

CULTURAL : SEPTEMBER
PROGRAM : 2023



Alliance Française
Dar Es Salaam

SEPTEMBER 2023 RECAP

THU 7TH
LITERATURE

Le jardin
7pm
Free Entrance

KALAM SALAAM #3
A Monthly Celebration of Swahili Literary Culture

FRI 8TH
DANCE

Le jardin
7:30pm
Choose entry fees

JUKWA HURU BY MUDA AFRICA
EAST AFRICAN BOLERO By Wesley Ruzibiza (RW)

FRI 8TH
RUGBY

Le jardin
10pm
Free Entrance

RUGBY WORLD CUP FRANCE 2023
Opening Game: France VS New Zealand

SAT 9TH
WORKSHOP

Stroll in DSM
10am - 2pm
Free
Registration required
info@afdar.com

INSTANT PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP
Conducted by Delphine Blast (FR)

SAT 9TH
16TH, 23RD
& 30TH
DANCE CLASS

Le jardin
2pm: HipHop Kids
(from 7 years old)
3:15pm: Afrofusion
4:30pm: Salsa
10.000Tsh/class

DANCE CLASSES EVERY SATURDAY
By African Roots Dance

MON 11TH
CINEMA

Le jardin
8pm
Free Entrance

MUVI KALI #48
"En Corps" ("Rise") directed by Cédric Klapisch (FR)

**OPENING ON
WED 13TH
RUNNING UNTIL
OCTOBER 14TH
EXHIBITION**

La Galerie
6:30pm
Free Entrance

FACE TO FACE
A photographic project by Delphine Blast (FR)

**WED 13TH
MUSIC**

Le jardin
7:30pm
Free Entrance

JUMATANO GROOVE #68
ASHIMBE (TZ) : Asili Jazz

**THU 14TH
WORKSHOP**

Classroom
2pm - 6pm
Free
Registration required
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**PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP FOR
PROFESSIONALS**
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**THU 14TH
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10pm
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RUGBY WORLD CUP FRANCE 2023
France VS Uruguay

**FRI 15TH
DANCE**

Le Jardin
7:30pm
Choose entry fees

JUKWA HURU BY MUDA AFRICA
Usiku wa dansi - Nuit de la Danse

**MON 18TH
CINEMA**

Goethe-Institut
Alykhan Road No. 63
7:30pm
Free Entrance

MUVU KALI #49
"IVIE WIE IVIE" ("Precious Ivie") directed by Sarah
Blaßkiewitz (GE)

WED 20TH
PANEL
DISCUSSION

Le jardin
6pm
Free Entrance

AGENDA ZETU DEBATE
Panel discussion on "HOW TO PUSH AND INCREASE SWAHILI FILMS IN THE INTERNATIONAL AND GLOBAL MARKET" organized by ASEDEVA With Clarence Venance Chelesi, Cece Mlay, Godliver Gordian and Salim Ahmedy

WED 20TH
MUSIC

Le jardin
7:30pm
Free Entrance

JUMATANO GROOVE #69
Mariam Zawose (TZ) 🌟 Gogo Vibes

THU 21ST
RUGBY

Le jardin
10pm
Free Entrance

RUGBY WORLD CUP FRANCE 2023
France VS Namibia

FRI 22ND
CRAFT MARKET
DANCE
MUSIC

Le jardin
5:30pm
Free Entrance

BASATA VIBES #1
Organized by BASATA, National Arts Council

MON 25TH
CINEMA

Le jardin
8pm
Free Entrance

MUVI KALI #50
"La page blanche" ("Eloise's Journey") directed by Murielle Magellan (FR)

FRI 29TH
MUSIC

Le jardin
7:30pm
20.000Tsh

BONGOFLAVA HONORS #7
Presented by Sugu and Alliance Française of Dar Es Salaam.



THU 7TH
LITERATURE

Le jardin
7pm
Free entrance

KALAM SALAAM #3
A Monthly Celebration of Swahili Literary Culture

Kalam Salaam is a unique monthly literary event designed to celebrate, promote, and expand the appreciation and understanding of Kiswahili literature and culture.

