



# GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT

## POST-EVENT REPORT

2025

12-13 JUNE 2025 - CENTURY CITY CONFERENCE CENTRE



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# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

## A Premier Event for Africa's Green Hydrogen Future

The **Africa Green Hydrogen Summit (AGHS) 2025** took place on 12-13 June 2025 at the Century City Conference Centre in Cape Town, South Africa. Following the success of the South Africa Green Hydrogen Summits in 2022 and 2023, AGHS 2025 **marked** a strategic shift toward a continent-wide initiative, aligning with Africa's green-industrialisation and sustainability goals.

As a key G20-aligned event, AGHS 2025 convened high-level government officials, international investors, energy experts, industry leaders and policymakers to explore Africa's position as a global leader in green-hydrogen production. The event **showcased** Africa's renewable-energy potential, investment opportunities and the strategic partnerships that will shape the continent's hydrogen economy.

### Who Attended?

AGHS 2025 will brought together:

- **African Heads of State & Ministers** from energy, trade, and industrialisation portfolios
- **International investors & development finance institutions**
- **Corporate leaders & innovators** from green hydrogen, renewable energy, and infrastructure sectors
- **Academia & civil society** driving research, capacity-building, and sustainability initiatives
- **Global hydrogen stakeholders & technology providers**

### Benefits Realised

- Delegates **engaged with** the decision-makers shaping Africa's green-hydrogen policies.
- **New investment opportunities were unlocked** in one of the world's most promising energy frontiers.
- **Strategic partnerships were formed** to drive sustainable industrialisation and re-industrialisation.
- **Innovative technologies and project developments** were showcased across the hydrogen value chain.
- Discussions **aligned Africa's trajectory** with its expanding role in global decarbonisation and the future energy mix.

### Key Focus Areas & Themes

AGHS 2025 covered crucial themes driving Africa's green hydrogen agenda, including:

- **Investment & Financing:** Mobilising local and international funding for hydrogen infrastructure
- **Technology & Innovation:** Advancing hydrogen production, storage, and application technologies
- **Regulatory Frameworks:** Harmonising policies to facilitate Africa's hydrogen economy
- **Market Access & Certification:** Developing standards for global export competitiveness
- **Infrastructure Development:** Integrating green hydrogen into Africa's energy and industrial landscape
- **Regional Collaboration:** Strengthening partnerships under the Africa Green Hydrogen Alliance (AGHA)

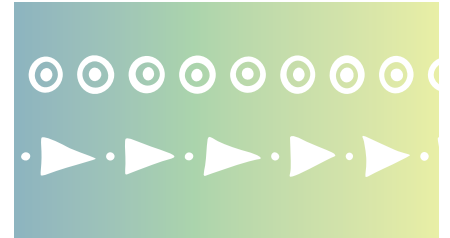
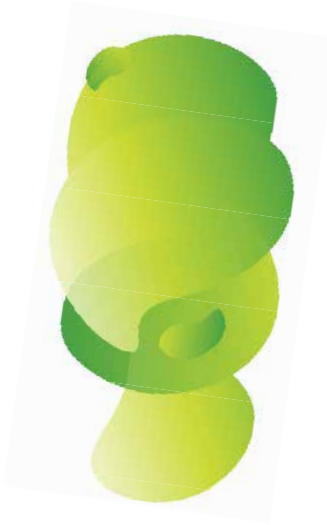
## BRAND



**GREEN  
HYDROGEN  
SUMMIT**



**GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT**  
Cape Town | 12-13 June 2025



# EVENT PROMOTION & COMMUNICATIONS

Effective promotion and clear, on-brand communication were critical to engaging stakeholders before and during the summit. This section presents representative examples of the digital collateral developed to inform delegates, sponsors and the wider public. The samples on the following pages illustrate a small selection of the creative work produced.

## LinkedIn Posts

**Highlights**  
Data for 5/26/2025 - 6/24/2025

**43,630** Impressions  
**940** Reactions

▲ 21,824.6%    ▲ 31,233.3%

**941** Total followers

Africa Green Hydrogen Summit  
Day 2 in pictures – wrapping up #AGHS2025 on a high note! 🌟

From packed panels and buzzing expo aisles to spontaneous hallway ...more

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Africa Green Hydrogen Summit  
An evening of connections to launch #AGHS2025. 🌟

The Ministerial & Leadership Dinner at Hazendal Wine Estate set the ...more

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## Delegate Communication

**INVITATION**  
**GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT**  
NETWORKING RECEPTION

The Department of Science, Technology & Innovation cordially invite you to attend  
12 June 2025 | 17h30

Dear Delegates,  
This is a reminder to join the Deputy Minister of Science, Technology and Innovation, Ms. Masekunge Dima, for an informal networking session hosted by the Department of Science, Technology and Innovation (DSTI).  
The event will highlight the achievements of the Hydrogen South Africa (HySA) Centres of Competence, showcasing how they are National South African national assets to develop innovation.

**GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT 2025**  
JOIN US ONLINE FOR A VIRTUAL SESSION

Catalysing Global Demand: H2Global's New Regional Auctions & Africa's Export Opportunity  
13 June 2025 | 13:30 - 14:30

**TIMO BOLLERHEY**  
Executive Director of H2NTCO GmbH & Managing Director of H2-Global Advisory GmbH

Dear Colleagues,  
If you're unable to attend the Africa Green Hydrogen Summit in person, we invite you to join today's live virtual session:  
Catalysing Global Demand: H2Global's New Regional Auctions & Africa's Export Opportunity  
Speaker: Timo Bollerhey, Executive Director, H2NTCO GmbH, and Managing Director, H2Global Advisory GmbH  
Date: 13 June 2025  
Time: 13:30 - 14:30 CAT (UTC +2)

**GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT 2025**  
THAT'S A WRAP!  
THANK YOU FOR YOU FOR MAKING AGHS 2025 UNFORGETTABLE

Dear Delegates,  
Thank you for being part of the Africa Green Hydrogen Summit 2025. Your presence, energy and insight helped turn two days of discussion into a powerful step forward for Africa's green-hydrogen economy.

Highlights you helped shape

- A record number of delegates from government, industry, finance and civil society
- Lively regional dialogues and packed technical tracks
- The launch of new partnership and investment initiatives that will accelerate project delivery across the continent

We value your feedback.

## Speaker Cards

**SPEAKER**

**PRESIDENT CYRIL RAMAPHOSA**  
President of the Republic of South Africa  
Opening Key Note Address

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## Sponsor Cards

**PROUD SPONSOR OF AGHS 2025**

**AIR PRODUCTS**

**GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT**  
Cape Town | 12-13 June 2025  
Shaping the future of clean energy for Africa

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## Panel Cards

**GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT**  
Century City Convention Centre  
JOIN US FOR A PANEL DISCUSSION

Thursday, 12 June at 15:15  
Unlocking European Union Investments in Africa's "Green Hydrogen" value chains

Presented by **Global Gateway**

Join us at the Africa Green Hydrogen Summit 2025 for an engaging discussion on the role of Europe in developing Africa's green hydrogen value chains. The session will feature high-level speakers from the European Union as well as public and private sector organisations such as the Port of Rotterdam, Helix Group, the Presidential Climate Commission, and Southern Transition. The session will also explore opportunities and challenges for integrating near-term fully and sustainably Europe and Africa's green hydrogen value chains.

# Event Overview

## ABOUT THE EVENT


### GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT

**A Premier Event for Africa's Green Hydrogen Future**

The Africa Green Hydrogen Summit (AGHS) 2025 will take place on 12-13 June 2025 at the Century City Conference Centre in Cape Town, South Africa. Following the success of the South Africa Green Hydrogen Summits in 2022 and 2023, AGHS 2025 marks a strategic shift towards a continent-wide initiative, aligning with Africa's green industrialisation and sustainability goals.

As a key C20-aligned event, AGHS 2025 will convene high-level government officials, international investors, energy experts, industry leaders, and policymakers to explore Africa's position as a global leader in green hydrogen production. The event will showcase Africa's renewable energy potential, investment opportunities, and strategic partnerships that will shape the continent's hydrogen economy.

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## KEY INFORMATION

### Who Will Attend?

- AGHS 2025 will bring together:
  - African Heads of State & Ministers from energy, trade, and industrialisation portfolios
  - International investors & development finance institutions
  - Corporate leaders & innovators from green hydrogen, renewable energy, and infrastructure sectors
  - Academia & civil society driving research, capacity building, and sustainability initiatives
  - Global hydrogen stakeholders & technology providers

### Why Attend?

- Engage with decision-makers shaping Africa's green hydrogen policies
- Unlock investment opportunities in one of the world's most promising energy frontiers
- Form strategic partnerships to drive sustainable industrialisation and industrialisation
- Showcase innovative technologies and project developments in the hydrogen value chain
- Align with Africa's role in global decarbonisation and the future energy mix

### Key Focus Areas & Themes

AGHS 2025 will cover crucial themes driving Africa's green hydrogen agenda, including:

- Investment & Financing: Mobilising local and international funding for hydrogen infrastructure
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- Regulatory Frameworks: Harmonising policies to facilitate Africa's hydrogen economy
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- Regional Collaboration: Strengthening partnerships under the Africa Green Hydrogen Alliance (AGHA)

### Building on Previous Success

- The 2022 & 2023 South Africa Green Hydrogen Summits attracted over 1,000 delegates, including international ministers, ambassadors, business leaders, and industry experts.
- Media coverage for the 2023 summit included 318 published items, amplifying Africa's green hydrogen narrative.
- In 2024, Namibia hosted a regional build-up event in preparation for this pan-African summit.

### Join Us in Cape Town!

AGHS 2025 is a milestone event that will position Africa as a leader in the global green hydrogen economy. Don't miss this opportunity to be at the forefront of Africa's clean energy transformation.

