



# SAIMM

THE SOUTHERN AFRICAN INSTITUTE  
OF MINING AND METALLURGY





## SAIMM – A proud history

- 1886: Discovery of gold in Johannesburg.
- 1894: Chemical and Metallurgical Society of Metallurgist South Africa formed after 14 chemists and met on 24th March 1894 in Johannesburg to form a society and elect a council.
- 1903: Chemical, Metallurgical and Mining Society of South Africa.
- 1956: South African Institute of Mining and Metallurgy.
- 2006: Southern African Institute of Mining and Metallurgy.





## SAIMM Membership in 2022

Total Membership is 2 456

Membership is spread across 51 countries

77%

SOUTH AFRICA

12%

REST OF AFRICA

11%

REST OF THE  
WORLD





## Gender Diversity

Female membership is 288

Male membership is 2092

12%

FEMALE

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88%

MALE

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~50%

YOUNG  
PROFESSIONALS

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## SAIMM Objectives

- WE INFORM
- WE EDUCATE
- WE CONVENE
- WE ENGAGE





# Corporate Partnerships

'To the capable, the opportunity'





# Other important activities and offerings

## Information and Resource Portal

- Access to technical libraries, including OneMine.org through GMPA
- Journal of the SAIMM
- World-class technical events organised by our Technical Programme Committee

## Mentorship Opportunities

- Hosted by YPC
- Commence in March 2023

- Special interest groups,
  - YPC - Young Professionals Council,
  - ESGS – Environmental Social Governance and Sustainability,
  - SANCOT South African National Committee on Tunnelling,
  - DIMI - Committee on Diversity and Inclusion in the Minerals Industry
- Branches





## Who we are

**SAIMM** is focused on nurturing the future leaders of Southern Africa's minerals industry



Prof. Selo Ndlovu  
DIMI



Prof. Michael Solomon  
ESGS



Gary Lane  
TP



Antony Mello  
YPC







Thank you