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Strengthening Sustainable Biorisk Management in Africa Wednesday December 12, 12:30-2:00, FCT Room

This seminar will present strategies for strengthening biorisk management across laboratories in the African region. The workshop will be led by biorisk management professionals from the International Federation of Biosafety Association's (IFBA) member Biosafety Associations in Mali, Nigeria, Cameroon and Ivory Coast who will share lessons learnt, discuss challenges and highlight opportunities to build sustainable laboratory biosafety and biosecurity capacity.

Learning Outcomes

- Discover sustainable approaches for building biorisk management capacity in laboratories handling infectious materials
- Understand how to develop and implement national biosafety strategies and policies
- Learn about IFBA's professional certification program in biorisk management
- Build partnerships and network with biosafety professionals in the African region

Symposium Speakers

- Djibril Sangaré, President, Association Malienne pour la biosécurité et la biosûreté
- Ibiang Livinus, President, Nigerian Biological Safety Association
- Pierrette Mefomdjo, President, Cameroon Biological Safety Association
- Touré Mahama, President, Association de biosécurité en Cote D'Ivoire