**Date:** 12-13 June 2025  
**Venue:** Century City Conference Centre, Cape Town, South Africa

For partnership & sponsorship opportunities, contact: Masopha Mokoheho at [masopha@aghs2025.co.za](mailto:masopha@aghs2025.co.za)

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# Individual Invitations

Dear <name>,<br><position>

## INVITATION

### GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT

Cape Town | 12-13 June 2025

A Premier Event for Africa's Green Hydrogen Future

Minister Kgosietsho Ramokgopa hereby invites you to attend

The Africa Green Hydrogen Summit (AGHS) 2025, taking place on 12-13 June 2025 at the Century City Conference Centre in Cape Town, South Africa, marks a significant milestone in Africa's green energy transition.

Building on the success of the South Africa Green Hydrogen Summits in 2022 and 2023, AGHS 2025 evolves into a continent-wide platform that highlights Africa's potential as a global leader in green hydrogen production and investment.

This year's summit will bring together African Heads of State, Ministers, international investors, industry leaders, and technology innovators to discuss key opportunities in hydrogen production, export potential, infrastructure development, and policy harmonisation.

As a key C20-aligned event, AGHS 2025 aims to foster strategic partnerships, investment mobilisation, and technological advancements to position Africa at the forefront of the global clean energy economy.

Join us as we shape the future of Africa's green hydrogen sector.

**RSVP by completing the online registration form before 16 May.**



# Delegate Information Brochure

## GUEST INFORMATION

### GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT

**Dear Guest,**

We are delighted and look forward to welcoming you to the Africa Green Hydrogen Summit 2025.

Please take a moment to familiarise yourself with the important information and travel guidelines below regarding your participation in this year's event.

### ABOUT THE EVENT

The Africa Green Hydrogen Summit 2025 is a premier gathering of African and global leaders shaping the future of clean energy. As a C20-aligned event, AGHS 2025 builds on the success of previous summits to highlight Africa's growing leadership in Green Hydrogen.

With a strong focus on innovation, investment, and collaboration, the summit will showcase the continent's vast renewable energy potential and advance its role in the global hydrogen economy.

### PROGRAM

[Click here](#) to view the full program.

**12-13 JUNE 2025 - CENTURY CITY CONFERENCE CENTRE**



## KEY INFORMATION

### LOCATION

Century City Conference Centre  
No. 4 Energy Lane, Bridgeways Precinct, Century City, 7441

[Google Maps](#)

### PARKING

Covered parking is available at the Century City Conference Centre. The parking area is accessible via Conference Lane.

### ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

Continental delegates are responsible for coordinating their own travel arrangements.

Hotel / apartment recommendations at a radius of approximately 20m - 8 km from Century City Conference Centre:

Century City Hotel Urban Square	4*	22 meters/4-Minute Walk from the COCC
Century City Hotel Bridgewater	4*	280 meters/4-Minute Walk from the COCC
Bridgewater Apartments by Century City Hotels	4*	358m / 6 Minute Walk from the COCC
Aria Luxury Apartments by Century City Hotels	4*	270m / 4 Minute Walk from the COCC
On Park Apartments by Century City Hotels	4*	900m / 13 Minute Walk from the COCC
Cape Town Marriott Hotel Crystal Towers	4*	250m / 3 Minute Walk from the COCC
Cosmos Hotel	4*	270m / 4 Minute Walk from the COCC
Protea Hotel by Marriott Mowbray	3*	8.9km from COCC
Protea Hotel by Marriott Tiger Valley	3*	12.1km from COCC
Double Tree by Hilton CT - Upper East Side	4*	8.3km from COCC
City Lodge Hotel GrandWest	3*	9.4km from COCC
The Residences at Crystal Towers	4*	450m / 8 Minute Walk from COCC
Island Club Hotel and Apartments	4*	600m / 8 Minute Walk from COCC
Lagoon Apartments by BDN Hotels	4*	800m / 8 Minute Walk from COCC
Majestic Beach Hotel and Spa	4*	8.5km from COCC
Stayfast Century City	3*	1.7km / 3 Minute Walk from COCC

### TRANSPORT, TOURS & EXPLORING THE CITY

Several convenient transport options are available and can be pre-arranged to ensure availability and potentially secure better rates. Uber, Bolt, as well as shuttle services and taxis.

[Cape Town Shuttle Services](#) | [Shuttles Cape Town](#) | [Cape Town Taxi](#) | [EZ Shuttles](#)

### VISA INFORMATION

International travellers visiting South Africa for business or tourism may require a visa for stays of up to 90 days. Visitors must apply for the correct type of visa before travelling. Visas are not issued at ports of entry, and airlines will require valid visas before boarding.

