

Sustainability Imbizo 2013

Premier Hotel, Kempton Park, Gauteng

13 – 14th August 2013

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Sustainability means a lot of things to different people; to our communities it means availability of drinking water, sanitation, roads, roof over their heads, schools, clinics and medicine, etc. For engineers and built environment professionals, it means development of skills and innovation, leadership, and providing solutions to sustainable development and much more. The development of people and institutions is the prerequisite for the development of sustainable infrastructure.

AIM

The Imbizo is aimed at empowering Young Professionals (YPs) with best leadership practice embracing leading in general as community activists and leading as professionals as engineering activists. The second objective is aimed at establishing and maintaining structures, some may call it a platform for collective effort, for YPs to be role models for school learners and to encourage senior infrastructure professionals, the majority being engineers, to mentor YPs. The third objective of the Imbizo provides solutions to skills development and retention, by both the public and private sectors. Without engineering skills there will be no provision of water, housing or roads, only increased poverty, inequality and unemployment.

IMPACT

The Imbizo's impact extends beyond the delegates attending and will have an immeasurable reach into our communities, auguring well for our country's transformation and developmental agenda. It is also a springboard for client bodies and other professional associations across the African continent to institute young professional forums or similar platforms in order to empower youth from an early age to the workplace.

WELL WISHES

The CESA YPF would like to wish Young Professionals, Speakers and Sponsors a successful Imbizo and invite all to participate in the 2014 Sustainability Imbizo.

CESA's Young Professionals Forum (YPF)

Consulting Engineers of South Africa's Young Professionals Forum (CESA YPF) consists of Young Professionals who are passionate about the engineering industry and are interested in ensuring the development, growth and promotion of the profession, thus ensuring the sustainability of engineering skills for the country. Membership is open to all qualified Young Professionals (YPs) in the Engineering and Built Environment, younger than 35 years of age.

The CESA YPF is operated on a non-profit basis and relies on sponsorship support from CESA member firms as well as other companies that seek to grow Young Professionals and understand the importance of their development for the future of the South African economy.

Major Events

- CESA YPF Job Shadow Initiative – more than 800 school learners are provided with an engineering job shadowing opportunity annually.
- Youth In Construction Career Expo – more than 5 000 learners are exposed to careers in engineering with access to role models.
- CESA YPF Sustainability Imbizo – launching in August 2013, this annual conference is a springboard for future leaders providing a discussion platform relating to their role and position in communities, engineering and built environment professions.

The CESA YPF is a springboard for future industry leaders and experts that goes way beyond engineering with active participation at management level. The leadership of the CESA YPF participates at CESA Council level and is involved in a number of Council as well as international committees.

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Conference Agenda

Welcoming Cocktails – sponsored by the Engineering Council of South Africa (ECSA)

DAY 1 – 13 August 2013, Tuesday

Programme Director - Lindzy Msimang

17h30 – 18h00	YPs & Guests arrival, Refreshments
18h10 – 18h20	Welcome Address Jeshika Ramchand-Moonsamy YPF Vice Chairperson & Iliso Consulting
18h20 – 18h40	YPF Vision Likhaya Nkoki YPF Chairperson & Carifro
18h40 – 18h45	Introduction of CESA CEO Dennis Ndaba (CESA)
18h45 – 18h55	Message of Support Lefadi Makibinyane CESA CEO
18h55 – 19h00	Introduction of Guest Speaker Keamogetswe Mmekwa (Hatch Goba)
19h00 – 19h30	Key Note Address Naren Bhojaram CESA President & Royal HaskoningDHV
19h30 – 19h40	Vote of Thanks Tafadzwa Mukwena (YPF Treasurer & Bigen)
19h40 – 20h00	Lindzytainment
20h00 – 22h00	Swizz Deep Entertainment

DAY 2 – 14 August 2013, Wednesday

Programme Director – Likhaya Nkonki, YPF Chairperson

7h30 – 07h45	YPs arrival, Refreshments
Theme: Yesterday, Today & Tomorrow Leaders	
07h45 – 09h00	Welcome and Introduction of Guest Speakers Likhaya Nkonki /Jeshika
	What it means to be a Leader in a time such as this! Gugu Moloi Founder of Iman' Africa Holdings
	Message of Support Clint Koopman Chief Executive of ILISO Consulting (Pty) Ltd
	Question & Answer Session

