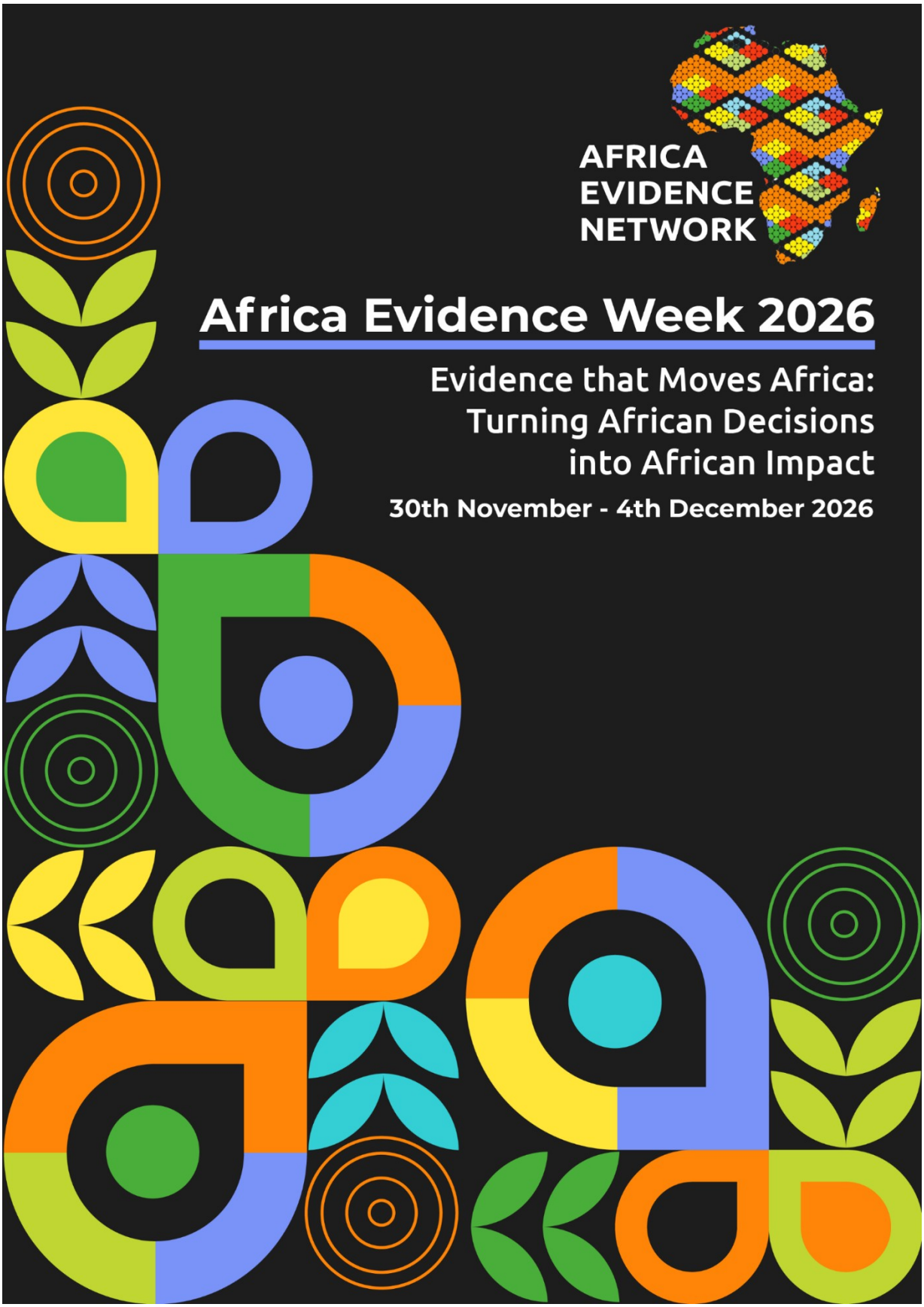

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Sharing Your EIDM Story of Change

What is an EIDM story?

The African evidence ecosystem is brimming with examples of evidence-informed decision-making (EIDM) in action, and with experts and decision-makers who have valuable experience to share. An EIDM story is a personal narrative, written in the voice of its author or authors, which falls into one of two series:

- **Stories of Change:** the difference that being part of the Africa Evidence Network (AEN) has made to your personal or professional life.
- **Evidence Matters:** a real-world example of EIDM thriving in Africa.

Together, the stories in our gallery highlight the diversity, breadth, and extent of EIDM innovation across the continent, and the AEN will use the gallery to advocate for it during Africa Evidence Week 2026. We especially welcome decision-makers' stories.

What your story will need

- **A title** of no more than seven words.
- **Author details:** name, surname, role, and organisation.
- **A photo** of each author.
- **Your series:** say which of the two series it belongs to.
- **Social media handles** for all authors and organisations involved, where possible.
- **Length:** between 800 and 1,500 words.
- **Language:** French or English.

How to submit

1. Read **a few stories in the gallery** to get a feel for the style and content.
2. Write up your story, alone or with co-authors, and check it against the list above.
3. Submit your EIDM story of change through our **online submission** process.