

**Programme / press appointments**

**Meeting of the G8 Finance Ministers**  
**on 18/19 May 2007**

**Friday, 18 May 2007**

Arrival of the delegations

**14:00 to 15:00**

**Press centre (presidency press marquee)**

Press briefing given by the Federal Minister of Finance

**18:00**

Reception for delegates and invited guests hosted by the Federal Minister of Finance

**19:30 to 21:30**

**Event centre**

Meeting of the G8 finance ministers with representatives from the EU, IMF and World Bank, the finance ministers from the outreach countries of South Africa, Nigeria, Ghana, Mozambique and Cameroon, and the President of the African Development Bank Group, Donald Kaberuka (of Rwanda)

followed by:

One-hour boat trip on Lake Schwielow

**Saturday, 19 May 2007**

**08:30**                    **Event centre**  
Working breakfast to kick-off the G8 meeting

**10:30**                    **Family photo**

**11:00**                    **Event centre**  
Continuation of the G8 meeting

**12:10**                    **Break**

**12:35**                    **Event centre**  
Continuation of the G8 meeting

**14:15**                    **Meeting closes**

**followed by:**            **Press centre (presidency press marquee)**  
G8 presidency conference

thereafter:              Press briefings by the other delegations

followed by:             Departure

**Topics:**

**Friday**                    *„Good Financial Governance in Africa“*

**Saturday**                *„Public Finances for the Future“*  
  
*„Capital Market Issues, including Increasing Transparency of Hedge Fund Activities“*  
  
*„Developing Bond Markets in Emerging Market Economies“*  
  
*„AML/CFT“*  
  
*„Development Issues“*