

Room VIP 1

Side Event 5: Fuzé Challenge Pitching Session

9 June 2026 – from 10h00 to 16h30

Summary

A formal selection event where approximately 15 pre-selected pre-seed and seed-stage startups will pitch to a jury for potential investment from the Fuzé fund. Digital Africa is committed to investing in at least one startup following this process.

Context

Digital Africa's Fuzé fund is dedicated to African pre-seed and seed-stage startups. It is sector-agnostic and can invest up to €100,000 per startup. This edition of the Fuzé Challenge is supported by AEDIB and will be held as part of the Mozambique-EU Business Forum.

Objectives of the session

- Set Source startups for a Fuzé fund investment.

Session format

The session will last 6 hours and 30 minutes and will be organised as follows:

- Welcome and introduction of the jury/agenda.
- Approximately 15 pre-selected startups will participate in pitch sessions, each followed by a Q&A with the jury.
- Jury deliberation and closing remarks.

The pitching sessions are closed to the public.

Stakeholders involved

- Digital Africa. Renew Capital. AMBA. Ideialab. EU Delegation to Mozambique.

Pitching start-ups

- (1) Bulalab; (2) MozaERP; (3) Farmer and Agent Management System (FAMS); (4) Metablock 22; (5) Almo Intellect; (6) Soft Tech Solutions; (7) bLUESTRING Co; (8) Agritechmoz; (9) Fidli; (10) Empowa.