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**2015 Events at a Glance**

**THEME**

**e-INNOVATE NIGERIA:**

**RAISING NEW TECHPRENEURS, CREATING NEW BUSINESSES**

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| **S/No** | **Events** | **Targets** | **Objectives** | **Date** | **Place** | **Status** |
| 1. | Chapter Coordinators Workshop | Personnel willing to host States’ events | To Train and Empower for delivery of high tech Mandates nationwide | 26th January | Abuja | Closed |
| 2. | Engaging Women and Youths in Participatory and Transparent Political Systems using ICTs for Business & National Development | Women and Youths with Leaders at States and LGAs as well as the general public | To sensitise women and youth on Entrepreneurship and business Development in ICTs and other related innovative businesses for economic sustenance and nation building | 27th January  (Abuja Ended)  February 12th , Lagos  Continuous as dates for other States are fixed | Abuja and all States | Still Ongoing in States |
| 3. | Women ICT Summit Abroad | Women from Public and Private Organisations | To foster Partnerships and Networking of Women for Competitiveness | 16th – 20 March | Washington DC USA  Phase 1 | Phase I Ended |
| 4. | IREX Beyond Access Training for Women Leaders | Women Leaders from Local Govt & Ministries in FCT, Abuja | To foster partnerships for better utilisation of National Libraries Services in the FCT | May- Oct, 2015 | National Library, Abuja | FREE  Registration Ongoing  (Continuous Training for FCT and environs only) |
| 5. | Girls and Women in ICT Day | Girls in Schools | To empower and encourage career in ICTs Skills and Business Development | 14th May | FCT | Free  Ended |
| 6. | IREX Beyond Access ICT for Library Use Workshop and Trainings | Women & Youths from Local Govt & FCT Suburbs, Abuja | To foster partnerships for better utilisation of National Libraries Services in the FCT | June, 2015 | National Library, Abuja |  |
| 7. | Women Leaders Forum | Wives Leaders and Wives of Local Government Areas, States Houses of Assembly and National Assembly | Engaging Women Leaders at all levels to New Business Opportunities and Entrepreneurship in ICTs as a way of further empowering younger and indigent women in the Grassroots & Communities | 21st – 22nd July  23rd - 24th July | Wives & Women Leaders at LGAs  Wives of State’s Houses of Assembly & Women Leaders at States | N 87, 500  Registration Ongoing |
| 8. | ICT Summer Academy Camp (ISAC) | All Youths (Male and Female) from ages 15 – 35 in all States and the FCT | Building ICT Capacity and Skills in young women and Youths that can lead to Innovation and Commercialisation of Invented Products and Services in ICT.  A camping experience for 1 week for girls and boys (YOUTHS) | 2nd – 8th August  9th – 15th August  16th – 22nd August | Port Harcourt, Eastern Region  Lagos, Southern Region  Abuja, FCT for Northern Region | N 25,000  Registration Open & Ongoing |
| 9. | Ladies ICT Summit (LITS) | Female Students in all Tertiary Institutions Nationwide | Enabling the young undergraduates and Postgraduate Female students to get prepared for the Industry through Practical Learning’s in IT based Businesses and Office Procedures that can avail them to Start-Up after Schooling, and learning how to design Mobile Apps | 14th – 15th Sept. | Abuja | N 15,000  Registration Ongoing |
| 10. | Women ICT Summit (WITS Nigeria)  &  High Tech Women and Youth AWARDS | Women from Ages 18 and above from all works of Life | Gathering of Women from Public, Private, Academia, etc, to have knowledge of Discourse on Tropical National Issues and contribute to Development Plans using ICTs | 16th – 17th Sept | Abuja | N 55,000  Registration Ongoing |
| 11. | IREX Beyond Access ICT for Library Use Workshop and Trainings | Youths from Local Govt & FCT Suburbs, Abuja | To foster partnerships for better utilisation of National Libraries Services in the FCT | 28th Sept. – 2nd Oct, 2015 | National Library, Abuja | FREE |
| 12. | Children’s ICT Summit and Competitions   1. Seminar for All   Schools   1. National Schools’ ICT Competition: | Primary and Secondary School Children Nationwide | To encourage Innovation, Creativities and Ideas from Children that can be nurtured to future business Developments and Industrial Start-Ups | 1st - 19th October | All States of the Federation  Abuja, FCT | OPEN  Free for all Students and schools  N10,000 / School  For those participating in ICT competition Only |
| 13 | ICT Summit  Abroad | Women and Youths (male and female) | A time for Women and Youths to Consolidate through Experiential Learning and Networking Opportunities Abroad | 19th – 23rd October | Dubai  and  USA  (For those with the 2 countries Visa Only) | $ 1,450  Registration Fees Only,  (No Accommodation Please) |
| 14. | Youths ICT Exchange Programme | All young people (male and female) across the Africa | To build Capacity of Youths across Africa to Mobile Apps development and establish a critical mass of knowledge and skills in Innovative Applications Software Designs | 15th – 21st November | Accra Ghana or  Nairobi Kenya | N 155,000  Participants must possess National Travel Passports  (Fees is for Registration, Flights, Accommodation and Meals at event venues & Tours only) |