required to assimilate the key issues into their strategies.

CONFERENCES
EA’s one-day Conferences on Nigeria’s Economic Outlook and Executive Economics offer decision makers opportunities to situate their tacit concerns about the economy in global and local contexts and engage in peer scrutiny that provides the tunnel and peripheral vision, hindsight, insights, and foresight to soar above the storms. Conference participants focus on the broad contours of the unfolding global scenarios and explore the pragmatic range of swiftly implementable realignment options at the global, continental, national, subnational, and sectoral levels.

COURSES/SEMINARS
EA’s Five-Day Seminars on Strategic Economics are a series of knowledge-and-skill-building weeklong courses that explore granular strategic contents of global, continental, national, subnational, and sectoral issues to offer opportunities for building organizational competence to organically analyze, articulate, implement, monitor, and evaluate strategy execution.

SUBSCRIPTION SERVICES
Our subscription services distill codifiable insights from our conferences for wider dissemination. Nigeria’s Economic Outlook Report and Leading Indicators Databases are vigilance/foresight toolkits that provide ongoing narratives and databases to track and contextualize evolving global trends for assimilation into decisions.

ADVISORY
We work with clients to explore, customize, and assimilate various issues of relevance across our work areas into their strategic aspirations. Our strategic engagements typically move through three stages from awareness to action:

- **Concept Formation**: awareness conversations with decision makers to explore strategic issues/deliverables.
- **Strategy Formulation**: tacit intuitive interactions with decision makers to tease out customized solutions.
- **Capacity Building**: foster in-house capacity to act: analyze, articulate, implement, monitor, and evaluate execution.

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