For the most up-to-date information, visit: [www.gov.za](http://www.gov.za)

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### DINING OPTIONS

There is a wide range of dining options within close proximity to the conference centre:

Urban Unwind	Ground floor, Century City Hotel Urban Square	37m
Quatre Urban Italian	Ground floor, Century City Hotel Bridgewater	120m
La Parade Century City	Aper Building, 1 Energy Lane, Century City	40m
Tigers MK Century City	8 Kinat, Way, Century City	130m
Aljira South	Shop 9, Avo building, Bridgeways, Century City	250m
The Big & Lettuce Century City	Century Way 011, Cosmos Building	300m
Towers Restaurant	Cape Town Marriott Crystal Towers Hotel, Corner Century Boulevard and Rialto Road	450m
Knife Restaurant	Cape Town Marriott Crystal Towers Hotel, Corner Century Boulevard and Rialto Road	450m
The Burner	Mantam Station, 3 Espanade Road, Century City	9m
Brick Lane Eatery Century City	The Quays, 142 Park Lane, Century City	1.4km
Bootleggers Coffee Company	Shop 5, 5 Espanade Road, Century City	1.1km

### REGISTRATION, ACCESS & HELP DESK

Please ensure that you have submitted the correct details for the State Security Vetting on the registration form.

**ONLY DELEGATES THAT HAVE BEEN ACCREDITED BY SSA WILL BE ALLOWED ACCESS TO THE VENUE.**

### ACCREDITATION

Accreditation will take place from 10 to 12 June 2025 in The Verve, on the first floor of Century City Conference Centre. Access via Energy Lane.

Accreditation will be open between:

- 11h00-18h00 on 10 June
- 08h00-20h00 on 11 June
- 08h30-09h00 on 12 June Accreditation for international speakers only

Please bring a copy of your ID along for verification purposes.

Please collect your delegate pass from the registration desks in The Verve. Your pass will grant you full access to the conference and the onsite networking events from 12 to 13 June 2025 provided you have been accredited.

### ON-SITE SUPPORT

Our team will be available on-site at the venue reception desk to assist you with any queries or concerns you may have throughout the event. In case of a medical emergency, qualified medical staff will be present on-site and ready to provide immediate assistance. For any general or event specific questions, please feel free to approach the event staff at the Service Desk located in The Pylon. We are here to ensure your experience is smooth and enjoyable.

### CONTACT US

[info@aghs2025.co.za](mailto:info@aghs2025.co.za)

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# Aide Memoire

## GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT

### KEY INFORMATION

### LOCATION

Century City Conference Centre  
No. 4 Energy Lane, Bridgeways Precinct, Century City

[Google Maps](#)

### PARKING

Covered parking is available at the Century City Conference Centre. The parking area is accessible via Conference Lane.

### ACCESS

Please ensure that you collect your accreditation from the State Security Vetting Venue during the times listed below.

**ONLY DELEGATES THAT HAVE BEEN ACCREDITED BY SSA WILL BE ALLOWED ACCESS TO THE VENUE.**

### ACCREDITATION

Accreditation will take place in The Verve (First floor, The Annex, Bridgeways Precinct, 2 Energy Ln, Century City, Cape Town).

Please make sure to collect your accreditation from the State Security Vetting Venue during the following times:

- 10 June: 09:00 to 18:00
- 11 June: 08:30 to 19:00
- 12 June: 17:00 to 19:00 (Accreditation for International speakers only)

Please bring a copy of your ID along for verification purposes.

Your accreditation will grant you full access to the summit as well as onsite networking events from 12 to 13 June 2025.

### ON-SITE SUPPORT

Our team will be available at the venue reception desk to assist you with any queries.

Medical staff will be available on site in the event of an emergency. For on-site queries, please speak to the event staff at the Service Desk in The Pylon.

### CONTACT US

[info@aghs2025.co.za](mailto:info@aghs2025.co.za)

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# Ministerial & Leadership Dinner Elements

## GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT

### MINISTERIAL & LEADERSHIP DINNER

### KEY INFORMATION

**Date:** Wednesday, 11 June 2025  
**Time:** 18h30 to 19h30  
**Venue:** The Grand Hall, Hazendal Wine Estate, Bottelary Road, Stellenbosch - [Google Map](#)  
**Dress Code:** Business Formal

### TRANSPORT

For your convenience, coaches have been arranged to transport guests from the Century City Conference Centre to Hazendal Wine Estate.

**Access to the dinner, as well as to the coach transfers, is limited to registered and accredited guests.**

If you would like to make use of this service, please assemble at the main entrance of the Urban Square Hotel by 18h30. Coaches are scheduled to depart at 17h00. Our team will be on hand to assist and direct you.

There is ample parking available at Hazendal Wine Estate should you choose to self-drive. View parking & drop-off map [here](#).


### ACCREDITATION


As this is a high-profile event, all guests are required to present their official accreditation upon arrival. Kindly ensure you bring your accreditation badge for your official and entry purposes.

### ARRIVAL

We recommend arriving at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the event to allow sufficient time for security clearance.

We look forward to welcoming you to an evening of meaningful dialogue and networking.

