



UPPSALA
UNIVERSITET

Forum för Afrikastudier

The Nelson Mandela Memorial Lecture



Political Transition in Burkina Faso

*Challenges, Constraints, and the
Limits of Political Action*

Prof. Augustin Loada

Thursday 15 Sept. 16-18,
Ihre-salen, Thunbergsv. 3H

This year's Nelson Mandela Memorial Lecture focuses on Burkina Faso's dramatic political transformations since the fall of President Compaoré in 2014. Professor Loada was a key actor in analysis, and political action in these transformations. In this Lecture he will reflect upon the political transition, and the public role of scholars when democracy is under attack.

***Augustin Loada** is Professor of Public Law and Political Sciences at Ouagadougou University. Between 2001 and 2012 he was Director of the think-tank Centre pour la Gouvernance Démocratique. Professor Loada is a founder of Front de résistance citoyenne that played a major role in the 2014 revolution. He was minister in the Transition government 2014-15.*

MOST WELCOME!

afrikastudier@antro.uu.se

www.afrikastudier.uu.se