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The Centre for Affordable Housing in Africa is currently busy with the preparation of the 2024 Housing Finance in Africa Yearbook. Now in its 15th edition, the annual publication is launched annually at the African Union for Housing Finance (AUHF) Conference and published on the CAHF website. It is produced in both English and French.

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CAHF brings information to the marketplace to enable stakeholders in the public and private sectors to make policy and investment decisions in favour of improved access to affordable housing. Our emphasis is on the role that finance plays in realising this, and we champion market intelligence – data, market analytics, and research – to stimulate investor interest and support better policy. CAHF therefore sits at the intersection of housing and finance – working closely with practitioners in both sectors.

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As the primary industry body for Africa's housing finance sector, the **African Union for Housing Finance (AUHF)** has a critical role to play in supporting market development towards improved efficiencies, better practices, streamlined engagement, and effective interventions to address the myriad problems and challenges that undermine working housing markets in Africa. To drive Africa's **Community of Practice in Affordable Housing** the AUHF has partnered with CAHF since 2010.

CAHF's **Housing Finance in Africa Yearbook** is an important tool in building the Community of Practice in Africa and is one of CAHF's flagship research projects. The publication takes a collaborative approach that uses in-country expertise and technical surveys, drawing on a wide network of housing practitioners, academics, consultants, and researchers to write and research the various profiles. This year, CAHF's Yearbook will draw on the expertise of over **60 authors and editors** to write the country profiles and help edit the content. Once the profiles are finalised, Yearbook authors are then encouraged to work with CAHF to disseminate/share the learnings from the profile in each of the countries. The Yearbook therefore contributes significantly to building the capacity and engagement in the sector.

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Over the 14 years of publication, the Yearbook has grown to become a widely-referenced, regularly consulted publication and is available in both **English and French**. This year, the Yearbook will also include mini-case studies of innovative housing projects from each country.

Now 15 years in publication, the Yearbook is well-known and widely-referenced in the sector.

Published annually to coincide with the Annual Conference of the AUHF, the publication is downloaded over 2,000 times annually and is regularly used by housing finance practitioners, investors, researchers, and policymakers as their first entry into understanding local housing markets across Africa.

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The 2024 Housing Finance in Africa Yearbook will be launched at the AUHF & ISMMA Joint conference in Zanzibar, Tanzania from the 14 – 18 October 2024.

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