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Programme: Partnerships for Sustainable Solutions in Sub-Sahara Africa

Project: Collaboration for Active Mobility in Africa (CAMA)

"Shape Your City's Movement!"

1. Introduction and project overview

The Collaboration for Active Mobility in Africa (CAMA) is a collaborative project among two German universities and three African universities to work collectively on promoting active mobility. It is part of the Partnership for Sustainable Solutions initiative in Sub-Saharan Africa funded by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research Germany (BMBF) and the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD).

The project started in June 2021 and will last till May 2025. The project holds a consortium of five universities namely, Mekelle University (Mekelle, Ethiopia), Makerere University (Kampala, Uganda), University of Nairobi (Nairobi, Kenya), University of Kassel (Kassel, Germany) and Karlsruhe University of Applied Sciences (Karlsruhe, Germany).

As part of the project, a comprehensive survey was conducted between December 2022 and February 2023 to study active mobility users' behaviour in the cities of Mekelle (Ethiopia), Nairobi (Kenya) and Kampala (Uganda). In addition, a web application was developed in 2022 that can be used to directly assess the existing infrastructure, which is then reflected in a geo-information system. If you are interested to read details of the project, you will find detailed information on the newsletters released on the website of the project (<https://cama-project.com/news/>).

The project aims to promote walking and cycling through data collection, development and uptake of tailor-made solutions, real-life experiments (living labs) and continuing education for active mobility in sub-Saharan Africa.

2. Expert workshop

This Expert Workshop on Active Mobility aligns with CAMA project's main objective: to promote walking and cycling across Sub-Saharan Africa, under the theme "Shape Your City's Movement".

The workshop agenda offers a valuable mix of activities:

- Guided site visits to showcase relevant infrastructure.
- Presentations on the findings of Mekelle's mapping tool.
- Insights into global real-life experiments with active mobility.
- Group discussions to foster collaboration and exchange ideas.
- Presentations by participants to share their expertise.

This workshop aims to establish a strong network of professionals, experts, and stakeholders.

These connections will be crucial for the real-life experiment we plan to conduct in September 2024.

Date: Saturday, May 18th, 2024, 8:30 AM, Location: Management Hall, Mekelle University main Campus.

3. Active mobility campaign events

Walking and Hiking, and Bike ride events are planned to be undertaken following the workshop. In these events, messages regarding the benefits of walking and cycling will be disseminated to the participants. route maps are sketched as shown in the attachment below along with the workshop program.



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Expected participants/ Experts

SN	Experts	No.	SN	Experts	No.
Expected Participants					
1	Mekelle City Administration, Mekelle City Municipality, urban planning	1	18	Contractors association	1
2	Mekelle City Enforcement Code	1	19	Consultant association	1
3	Mekelle City Beautification and greenery office	1	20	School of Civil Engineering, MU	6
4	Office of Mekelle City Infrastructure	1	21	School of Architecture and Urban Planning, MU	4
5	Mekelle City Office of Transport Administration	1	22	FUL, MU	1
6	Mekelle Office of Traffic Police	1	23	Department of Sport Science	1
7	Mekelle Environmental Protection and Climate Change	1	24	Students' rep of Atse-Yohanse	2
8	Tigray Bureau of Transportation and Communication	2	25	Teachers' rep of Atse-Yohanse	1
9	Tigray Bureau of Urban Dev't and Construction	1	26	SUR construction Plc	2
10	Tigray Bureau of Health	1	27	Street vendor	1
11	Tigray Sport Commission	1	28	Shop owner	1
12	Expert from Tigray Infrastructure Secretariat Office	1	29	EgreMened Impact project	1
13	UIIDP	1	30	ITDP-ADD	1



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Attachment: CAMA Workshop Program 18th, 19th and 26th May 2024

Saturday 18/05/2024	Sunday 19/05/2024	Sunday 26/05/2024
Expert workshop	Walking and hiking	Bike-ride (Cycling)
Registration 8:30 – 8:59	Departure: Atse-Yohanse Secondary School	Departure: Axum hotel
Workshop orientation 9:00 – 9:09	Registration 6:00 – 6:20	Registration and briefing on purpose of biking & safety 6:00 – 6:30
Site visit 9:10 – 10:09	Brainstorming 6:21 – 6:30	Bike riding 6:31 – 8:00
Health break 10:10 – 10:29	Walking/hiking 6:31 – 8:00	Closing remarks 8:01 – 8:20
Brief presentation of results from Mapping tool by Mr. Gebremariam 10:30 – 10:44	Closing remarks 8:01 – 8:20	
Global experiences of living lab/ real- life experiment by Mrs. Azeb 10:45 – 10:59		
Group discussion and presentation 11:00 – 11:39		
Discussions 11:40 – 12:14		
Closing remarks 12:15 – 12:29		
Lunch 12:30		