In collaboration with: 



## GREEN HYDROGEN SUMMIT 2025

### MINISTERIAL & LEADERSHIP DINNER

### PROGRAMME

17:30	Arrival & Welcome
18:00	Registration & Accreditation
18:30	Seating & Welcome Drink
18:45	Speeches: Hon. Minister of Energy, Hon. Minister of Trade and Industrial Development, Hon. Minister of Economic Development, Hon. Minister of Transport, Hon. Minister of Environmental, Forestry and Fisheries, Hon. Minister of Water, Hon. Minister of Agriculture, Rural Development and Environmental Affairs, Hon. Minister of Health, Hon. Minister of Education, Hon. Minister of Human Resources Development, Hon. Minister of International Relations and Cooperation, Hon. Minister of Information and Communications Technology, Hon. Minister of Tourism, Creative Industries and Entertainment, Hon. Minister of Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment, Hon. Minister of Labour, Hon. Minister of Social Development, Hon. Minister of Human Settlements, Hon. Minister of Public Works and Infrastructure, Hon. Minister of Defence and Military Veterans, Hon. Minister of Correctional Services, Hon. Minister of Justice and Constitutional Development, Hon. 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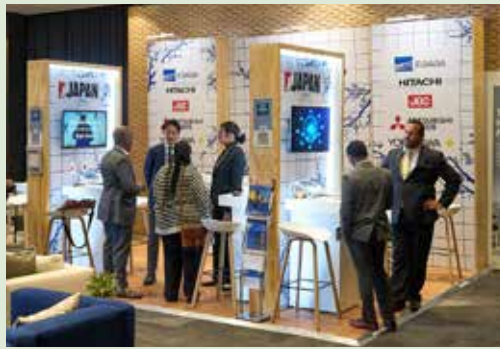
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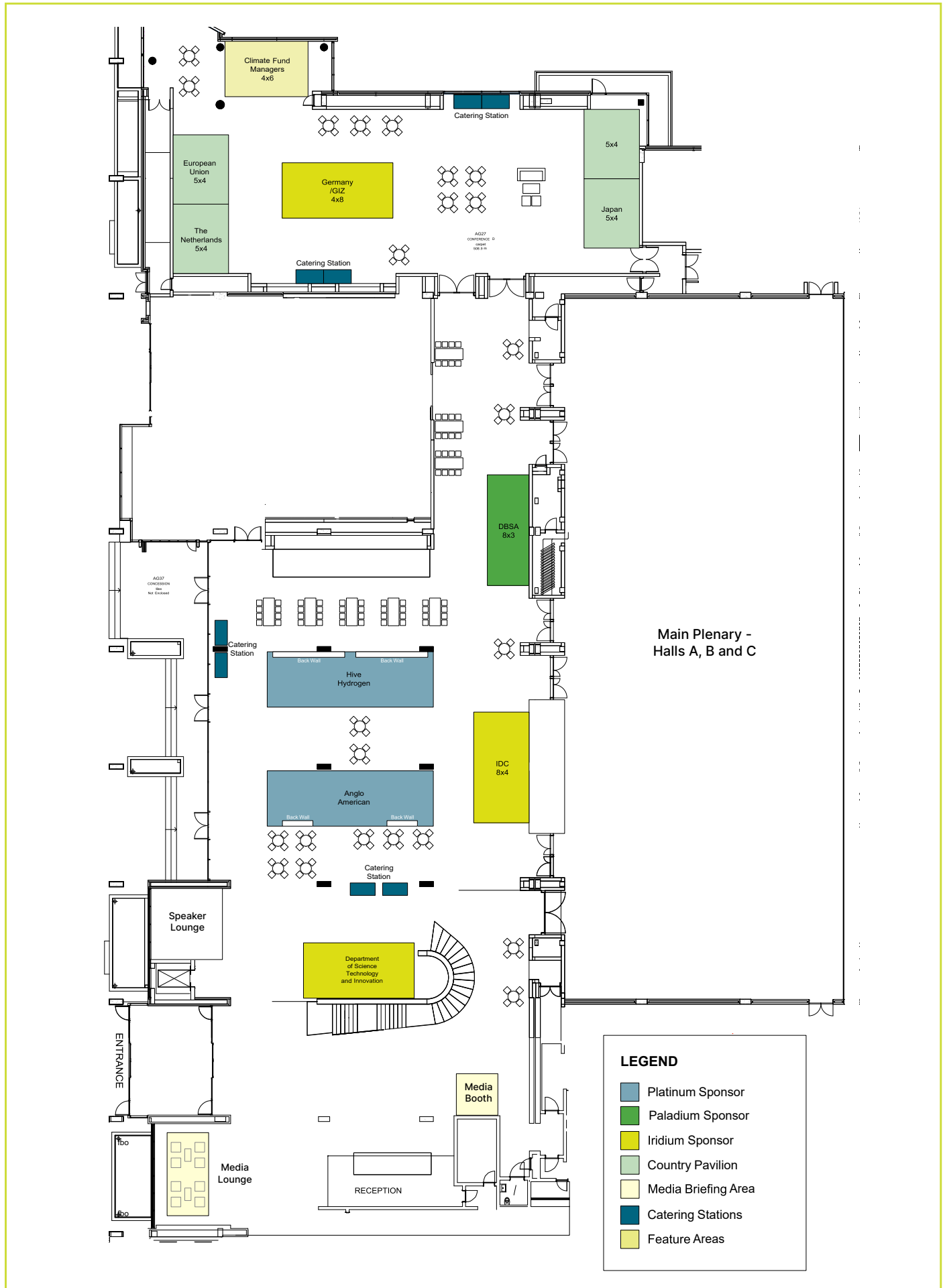
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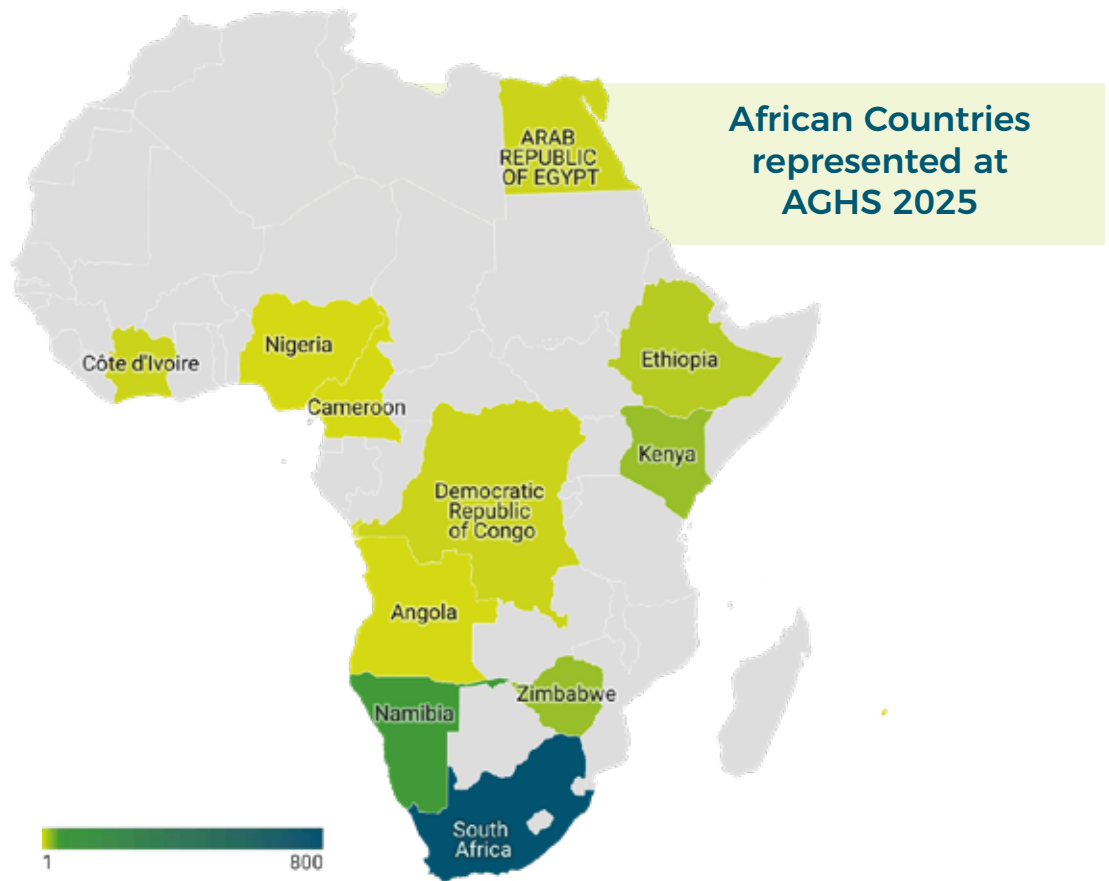
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| 10. African Development Bank               | 28. Atlantis SEZ for Greentech            | 46. COEGA                                   |
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63. Coega Biomass Centre
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  215. Midnite Aerospace Solutions(PTY) LTD
  216. Minbuza
  217. Minerals Council South Africa
  218. Minsitry of Industries Mines and Energy
  219. Mintek
  220. Mitsubishi Corporation
  221. Mitsubishi Power Africa (Pty) Ltd
  222. Mo - Torx Engineering
  223. Mufg
  224. NACI
  225. NBI
  226. NCEDA
  227. NEX Clean Energy
  228. NMU
  229. Namibia Hydrogen Fund Managers
  230. Namibian Standards Institute
  231. Natural Justice
  232. Nedlac
  233. Netherlands Foreign Investment Agency (NFIA)
  234. New Development Bank: NDB
  235. Nitto
  236. Nomura
