You are cordially invited to
an extraordinary celebration of African unity, creativity and collaboration.

THE PAN-AFRICAN FABRIC
& FASHION SHOWCASE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2026
1:00 PM – 5:00 PM

SMITHSONIAN
NATIONAL MUSEUM OF AFRICAN ART
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Community Day

ONE FABRIC.
MANY AFRICAN STORIES.

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PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Your invitation includes the full programme of events, from The Pan-African Fabric & Fashion Showcase at the Smithsonian National Museum of African Art to the Cultural Reception at the Embassy of Cameroon.

1:00 PM

Community Day Opens

Smithsonian National Museum of African Art

2:00 PM – 3:00 PM

The Pan-African Fabric & Fashion Showcase

A contemporary runway presentation celebrating a Pan-African vision of unity through original designs by nine designers representing nine African countries.

3:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Meet & Greet with Designers, Diplomats and Fellow Guests

Enjoy photo opportunities and explore the Smithsonian National Museum of African Art, discover its exhibitions, and experience Community Day activities, including the Sounds of Africa Concert.

6:00 PM – 8:30 PM

Cultural Reception

Embassy of Cameroon, Washington, D.C.

Continue the celebration through an evening of cultural exchange and connection with designers, diplomats, cultural leaders, and invited guests, while enjoying The Pan-African Fabric exhibition and celebrating a shared vision of African unity.

For the Cultural Reception:

kindly RSVP by

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