

CCRDA Forum 2021: *Diversity in International Development – A Call to reflection and action*



May 5-6, 2021
ONLINE via Zoom

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL TIMES ARE EASTERN STANDARD TIME

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5	
8:00 am	Welcome, Opening Remarks & Reflection
8:30 am	Keynote Speaker: Dr. Ken Muma Racism in a Rural Localized Context: Sub-Saharan Africa <i>Question:</i> How does someone from the Majority World experience “development” work?
10:00 am	Break
10:30 am	Workshops Your choice of virtual workshops: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Thematic Sessions – Explore more issues of equity and diversity in your work and life in smaller groups.• Soul Care Sessions – Diversity work is hard! Check out one of these sessions to keep you fueled for the journey.• Bonus Sessions – Non-thematic sessions with great content to round out your Forum experience.

11:30 am	Break
12:30 pm	<p>Keynote Speaker: Dr. Terry Le Blanc</p> <p>Asset-Based Theology: An unusual paradigm</p> <p><i>Question:</i> Are there other ways of working that we have missed because of our cultural biases?</p>

THURSDAY, MAY 6

8:00 am	<p>Workshops</p> <p>Your choice of virtual workshops:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thematic Sessions - Explore more issues of equity and diversity in your work and life in smaller groups. • Soul Care Sessions - Diversity work is hard! Check out one of these sessions to keep you fueled for the journey. • Bonus Sessions - Non-thematic sessions with great content to round out your Forum experience.
9:00 am	Welcome, Opening Remarks & Reflection
9:30 am	<p>Keynote Speaker: Onome Ako</p> <p><i>Question:</i> Who is at the Decision-making Table and Why is it Even Important?</p>
11:00 am	Break

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1:00 pm	<p>Diversity in Development Panel</p> <p>With keynote speakers Dr. Terry LeBlanc, Dr. Ken Muma and Onome Ako</p>
1:45 pm	<p>Closing Remarks</p>

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