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09h00 - 09h30	Tea and Coffee Break (with CESA Council Members)
09h30 - 10h00	Council Welcome Jeshika Ramchand-Moonsamy
	Special Address and Introduction of Council Abe Thela CESA Deputy President and Nyeleti Consulting
Theme: YP Business	
10h30 – 11h30	YP National Mandate/Adoption of Business Plan 2014 Jeshika Ramchand-Moonsamy (Iliso) Noqobo Bongoza (Hatch Goba)
11h30 – 12h30	YPF Branch Capacitation Branches
12h30 – 13h30	Lunch
Theme: Sustainability Solutions	
13h30 – 13h50	Enterprise Sustainability and Skills Development and Retention of Professionals – Private Sector Imraan Mahomed (AECOM)
13h50 - 14h10	Development and Retaining Professionals in the Public Sector Zukiswa Mvoko (Johannesburg Road Agency)
14h10 – 14h30	Responsible Development Lucas-Jan Ebels (UWP)
14h30 – 15h00	Panel Discussion - Sustainability Solutions Facilitator: Likhaya Nkonki
15h00 – 15h20	Presentation & Adoption of Imbizo Resolutions Tafadzwa Mukwena (Bigen)
15h20 – 15h30	Way Forward and Farewell Message Likhaya Nkonki
Transition: Travel from Imbizo to Awards Gala Dinner	
18h00	Arrival at CESA Aon Engineering Excellence Awards (Vodaworld, Midrand)



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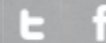
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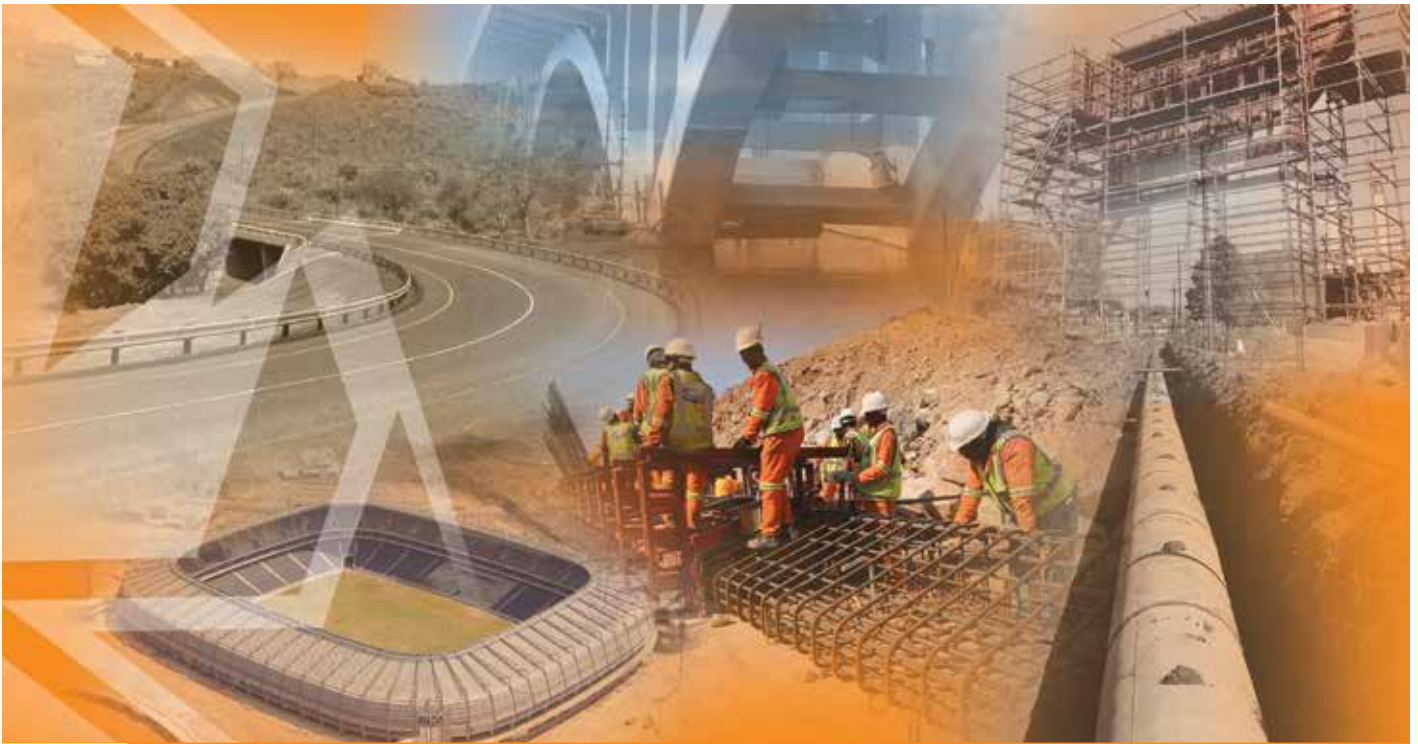


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