



# East African Community Investment Mission

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Welcome !



# Délégation de la Communauté d'Afrique de l'Est au Canada

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Bienvenue !



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# “L’Afrique de l’Est – Un marché une destination”

Explorer de nouvelles opportunités  
d’investissement et de partenariat à travers  
l’Afrique de l’Est – Burundi, Kenya, Ouganda,  
Rwanda, Tanzanie



## East African Community - Aims and Objectives

The EAC aims at widening and deepening co-operation among the Partner States in, among others, political, economic and social fields for their mutual benefit. To this extent, the EAC countries established a Customs Union in 2005 and are working towards the establishment of a Common Market by 2010, subsequently a Monetary Union by 2012 and ultimately a Political Federation of the East African States.



## East African Community - Enlargement of the Community

The realization of a large regional economic bloc encompassing Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda, Tanzania and Uganda with a combined population of 120 million people, land area of 1.85 million sq kilometers and a combined gross domestic product of \$ 41 billion, bears great strategic and geopolitical significance and prospects of a renewed and reinvigorated East African Community.



## Canadian Council on Africa (CCAfrica)

The Canadian Council on Africa (CCAfrica) is the only pan-Canadian organization dedicated to the economic development of Africa. With over 150 members active in every sector of the economy and 4 offices located across Canada, CCAfrica is at the forefront of Canada's economic relationship with Africa.



## Conseil canadien pour l'Afrique (CCA Afrique)

Le Conseil canadien pour l'Afrique (CCA Afrique) est la seule organisation pancanadienne consacrée au développement économique de l'Afrique. Avec plus de 150 membres actifs dans tous les secteurs de l'économie et avec 4 bureaux situés à travers le Canada, CCA Afrique est incontournable quand il s'agit des rapports économiques entre le Canada et l'Afrique.



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