

# Actions for African Union Summit

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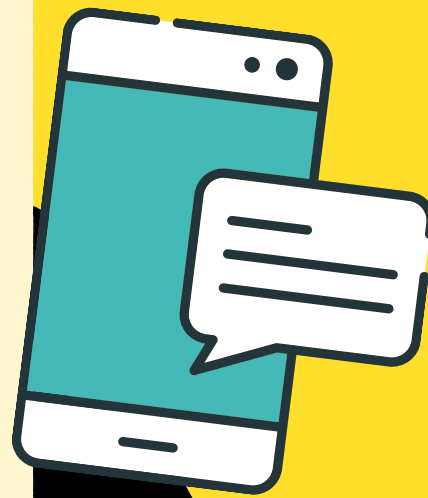


## 2024 Theme: Educate and Skill Africa for the 21st Century

The AU Summit is an annual event hosted by the African Union, where topical issues aligned with the Sustainable Development Goals are discussed. This year's theme is education, making it a perfect opportunity to focus on the state of the environment in Africa.

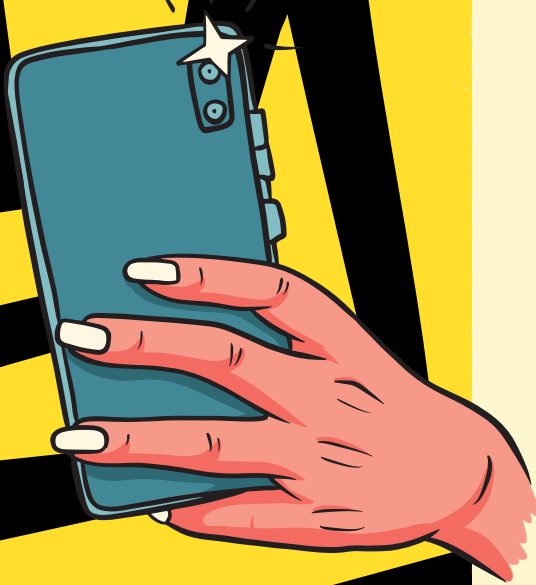
### Action 1: Tweet @ your president/AU

Let us use this opportunity to educate Africa's heads of states on the realities of fossil fuel expansion in Africa. Find the social media copy [here](#).



### Action 2: Live near a gas pipeline? Show us!

We want to hear from you! Share your experiences by taking a video or a picture that captures the realities of gas expansion in Africa. Share it on social media and tag your head of state.



### Action 3: Sign our petition

The African Union has proposed an expansion in fossil fuels, a move that threatens to pollute our continent and endanger lives. Sign our [petition](#) and share it with your networks. Help us get to 75,000 signatures.



# Action 1: Sample Tweets



## Sample 1: Call for Sustainable Energy Solutions

.@[HeadOfState'sTwitterHandle], as you gather at the #AUSummit, remember the urgent need for sustainable energy solutions. Let's prioritize #renewableenergy over gas expansion for Africa's future.

## Sample 2: Highlight importance of Renewable Energy Skills

In line with this years #AUSummit theme, @[HeadOfState'sTwitterHandle], let's not forget that skilling Africa for the future means investing in green jobs and renewable energies. Skilled youths are our best bet against gas expansion and climate change.



## Sample 3: For the President who is a Renewable Energy Champion

At the #AUSummit, @[HeadOfState'sTwitterHandle]'s voice is crucial. Speak out against gas expansion and for a renewable energy future. Your leadership can make a difference for millions.

## Sample 4: Speak on economic and social impacts of gas

.@[HeadOfState'sTwitterHandle], as discussions unfold at the #AUSummit, consider the long-term economic and social impacts of gas expansion. Investing in renewables is investing in our people's future.

[See more tweets](#)



# Action 2: Lived Experience



## Tell us about your experience

What has fossil fuel expansion done to your community? Share a few images or a short video detailing just how bad things are on the ground.

Tag the African Union @\_AfricanUnion.

# Action 3: Petition

## Sample tweet 1: Make it personal

I just signed the @dontgasafrika petition urging the @\_AfricanUnion to refrain from making Africa Europe's Gas Station! 🌍🙌 Every signature counts towards change. Join me! 🙏 Sign here: <https://www.globalcitizen.org/en/action/african-leaders-dont-gas-africa/>

## Sample tweet 2: Call for support

Your voice matters! This #AUSummit we are saying to the @\_AfricanUnion DONT GAS AFRICA! Join the movement by signing this petition: <https://www.globalcitizen.org/en/action/african-leaders-dont-gas-africa/>





**DON'T GAS  
AFRICA**