  237. Norsk Renewables
  238. OCEANERGY
  239. Oceansofty
  240. Office of the Premier - Mpumalanga (RSA)
  241. Omnia
  242. Opuscactus
  243. P2X Partners
  244. PHB Engineers (Pty)Ltd
  245. PRF Gas Solutions
  246. PetroSA
  247. Phelan Green Energy
  248. PinkH2 Africa Pty Ltd
  249. Port of Rotterdam
  250. Presidential Climate Commission
  251. Prieska International Solar
  252. Public Investment Corporation
  253. Quiver Green Group (Pty) Ltd.
  254. RCPA
  255. RRS Investment
  256. RVO
  257. Rebel Group
  258. Redpower1
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  271. SKEG Holdings (Pty) Ltd
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  279. Siga Capital / Busmark
  280. Slrconsulting
  281. SMA Solar
  282. Smbc group
  283. SNE Energies
  284. South Africa Resource Watch (SARW)
  285. South African Government
  286. South African Iron and Steel Institute
  287. South African Youth Climate Change Coalition
  288. Southerntransitions
  289. Standard Bank
  290. Stellenbosch University
  291. TIPS
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  294. Technology Innovation Agency
  295. The Department of Trade Industry and Competition
  296. The Development Bank of Southern Africa
  297. The Innovation Hub
  298. Reuters
  299. Thrive Capital Partners
  300. Toma Now
  301. Topsoe
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  303. Trade & Industrial Policy Strategies (TIPS)
  304. Transnet
  305. Transnet National Ports Authority
  306. Tsemo Group (Pty) Ltd
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  308. UCT
  309. UCT/IDDRI
  310. UNDP South Africa
  311. UNIDO
  312. UWC
  313. Unido
  314. United Nations Industrial Development Organization
  315. University of Bristol
  316. Unwomen
  317. Upilanga Green H2
  318. VEJA
  319. Valterra Platinum
  320. Van Oord
  321. Vega Controls SA
  322. Vopak
  323. Western Cape Government
  324. WKN Windcurrent
  325. Watra
  326. Wearevuka
  327. Wesgro
  328. Western Cape Dept of Economic Development
  329. Wkn Windcurrent
  330. World bank
  331. Yieldrite
  332. Yokogawa Electric Corporation
  333. Yokogawa South Africa
  334. Yubifin
  335. Zafmhi
  336. Zero Carbon Charge
  337. dmg events / GAH2S
  338. iLive Holdings B.V.
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# PROGRAM

