



Invitation Online conference

**“Challenges and Opportunities for the energy sector
in contributing to poverty reduction and
sustainable development. (SDGs 1, 8 & 7)”**



Tuesday, August 24th from 6:00p.m to 8:30p.m. (Germany time)

Dear interested and friends of Africa

We cordially invite you to the online conference:

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to poverty reduction and sustainable development. (SDG 1, 8 & 7)”**

Energy lies at the heart of both the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and the Paris Agreement on Climate Change. Advancement in SDG 7 has the potential to spur progress in Africa across the other SDGs— on poverty eradication, gender equality, climate change mitigation and adaptation, food security, health, education, sustainable cities and communities, clean water and sanitation, jobs, innovation, transport, and the treatment of refugees and other displaced people. Yet progress on SDG 7 is falling short. There is still much to do to ensure universal access.

Despite increases in electrification over the last 2 years, more than half of Uganda’s population still lack access to electricity. They rely on wood, charcoal, animal and crop wastes, or other solid fuels to cook their food and light their homes. The rate of progress towards cleaner fuels and technologies remains slow as industrialisation continues to be on the rise in the country.

Join us as we learn from experts in the energy sectors from Africa (Uganda) and Germany about the challenges and opportunities in the energy sector

The language of the event is English

Participation is free of charge

The technical requirement for participation is an internet-enabled device (computer, tablet or Handy ...)

The event takes place as part of **“CHAT der WELTEN”** programme

Further information and registration: dkzentler.info@gmail.com

After successful registration, the participants will receive the link to the event by email.

Organisers:

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Jeremiah Ssekabira: SDG youth advocate & Coordinator of “Chat Mit Uganda” (CMU)

Panellists:

from Germany and Uganda