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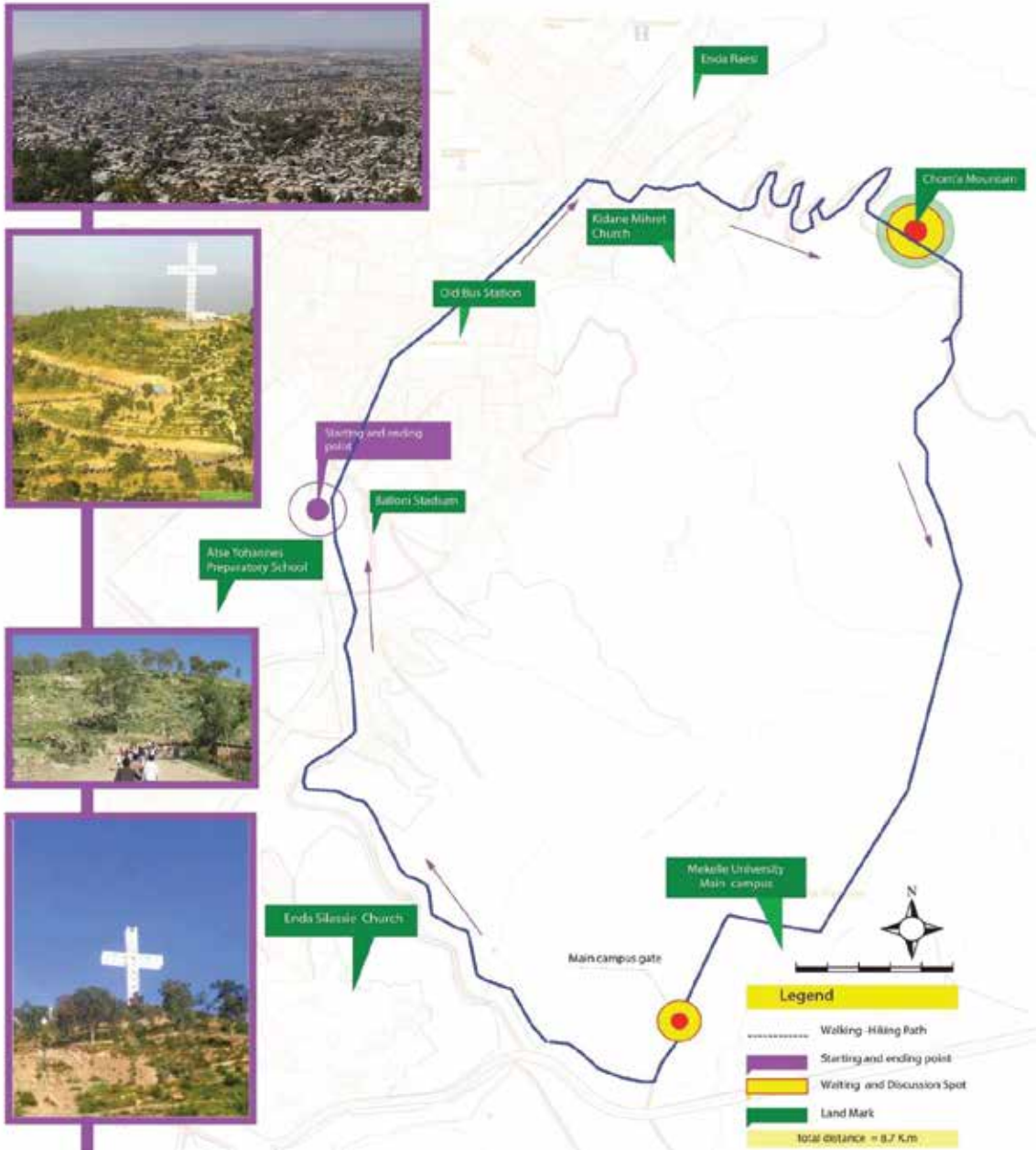


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Walking and Hiking Map 19th May 2024



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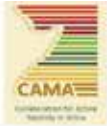


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Bike Ride / Cycling Tour Map 26th May 2024



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