

INVITATION TO THE 41ST INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SCIENCE PARKS AND AREAS OF INNOVATION (IASP) WORLD CONFERENCE IN NAIROBI FROM 24TH TO 27TH SEPTEMBER, 2024

In recognition of the State Department's mandate of harnessing Diaspora savings, facilitating Foreign Direct Investments (FDI) and technology transfers, it is imperative to equip the Kenyan Diaspora with information on the existing investment, high-level engagement and networking opportunities in science and technology.

This is to inform that the Ministry of Information, Communications, and the Digital Economy through Konza Technopolis Development Authority will be hosting the 41st International Association of Science Parks (IASP) and areas of innovation World Conference under the theme, '**Demographics, Entrepreneurship and Technology: *Defining the frontiers of future economies***'. The World Conference will be held in Nairobi from 24th to 27th September, 2024 at the Kenyatta International Convention Centre (KICC). This marks the return of the World Conference to Africa since 2008.

The IASP World Conference brings together experts and leaders from science and technology parks, areas of innovation, technology-based incubators, academia, the public sector, and businesses worldwide. This high-impact, resourceful weeklong conference will include keynote addresses, panel discussions, exposés, roundtable engagements, and networking opportunities. Interested participants may visit the IASP website and register. <https://www.iaspworldconference.com/register/>

This is therefore to extend this invitation to you to attend the conference.