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## THURSDAY, 12 JUNE

06:30 – 09:00 **Accreditation** *(for international speakers only)*

08:00 – 09:00 **Coffee & Networking**

09:15 – 09:40 **Conference Opening and National & African Union Anthems**

09:40 – 09:50 **Welcoming:** Premier of the Western Cape Alan Winde, South Africa

09:50 – 10:45 **Opening & Launch of the African Green Hydrogen Report**

Honourable Kgosientsho Ramokgopa, Minister, Department of Electricity & Energy, South Africa

**Keynote Address**

Honourable President Cyril Ramaphosa, South Africa

10:45 - 11:15 **South African Renewable Energy Master Plan (SAREM) Pledge - Official Signing Ceremony**

**HIVE Hydrogen & Climate Fund Managers - Official Signing Ceremony**

**IDC & KfW - Official MOU Signing Ceremony & Funding Announcement**

11:15 - 12:30 **Unlocking Africa's Green Hydrogen Potential: From Vision to Scalable, Inclusive Action – Scaling Production, Ensuring Equity, and Leading the Global Energy Transition**

Presentation of the African Green Hydrogen Strategy

- **Her Excellency Lerato Mataboge**, Commissioner for Infrastructure and Energy, African Union Commission

High Level Panel

**Moderator:** Masopha Moshoeshoe, Green Hydrogen Lead DEE

- **Honourable Kgosientsho Ramokgopa**, Minister, Department of Electricity and Energy (Republic of South Africa)
- **Honourable Barbara Creecy**, Minister, Department of Transport (Republic of South Africa)
- **Dr. Kaire Mbuende**, Director General of the National Planning Commission, Namibia
- **Dr Mohamed Aw Dahir Ibrahim**, Deputy Minister of Environment and Climate Change, Republic of Somaliland
- **Her Excellency Lerato Mataboge**, Commissioner for Infrastructure and Energy, African Union Commission
- **Dr Jürgen Friedrich**, Ministerial Envoy International Hydrogen Projects (Federal Republic of Germany)

## THURSDAY, 12 JUNE

12:30 -13:30 **LUNCH**

13:30 -14:30 **African Renewable Energy Masterplans: Inclusive industrial Development Plans for the Renewable Energy and Storage Value Chains - (Hall A) [Presented by DEE]**

Opening Remarks:

- **Honourable Samantha Graham-Maré**, Deputy Minister Department of Electricity & Energy, RSA

Panel: **Moderator: Priscillah Mabelane**, Chairperson, NTCSA

- **Tony Ehrenreich**, COSATU
- **Candice Moodley**, Corporate Services Executive EWSETA
- **Dr Rethabile Melamu**, CEO, SAPVIA
- **Janeke Winand**, Board Member, SAWEA
- **Meta Mhlarhi**, Chairperson and Co-founder, Black Energy Professionals Association
- **Ayanda Mvimbi**, Programme Specialist: Women's Economic Empowerment, UN Women, South Africa Multi-Country Office

**Unlocking Funding to drive project and industry development - (Hall B) [Presented by IDC]**

Opening Remarks:

