**Indigenous Foods and Local Food Security: Changing Food Habits in Rapidly Urbanizing Africa**

**Description of event:**
1. A PowerPoint presentation on indigenous foods and traditional methods of processing them.
2. A panel discussion and poster session on efforts being made to promote production and consumption of indigenous foods and to meet the challenges posed by changing food habits in rapidly urbanizing Africa.

**Name of organization:**
The Coalition of African Organisations on Food Security and Sustainable Development (COASAD)

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The Coalition of African Organisations on Food Security and Sustainable Development (COASAD) is a non-political, pan-African NGO. The mission of the organisation is the attainment of food security for the African people and the elimination of hunger and poverty in the region.

**Partner organizations:**
Africa-based non-governmental organizations whose stated mission is food security and sustainable development.

**Confirmed speakers:**
N/A

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