



Time: Data in Central European Summer Time (CEST), please check your local time with a time zone converter like dateful.com

Language: English (translation into Spanish; into German just on Saturday)

Location: Online on Zoom

Registration: → www.mission-21.org/summerschool

Participation: Free of charge, also possible on individual days

Survey: → bit.ly/3McsOfp

Thursday, Aug. 25, 2022

1–2pm
CEST



Themrise N. Khan, Pakistan

Independent Aid Policy Analyst with over 25 years of experience in international development; www.themrise.wordpress.com

Decolonize Aid?

Long-time Pakistani aid professional Themrise Khan opposes the use of the word decolonization in the context of aid by arguing that it is not the decolonization of aid that is important, but rather the end of aid. *Keynote (20 min.) + discussion.*

7–8pm
CEST



María Ximena González-Serrano, Colombia

Doctoral Researcher European RIVERS Project which investigates the relationship between human rights and water; <https://rivers-ercproject.eu/>

Decolonizing cooperation and development: A critical perspective from Latin America

Critical notions developed by indigenous peoples, black people, feminist movements and critical academia in Latin America: understandings of non-hegemonic relations between peoples, countries and contexts. *Keynote (20 min.) + discussion.*

Friday, Aug. 26, 2022

1–2pm
CEST



Dr. Moses Isooba, Uganda

Executive Director of the Uganda National NGO Forum (UNNGOF); www.ngoforum.or.ug

Decolonizing the Aid Industrial Complex: The use of Language and Lexicon

The aid-related dominance of English, French or Spanish means that translation into indigenous languages is mandatory as part of the development process. How can we enable more inclusive communication that is less neo-colonial, sexist, racist?

Keynote (20 min.) + discussion.

7–8pm
CEST



Muganzi Muhanguzi Isharaza, UK and Uganda

INGO Communications Professional, Researcher and PhD Candidate in Communications (Leeds); <https://ahc.leeds.ac.uk/media/pgr/1592/ganzi-m-isharaza>

Beyond Labels and Cultural Wars: Thoughts on Decolonizing Aid

How decolonizing international NGO images and language can be used to not only improve international development work, but also foreground the agency of those the sector seeks to support. *Keynote (20 min.) + discussion.*

Saturday, Aug. 27, 2022

12–1pm
CEST



**World Conversation Café
Africa–Asia–Europe**

Does development cooperation perpetuate colonial power structures? Does it ultimately help the donors more than the recipients? And who decides what 'development' means anyway?

6–7pm
CEST



**World Conversation Café
Africa–Latin America–Europe**

Join the discussion with experts and interested parties from four continents about strategies for more equal cooperation.

Exchange + discussion in groups.