Indulge in a riveting panel discussion on the Swahili translation of the 2021 Nobel Prize in Literature-winning masterpiece, "Paradise" by Abdulrazak Gurnah.





**AFRICAN EAST BOLERO
DANCE**

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**FRI 8TH
7:30pm**

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DANCE

Le jardin
7:30pm

Choose your entry fees
2.000Tsh,
5.000Tsh or
10.000Tsh

JUKWA HURU BY MUDA AFRICA
EAST AFRICAN BOLERO By Wesley Ruzibiza (RW)

East African Bolero is a project led by Rwandan choreographer Wesley Ruzibiza, which first intent is to enhance East African traditional culture, giving a contemporary shape to it that makes it accessible and readable on international stages. This show will be created with Beninese choreographer Vincent Harisdo's outside view and after a research dedicated to traditional dances from Rwanda, Uganda, Tanzania and Democratic Republic of Congo. This new creation wants to explore in a refreshingly new way patrimonial dances. By working around contemporary variations of traditional movements, the idea is to root the performance in a regional heritage and to draw on this repository of movements. The repertory created will be confronted and put in relationship with the music monument that is Maurice Ravel's Boléro.

In 2005, Rwandan choreographer and dancer Wesley Ruzibiza creates Amizero Kompagnie, the very first contemporary dance company in Rwanda. With 13 creations since 2005, the company is among the biggest contemporary dance companies of East Africa. East African Bolero, created in 2007 is today considered as a key piece of Wesley Ruzibiza's repertoire.

In July 2022, the French premiere of East African Bolero at Théâtre Paris-Villette was a grand success, so they scheduled another series of dates so that this powerful show could close the season.





FRI 8TH
RUGBY

Le jardin
10pm

Free entrance

RUGBY WORLD CUP FRANCE 2023

Opening game: FRANCE vs NEW ZEALAND

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SAT 9TH **WORKSHOP**

Stroll in DSM
10am-2pm

Free

Registration required
at info@afdardar.com

Max of 8 participants

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INSTANT PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP **Conducted by Delphine Blast (FR)**

As part of the exhibition "Face to Face" by Delphine Blast, the artist offers an instant photography workshop around the same theme, through a stroll through the city of Dar es Salaam, in search of these painted signs, a figure of African popular culture and which tend to disappear today. A selection of photographs will then be included in the exhibition presented in the galleries of the Alliances Françaises of Dar es Salaam and Arusha. Participants have to bring their own camera.



**SAT 9TH, 16TH,
23RD & 30TH**

DANCE CLASSES

Le jardin

2pm: HipHop Kids

(from 7 years old)

3:15pm: Afrofusion

4:30pm: Salsa

10.000Tsh/class



DANCE CLASSES EVERY SATURDAY

By African Roots Dance

Every saturday, enjoy dance classes with professional dancers:

2pm-3pm : HipHop for kids (from 7 years old)

3:15pm - 4:15pm: Afrofusion (open levels)

4:30pm - 5:30pm : Salsa (beginners)



MON 11TH
CINEMA

Le jardin
8pm
Free Entrance

MUVI KALI #48

En Corps" ("Rise") directed by Cédric Klapisch (FR)

Élise thought she had the perfect life: an ideal boyfriend and a promising career as a ballet dancer. It all falls apart the day she catches him cheating on her; and after she suffers an injury on stage, it seems like she might not be able to dance again. The path to physical and emotional recovery will lead her away from Paris to a picturesque location in Brittany – where her friends, a new love and the freedom of contemporary dance will help her reconnect with her father and most importantly, herself.





**FACE TO FACE
EXHIBITION**

OPENING WED 13TH
Running until 14th October

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RUNNING UNTIL
14TH OCTOBER
EXHIBITION**

La Galerie

6:30pm

Free entrance

FACE TO FACE

A photographic project by Delphine Blast (FR)

Delphine Blast is a French artist living in Paris. Her work is based on long-term documentary photography in which portrait occupies a central place.

