



Public Policy and Leadership in Africa Programme

African governments are plagued by challenges that negatively impact delivery of public services to citizens, respect for human rights and attainment of development goals.

We believe that effective public governance—rooted in rule of law, inclusion, transparency, collaboration, and participation—is key to improving our communities. To achieve this, we need strong public leadership and teamwork across sectors.

Our training focuses on breaking down government silos and encouraging information sharing between agencies. By equipping leaders with the right tools, we can promote transparency and improve public sector performance. Join us in creating a more accountable and inclusive governments.

Strathmore University's Institute of Public Policy and Governance (IPPG) is committed to strengthening public sector leadership in Africa.

The programme aims to enhance the predictability, efficiency, and effectiveness of public leadership in Africa.

This course is designed to support public sector leaders in Africa in aligning with Agenda 2063's objectives.

Participants will also gain insights into ethical leadership and key governance values.

Programme Benefits

Elevate your leadership capabilities and strategic insights with our comprehensive programme tailored for African governance. The following are the benefits:

- Practical Understanding of Agenda 2063
- Renowned Policy and Leadership experts
- Networking opportunities
- Enhancing ethics in leadership in Africa
- Enhancing the efficiency and effectiveness of African Governments

Executive Education

Target Participants

The programme is designed for both Public and Private Sector Leaders in African countries who are involved in critical decisions in the making of public policy and its implementation.

These includes Government officials: PS, Secretaries, and directors;

Parastatal officials: CEO, Directors, and Senior managers; County Governments like CEC, County Executives Committee members, Chief Officers and Civil societies.

Participants will be selected based on professional achievements and organizational responsibilities.

Key Focus Areas

Participants will cover the following areas in 4 modules:

- **The fundamentals of Public Leadership, including its political nature, in the 21st Century:** How Globalization, decentralization, and knowledge economies are redefining public sector leadership as change agents and guardians of public service values.
- **The Dynamics of Public Leadership in Africa:** The course explores how leadership dynamism in policy enactment impacts implementation in African countries, aligning with the vision for 2063 to transform Africa into a global powerhouse.
- **Leading Policy Design: The international dimensions of Public Policy in Africa:** Understand designing and delivering policies or programs that address social and economic problems.
- **The international dimensions of Public Policy in Africa:** How expanded foreign influence affects national trends and policies, Increase trade and greater openness with respect to foreign investment.
- **Effective implementation of public policy:** Understand the essential components for effective policy implementation, including clear leadership, the right team, and governance arrangements aligned with national laws and international standards.

Programme Delivery

The delivery of the course combines expert-led lectures, strategic discussions, and real-world case studies, all facilitated by renowned policy and leadership professionals.

Through the case methodology, participants delve into practical scenarios, fostering collaborative problem-solving.

Throughout the program, participants will be expected to develop a Policy Brief that will serve as a capstone project for the program and will be presented in a Policy Dialogue before graduation.

The course will be delivered in 4 modules in person (Strathmore University, Nairobi) over a period of 8 months.

Faculty

The Public Leadership in Africa is led by a team of experienced and dedicated faculty members who are committed to helping Public Sector Leaders in African countries to achieve the goals and priority areas of Agenda 2063.

Our faculty members bring a diverse range of perspectives and approaches to the programme, ensuring that participants receive a comprehensive and well-rounded education.

For more information on the programme and application please write to eepolicy@strathmore.edu or call +254 (0) 703 034 414.



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