



## Strategic raw materials for the energy transition in Africa and Europe

### PROGRAM:

- 11:00 am** Arrival of the participants
- 11:30 am** Welcoming remarks by Ms. Caroline Kanter, Deputy Head of the International and European Cooperation, Konrad Adenauer Foundation
- 11:45 am** **Keynote 1:**  
*The geopolitical allocation of critical raw materials in today's world*  
Ms. Sheila Khama, Senior Consultant Raw Materials for Worldbank and AfDB
- 12:15 am** **Keynote 1: Q&A**
- 12:30 am** **Panel 1: "ESG Compliance Challenges in Global Critical Mineral Supply Chains: Monitoring and Mitigation Strategies"**  
followed by Q&A
- 1:30 pm** **Light Lunch Break**
- 2:15 pm** **Keynote 2:**  
*The implementation of the Critical Raw Materials Act (CRMA)*  
Ms. Hildegard Bentele, Member of the European Parliament
- 2:45 pm** **Panel 2: "Innovative Solutions for Localizing Value Chains: Sustainable Resource Extraction in Africa"**  
followed by Q&A
- 3:45 pm** Closing remarks by Ms. Anja Berretta, Head of the Regional Programme Energy Security and Climate Change in Sub-Saharan Africa, Konrad Adenauer Foundation
- 4:00 pm** Reception

### Moderation:

**Dr. Jan Cernicky**, Head of the Division Economy and Innovation, Konrad Adenauer Foundation  
**Annika Schröder**, Policy Advisor Economy and Climate in Sub-Saharan Africa, Konrad Adenauer Foundation