“Face to Face” is a photographic project that aims at highlighting African painted signs, an integral part of popular culture and which unfortunately tend to disappear today, replaced more and more by digital prints. Intended both to identify a business and to serve as an advertising medium, these signs are an art in themselves. It is therefore natural that Delphine Blast wished to pay tribute to this African folk art.

But faithful to her artistic writing based on documentary portraiture, she also wanted to highlight the Tanzanian craftsmen and customers who are behind her signs and make these businesses live. From the traditional hair salon, to the neighborhood shop, through the couturier or the gym, Tanzanians are also at the heart of the project. For several days, the photographer walked the streets of Arusha to meet these paintings that resist and those who make them live.

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Instagram: @delphine_blast





WED 13TH
MUSIC

Le jardin
7:30pm
Free Entrance

JUMATANO GROOVE #68

Ashimba (TZ) • Asili Jazz and acoustic music

Ashimba - Andrew David Shimba - is a Tanzanian singer-songwriter and guitarist based in Tabora /Dar es Salaam, Tanzania. His style is a combination of East African music, with elements of Asili Jazz and acoustic music. In addition to Swahili, Ashimba sings and writes in various tribal languages. His lyrics talk about Tanzania, its rich nature, everyday life and the importance of traditions, as well as the occasional friction that is created as the modern, globalized world rubs up against them.



**THU 14TH
WORKSHOP**

**Classroom
2pm - 6pm**

Free

Registration required

at info@afd.com

Max of 15 participants

PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP FOR PROFESSIONALS
Conducted by **Delphine Blast (FR)**

The photographer Delphine Blast will be available on 16th September to discuss her work of photographic creation. She will then offer portfolio readings to photographers wishing to present their work.



THU 14TH
RUGBY

Le jardin
10pm
Free entrance

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FRANCE vs URUGUAY

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FRI 15TH
DANCE

Le jardin
7:30pm

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5.000Tsh or
10.000Tsh

JUKWA HURU BY MUDA AFRICA

Usiku wa dansi - Nuit de la Danse

Performances created by 14 Tanzanian choreographers under the mentorship of Moïse Touré (FR) and Francis Viet (FR) from Les Inachevés company.

For a dramaturgy of the beginning, of the now
"The secret is to live from day to day, here and now, and to prioritise your objectives. There's the mountain to climb, the steps to get to the top. These steps are your daily life."



MON 18TH
CINEMA

Goethe-Institut
Alykhan Road No. 63

7:30pm

Free Entrance

MUVI KALI #49

**“IVIE WIE IVIE” (“Precious Ivie”) directed by Sarah
Blaßkowitz (GE)**

The Afro-German Ivie lives with her best friend Anne in Leipzig and works temporarily in the solarium of her ex-boyfriend Ingo while she is still looking for a permanent job as a teacher. Suddenly, her half-sister Naomi from Berlin - unknown to her until then - appears at her door and confronts her with the death of their common father and his upcoming funeral in Senegal. As the sisters slowly get to know each other, Ivie increasingly questions not only her nickname but also her self-image.





WED 20TH
PANEL DISCUSSION

Le jardin
6:00pm

Free Entrance

AGENDA ZETU DEBATE

Panel discussion on "HOW TO PUSH AND INCREASE SWAHILI FILMS IN THE INTERNATIONAL AND GLOBAL MARKET"

This topic will be discussed with :

- Godliver Gordian Multi Award Winning Tanzanian Actress.
- Clarence Venance Chelesi, Senior Film Development from Tanzania Film Board,
- SALIM AHMEDY, actor, director, writer and film producer from Tanzania. He is better known by his stage name as Gabo Zigamba.
- Cece Mlay, passionate story teller, AD and Creative Supervisor at Kijiweni Productions





WED 20TH
MUSIC

Le jardin
7:30pm
Free Entrance

JUMATANO GROOVE #69
Mariam Zawose (TZ) 🌟 Gogo Vibes

Mariam Zawose is musician and she is skilled at playing the traditional instruments of her tribe, the Gogo, which are the Zeze and Irimba (thumb piano).



