

**"AFRICA IN MUSEUM" GENEVA**  
**DIALOGUE ON AFRICAN ARTEFACTS IN SWITZERLAND**

Side Event to the 3rd session of the UN Permanent Forum of People of African Descent.

**Date:** 18th April 2024

**Venue:** Musée d'Ethnologie de Genève, Boulevard Carl-Vogt 67, CH - 1205, Geneva

Bus 19 direction "Onex Cité" till Musée d'Ethnologie (5 stops)

**Time:** 13:00 - 14:30 (Geneva time)

This Side Event is organised by African Diaspora Council of Switzerland and African Foundation for Migration and Development in collaboration with Nigerians in Switzerland, Geneva. The languages of the event are English and French, Entry is free with limited number of places.

"Africa in Museum" is a Dialogue series with Swiss museums on African artefacts in Switzerland initiated in 2021 as part of activities of the 1st Decade of People of African Descent in Switzerland. Participants will visit the gallery of African arts and learn more about the importance and spiritual significance of African artefacts and the role of restitution in the decolonization process. It serves also as a forum for Swiss museums to inform on their various initiatives of research on provenance and dialogue with African countries on restitution. It is in line with "Culture and Recognition".

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