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Dr Kayode Fayemi, Samson Itodo of the #NotTooYoungToRun Movement, Thomas Ravn-Pedersen, CEO of World's Best News, Denmark and Several thought leaders to speak at DARE conference 2019.

Governor Kayode Fayemi of Ekiti State, Professor Adebayo Olukoshi, Hon. Luke Onofiok; Member, Federal House of Reps Akwa Ibom, Samson Itodo, Convener of the #NotTooYoungToRun Bill alongside other activists, policymakers and practitioners from diverse fields are set to speak at the DARE Conference 2019.

This year's theme '**Leverage**' will have young Nigerians discuss and benefit from the wealth of experience of professionals who have leveraged on opportunities and are impacting their respective spheres.

The conference, scheduled for October 11, 2019, to October 12, 2019, in Abuja is divided into four sessions: Entrepreneurship, Education, Health and Governance.

Each session comprising of **Tea Conversations, Pop-up Performances, Pop-up sessions and Panel sessions** aims to Inspire and spur young Nigerians into leveraging on opportunities that abound and looking inward for home-grown solutions.

The insightful and Knowledge packed conference also has a fun, exciting twist with performances from young Nigerians with different genres of artistry ranging from Music, Spoken words, Magic and Drama

DARE conference first held in 2017 inclines youth to be **Determined, Aspire, Re-imagine and Express** in an enriching set-up, where they are able to exchange views and recommend initiatives to decision-makers and influential figures.

The conference will be an avenue to challenge young Nigerians on the need to leverage partnerships, skills and strength in harnessing the demographic dividend as well as mobilising young people towards achieving the Sustainable Development Goals.

The conference is scheduled as follows:

Date: Friday, October 11, 2019 - Saturday, October 12, 2019

Venue: Shehu Musa Yar'Adua Center, No 1, Memorial Drive, Central Business District, Abuja.

Time: 8 am - 5 pm daily.

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