THU 21ST
RUGBY

Le jardin
10pm
Free entrance

RUGBY WORLD CUP FRANCE 2023
FRANCE vs NAMIBIA

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FRI 22TH
CRAFT MARKET
DANCE
MUSIC

Le jardin
From 5:30pm
Free Entrance

BASATA VIBES #1

Organized by BASATA, National Arts Council

The first BASATA Vibes event will be held at Alliance Francaise where musicians, dancers, and art entrepreneurs will host us with an amazing show.

Be ready for amazing performances with Kontawa (TZ) and Dogo Elisha (TZ)!





MON 25TH
CINEMA

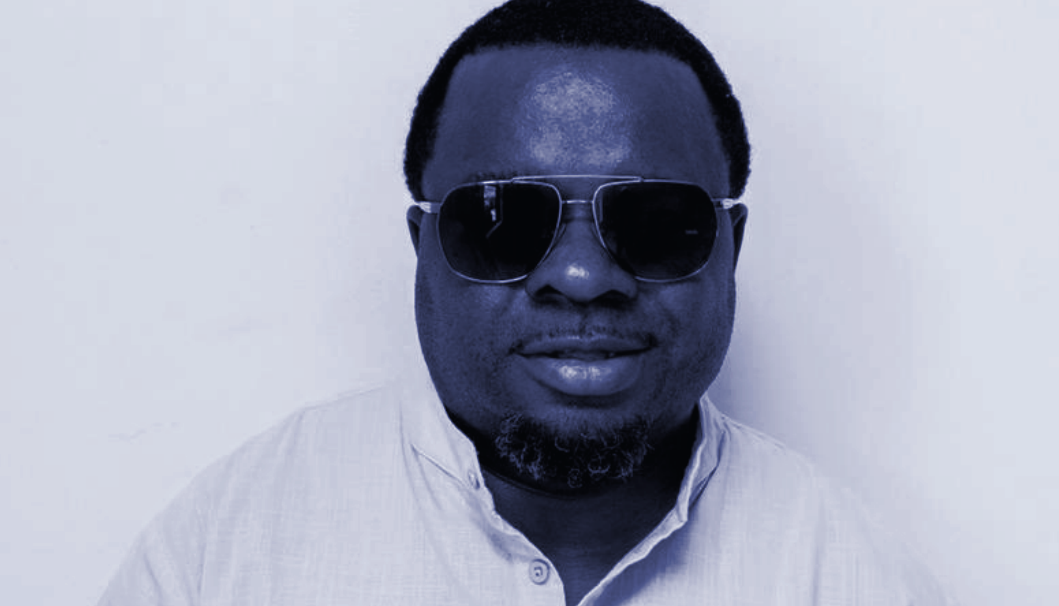
Le jardin
8pm
Free Entrance

MUVI KALI #50

"La page blanche" ("Eloise's Journey") directed by Murielle Magellan (FR)

When Eloise wakes up, she has no memories of her past. Her friends, her job, her family, her life: she truly is a mystery to herself. Patching a few pieces together, Eloise manages to find her flat and her job. However, with no recollection of who she was, she finds herself navigating someone else's life. As the days go by, Eloise discovers who she was and is not fond of it. Eloise realizes her amnesia is an opportunity. It is time for a fresh start!





FRI 29TH
MUSIC

Le jardin
From 7pm to 12am
7:30pm : DJ set
8:30pm : Live performance
11pm : Dj set
20.000Tsh

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BONGOFLAVA HONORS #5

Presented by Sugu and Alliance Française of Dar Es Salaam

Don't miss The Golden Era event, when every last Friday of the month a BongoFlava Legendary artist/group will perform on stage with live band. From single artists to groups that dominated airwaves with their popular hits from late 90s ! Sugu, one of the first Tanzanian rap major artist, wanted to curate a unique platform for his fellow artists, so he associated with Alliance Française of Dar Es Salaam to create Bongo Flava Honors !



OUR CLASSES

The Alliance Française of Dar Es Salaam is a Tanzanian non-profit organization founded in 1961. It is the first French language institution in Dar Es Salaam offering a wide range of courses to suit all levels and needs.

LEARN FRENCH | LEARN KISWAHILI
TAKE PRIVATE TUTORINGS

- Face to face or Online classes
- All year round, all levels from A1 to C2



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