

Sino-African tech ties expected to deepen

With the implementation of the 2025-27 action plan unveiled at last year's Forum on China-Africa Cooperation Beijing Summit now underway, experts are projecting deeper China-Africa collaboration in science and technology, focusing on digital infrastructure, digital economy and agricultural modernization. This is in addition to partnerships in education, particularly in science, technology, engineering and mathematics, as well as digital skills and vocational training — aimed at strengthening Africa's talent pools and promoting innovation. China Daily.

Supporting Africa's agri modernization

China's successful experience and technological advancements serve as an instructive model for driving Africa's agricultural modernization ambitions through robust industrialization, energy development and human capital enhancement, a United Nations Industrial Development Organization official said. Dejene Tezera, director of the Agribusiness and Infrastructure Development Division at UNIDO, told Xinhua recently that China possesses the knowledge, technology and relevant resources to support Africa's sustainable development through cooperation in agriculture, industry, energy, capacity building and digitalization. China Daily.

The end of aid is Africa's moment of opportunity

A self-driving EV in Tongzhou district. The spiritual serenity invoked by the Temple of Heaven. A visit to CGTN's landmark building where a vast media empire is in action to tell an alternate world story. Beijing is an overwhelming mix of the past, the present, and the future. But what does it have to do with Africa's aid issues, you are probably asking. As a foreign journalist currently based in Beijing, where I have covered the monumental two sessions and am engaging with key figures like the deputy director at the Foreign Affairs Ministry, I am seeing answers for Africa in Beijing. China Daily.

Kenya keen to borrow a leaf out of China's book

As Kenya makes efforts toward advancing modernization, the government looks forward to learning from China's best practices, says a senior Kenyan government official. Korir Sing'Oei, principal secretary at Kenya's Ministry of Foreign and Diaspora Affairs, said the areas covered by the Kenya-China strategic partnership will greatly contribute to advancing modernization and bringing Kenya closer to China, with the ultimate goal of finding a place and playing a role in global affairs. China Daily.

Kenya Embrace New Modernization to Transform Tourism, and Travel Across Nairobi, Mombasa, and East Africa

As Kenya navigates a pivotal phase of its development journey, the country is increasingly drawing inspiration from China's modernization model, aiming to replicate and adapt successful strategies across multiple sectors—including travel and tourism. The move, championed by high-level Kenyan officials, is expected to significantly reshape the nation's global identity and economic strength, especially as it

positions itself as a key African destination for investment, cultural exchange, and inbound travel. Travel And Tour World.

Star-studded Fest ELAS at the Mozambique-China Cultural Centre on Monday

The "Festival for Women, by Women" – Fest ELAS – is an artistic and cultural initiative part of the celebrations of Mozambique's 50th anniversary of national independence. Fest ELAS has Mozambican women at its epicentre and promises to be an unforgettable show, where music, fashion, dance and poetry intertwine in a unique celebration of Mozambican art and women. Club of Mozambique.

Chinese Ambassador backs sustainable mining, community development in Ghana

The Chinese Ambassador to Ghana, Mr Tong Defa, has lauded the establishment of the Association of China (Ghana) Mining LBG (ACGM) as a key step towards deepening sustainable and inclusive development in Ghana's mining sector. Describing the Association as a "bridge for a win-win cooperation," Mr Tong said the initiative aligned with Ghana's ambition to modernise its mining industry, while protecting its rich natural heritage. Ghana Business News.

Chinese surgeon gives expertise to Zimbabwe healthcare workers

Zhang Yueming, a surgeon at the Third Hospital of Changsha, Hunan province, embarked on his first mission to Africa in March last year. Initially planning a one-year stint, he voluntarily extended his service until March 2026, driven by the urgent need to bridge gaps in Zimbabwe's healthcare system and his commitment to fostering Sino-African solidarity. The 42-year-old is a member of the 21st Chinese (Hunan) Medical Aid Team to Zimbabwe. China Daily.

Congo Seeks Saudi Investment to Counter China's Mining Influence

The Democratic Republic of Congo is seeking mining investors from Saudi Arabia to reduce its reliance on Chinese firms, which currently dominate the sector. Marcellin Paluku, a deputy cabinet director in Congo's Ministry of Mines, highlighted the economic risks of depending on a single partner, noting that 80% of Congo's mines involve Chinese companies. Congo is the world's largest cobalt producer and firms like China's CMOC Group, the world's leading cobalt miner, have significantly increased their investments in the country over the years. Africa.com.

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