

WINDABA

POST SHOW REPORT

3-5 October 2023

Cape Town International Convention Centre (CTICC 2)

WINDABA 2023

The annual Windaba wind energy event, considered a pivotal fixture, unfolded from October 3rd to 5th, 2023, within the prestigious confines of the Cape Town International Convention Centre (CTICC). The event bore the overarching theme of **"Beyond the Turbines."**

Initiating this distinguished gathering was a keynote presentation delivered by the esteemed **Minister Dr Kgosientsho Ramokgopa - Ministry of Electricity** and **The Deputy Director General Department of Mineral Resources and Energy Mr Thabo Kekana**

Over the span of two days, this well-established conference and exhibition expertly convened an illustrious array of industry experts, preeminent thought leaders, and key stakeholders within the wind energy sphere, disseminating the most current and germane insights relevant to the industry.

CONFERENCE OVERVIEW

371 Visitors

19 Sponsors

249 Conference Delegates

110 Speakers

44 Exhibitors

45 Media

CHATHAM HOUSE DINNER

The **Chatham House Dinner** was once again well attended by industry leaders and provided the platform to **raise issues, network, and engage** in an intimate but informal setting.



EXHIBITION HIGHLIGHTS



The Windaba Exhibition is a dynamic showcase of cutting-edge wind energy solutions and technologies, providing a glimpse into the forefront of sustainable power generation. Attendees can explore a wide range of innovations and connect with industry leaders, making it a must-visit for anyone seeking to stay at the forefront of the wind energy sector.

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WINDABA AT A GLANCE

The South African Wind Energy Association (SAWEA) urged all stakeholders in the wind industry to collaborate in advancing a more inclusive and sustainable energy transition for South Africa. Embracing the theme of 'Beyond the Turbines,' SAWEA not only presented the achievements thus far but also outlined a clear roadmap for the future of the wind energy sector.

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WINDABA GALA DINNER



The Gala Dinner, an enduring tradition that has adorned the last 12 Windaba Conferences, stands as a cornerstone event. This evening constitutes a harmonious fusion of jubilation, contemplation, and recognition. The highlights of the night included the presentation of accolades such as **Board Recognition Awards, Working Group Chairperson Recognition Awards, Stakeholder Recognition Awards,** and the prestigious **Windaba Awards.**

WINDABA CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

The conference focused on essential content areas, which encompassed Wind Energy Finance, Impact, Implementation, and Market and Policy. Distinguished speakers from both local and international backgrounds delved into the significance of continuous procurement, strategies for nurturing a robust local manufacturing industry, and the effective utilization of the existing policy landscape to ensure a sustainable and reliable energy supply.



EXHIBITORS AT WINDABA

