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2018 POST EVENT REPORT

Investment for an integrated power transition

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**“It is our privilege to be part of the
Windaba Exhibition 2018.**

**I know there is a lot of preparation
in such a project. We know it will
be a great success as always.”**

Kind Regards

**Rika McLaren
RAND YORK CASTINGS**





**“I would once again like to say
thank you for a great event this
year! Aberdare definitely got
a lot out of the exhibition and
festivities. Job well Done!**


**I look forward to being a part of
this event again next year!”**

**Best Regards
Lester Ross**

PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE - DAY 1

Time	Activity			
07:45 – 08:30	Morning Registration			
08:30 – 10:30	Welcome Breakfast			Venue: Exhibition Hall 8
10:30 – 11:00	Refreshment Break Venue: Exhibition Hall 6			
11:00 – 12:30	Breakaway 1 Finance	Breakaway 2 People & Planning	Breakaway 3 People & Planning	Breakaway 4 Assets
Venue:	Nerina – Level 1	Freesia – Level 2	Orchid – Level 2	Protea – Level 1
Moderator:	Tebogo Movundlela, Board Chairperson - SAWEA	Dr. Tobias Bischoff-Niemz, Board Member - SAWEA	Katherine Persson, Working Group Chair: Policy and Markets - SAWEA	Sam Cook, Working Group Chair: Assets - SAWEA
Theme:	A Macro view: Global & Continental Investment Trends	Capital as a driver of change: Impact & climate-focused investment	The political economy of the Energy transition – planning & policy	Local benefits and procurement during Operations
12:30 – 14:30	Lunch in Exhibition Venue: Exhibition Hall 6			
14:30 – 16:00	Breakaway 5 Finance	Breakaway 6 People & Planning	Breakaway 7 People & Planning	Breakaway 8 Technical
	Session sponsor: 		Session sponsor: 	
Venue:	Nerina – Level 1	Freesia – Level 2	Orchid – Level 2	Protea – Level 1
Moderator:	Loyiso Jiya, Principal Deal Originator - Development Bank of Southern Africa (DBSA)	Louise Paulsen, Project Manager- Programmes and Projects - SAWEA	Brenda Martin, Chief Executive Officer - SAWEA	Geeven Moodley, Managing Director – Digsilent South Africa
Theme:	Towards a Micro view: Regional & National Investment Priorities and Concerns	Innovation for the transition: managing complexity at provincial and city level	Operational reporting, a closed session for operational Asset managers and ED directors	Operational Wind Power: Technical and Market Growth Trends
19:00 – 00:00	Gala Dinner – CTICC 2			Venue: Exhibition Hall 8

PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE: DAY 2

Time	Activity		
07:45 – 09:00	Morning Registration & Refreshments		
09:00 – 10:30	Patron's Address		Venue: Exhibition Hall 8
10:30 – 11:00	Refreshment Break		Venue: Exhibition Hall 6
11:00 – 12:30	Launch of the Industry Commitment statement: Panel Discussion		Venue: Exhibition Hall 8
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch Exhibition Venue: Exhibition Hall 6		
13:30 – 15:00	Breakaway 9 Finance	Breakaway 10 People & Planning	Breakaway 11 Industry Forum
	Session sponsor:  <small>SOUTH AFRICA WIND ENERGY PROJECT PHASE 2 (SAWEP 2)</small>		
Venue:	Nerina – Level 1	Freesia – Level 2	Protea – Level 1
Moderator:	Sibongile Mdluli, Senior Sales Manager - GE Renewable Energy	Hlengiwe Radebe, Economic Development Director - Globeleq South Africa Management Services	Anne Henschel, Board Member - SAWEA
Theme:	Looking ahead: Key drivers of Investment growth for an integrated transition	Investing in communities: Renewables investment as a driver of rural economic development	Investment as a driver for creating and sustaining employment
15:00 – 15:15	Delegates to make way to exhibition Hall 8		
15:15 – 16:00	Closing session: Brenda Martin, Chief Executive Officer - SAWEA		
16:00 – 17:00	Refreshment Break in Exhibition Hall 6		Venue: Exhibition Hall 6

“I want to say thank you to you and your team for a great event, it always has a warmth about it which I think is down to the organisers..!”

Kind Regards,
Betty
AID SA



“Thank you for all the efforts made for this year Windaba.”

“it was a great event in many aspects (spotless organization, friendly staff, nice venue, great conference program with relevant presentations and great interactions), so congratulation on that”

Kind Regards,
Nicolas Rolland
G7 Renewable Energies



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“Thank you for a great Windaba 2018. It was very enlightening and enjoyable.”

Regards,
Peter Maguire
Concor Construction



“Thank you for organising once more a great exhibition.

Thank you very much!”

Best Regards,
Sandra Bernal
Siemens Gamesa Renewable
Energy



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“Please let me congratulate you again on the success of this Windaba. It has been an absolute pleasure and a great learning experience to be a part of it and learn about the particular challenges and opportunities for renewables in South Africa. Also, thank you so much for being the most generous hosts and for the thoughtful logistics. Most of all, it was very much a pleasure to get to know you, and I look forward to future opportunities to work with you again.”

Best Wishes
Sandra Lozo
International Renewable Energy Agency
(IRENA)

“Thanks for an excellent conference! I will definitely be back.”

Kind Regards,
Rory Haschick
ECDC

Attendance at Windaba 2018



Sponsor Delegates:

81



Exhibitor Delegates:

43



Registered Delegates:

214



Speaker Delegates:

67



Complimentary Delegates:

12



Complimentary Students:

27



Media:

29



Visitors:

205

TOTAL ATTENDANCE: 678



Country Participants





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