

# CELEBRATING

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## 50 YEARS OF AFRICAN UNION

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### 20 OCTOBER 2013

Embassies of African Union (AU) member states in Denmark are pleased to host an afternoon of cultural activities in Copenhagen, celebrating fifty years of cooperation on the continent. Despite challenges, countries across the continent are experiencing record high growth rates, significant progress in meeting the Millennium Development Goals of reduced poverty and African ownership of African challenges. The event is supported by the Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs and takes place on Sunday 20 October 2013, the day before a high level Africa Panel at the Global Green Growth Forum in Copenhagen.

#### PROGRAMME

**13.30 -14.30 FOOTBALL MATCH : a friendly battle of unions :**

Teams from Embassies of AU and EU member states in Denmark meet in a friendly match.

**Nørrebrohallen, 208 Nørrebrogade, Copenhagen N**

**15.30 -17.30 RECEPTION : with cultural programme :**

Short speeches, photo exhibition 'From OAU to AU', musical performance by Dawda Jobarteh 'Northern Light Gambian Night', and opportunities for informal networking.

**National Museum, 12 Frederiksholms Kanal, Festsalen**

**17.30 -19.00 FILM SCREENING : presenting Afrowood Film Festival :**

Screening of African short films and presentation of Afrowood Film Festival, the first African film festival in Copenhagen.

**National Museum, 12 Frederiksholms Kanal, Cinema**

**Participation is free and registration required : Please click here for registration**

*The celebration is organised in cooperation with Verner Kristiansen ApS. Questions regarding the event can be directed to Mr. Rune Lamberth on [rl@vernerkristiansen.dk](mailto:rl@vernerkristiansen.dk) or +45 4244 2292.*