- **Honourable Parks Tau**, Minister, Department of Trade, Industry & Competition (RSA)

Panel: **Moderator: Mahandra Rooplall**, IDC

- **Mercia Geises**, CEO, Namibia Hydrogen Fund Managers
- **Kesh Mudaly**, Partner, Boston Consulting Group (BCG)
- **Shaheeb Alli**, Head of Project Preparation, Development Bank of Southern Africa (DBSA)
- **Wale Shonibare**, Director of Energy Financial Solutions, Policy and Regulation, AfDB
- **Kelly Slaffa**, Energy, Finance and Infrastructure Lead, KfW

**Banking on African Hydrogen: Advancing Locally Developed Hydrogen Technology IP for Continental Growth - (Hall C) [Presented by Department of Science Technology & Innovation (DSTI)]**

Opening Remarks:

**Honourable Dr Nomalungelo Gina**, Deputy Minister, DSTI (RSA)

Panel: **Moderator: Prof Sampson Mamphweli**, Head of DSTI Energy Secretariat, SANDI

- **Prof Ken-Ichi Aika**, Green Ammonia Research Centre, National Institute of Technology, Japan
- **Mpumi Mpfu**, Chief Executive Officer, ACSA
- **Fahmida Smith**, Principal Market Development, Valterra Platinum
- **Dr Titus Mathe**, Chief Executive Officer, SANEDI
- **Dayanandan Naidoo**, Acting Executive Manager, Technology Development Agency
- **Eun ji Park**, UNIDO

**Technology Track 1 - Room 8 & 9 [Presented by IDC]**

**Moderator: Sicelo Xulu**, Chairperson, South African National Energy Development Institute (SANEDI)

1. **Vinay Somera**, CEO, Isondo Precious Metals
2. **Jan Van Der Merwe**, CTO, Mitochondria Energy Company
3. **Zanele Mbatha Mavuso**, CEO, Bambili Energy

**Persentation: Showcase/Demonstration of the tool - (Room 10) [Presented by GIZ]**

**Moderator: Marvelous Sibuyi**, Technical Advisor, H2.SA, GIZ South Africa

- **Jenitha Badhul**, Senior Manager, Department of Forestry Fisheries and the Environment
- **Susan Byakika**, Senior Technical Advisor, H2.SA, GIZ South Africa

**Focus on Community Engagement: About Generation & Supply of Green Hydrogen & PtX Products - Room 11 [supported by PCC]**

**Moderator: Lebogang Mulaisi**, Executive Manager: Research & Policy, Presidential Climate Commission (PCC)

- **Dipak Patel**, Executive Advisor:Climate Finance and Innovation, PCC
- **Fergus Feltman**, Chief Executive Officer, Atlanthia Green Hydrogen
- **Lebogang Pasha**, Executive Manager, ETQA & Projects
- **Shamini Harrington**, Senior Executive, Mineral Council South Africa
- **Valerie Geen**, National Coordinator, United Nations Industrial Development Organization

14:30 -15:15 **Exhibition and Coffee Break**

15:15 -16:15 **Hydrogen Tank Project Pitching - Project Developers from South Africa and Kenya**

(Hall A) [Presented by IDC]

**Moderator:** Rian Coetzee, Divisional Executive: Industry Planning and Project development, Industrial Development Corporation of SA (IDC)

1. Prieska Power Reserve Project (South Africa)
2. HIVE Hydrogen (South Africa)
3. Phelan Energy (South Africa)

**Jobs & Skills of the Green Hydrogen Economy**

(Hall B) [Presented by Department of Higher Education and Training (DHET)]

Opening Remarks:

- **Honourable Dr Nobuhle Nkabane**, Minister, Department of Higher Education & Training (RSA)

Panel:

**Moderator:** Dr Nkosinathi Sishi, Director-General: Department of Higher Education & Training, RSA

- **Tshwanelo Rakaibe**, Senior Researcher: Energy Centre, CSIR
- **Yershen Pillay**, CEO, Chemical Industries Education & Training Authority (CHIETA)
- **Dr Anthony Gewer**, Senior Programme Manager: Economic Inclusion, National Business Initiative (NBI)
- **Kirsten Freimann**, Head of Programme, CPD4E, GIZ South Africa
- **Mamphokhu Khuluvhe**, Director: System Monitoring & Labour Market Intelligence, Department of Higher Education and Training, Republic of South Africa
- **Toni Beukes**, Head Environment Social and Governance, Hyphen Africa

Charting the next steps:

- **Nolwazi Gasa**, Deputy Director-General: Policy, Planning & Strategy, DHET, RSA

**Europe: Unlocking EU investments in Africa's "green hydrogen" value chains** (Hall C)

**Moderator:** Rebekka Hilz-Dbichi, Head of Programme, H2.SA, GIZ South Africa

- **Fulgencio Garrido-Ruiz**, Deputy Ambassador of the European Union to South Africa
- **Dr. Jürgen Friedrich**, Ministerial Envoy international Projects, Federal Ministry of Economic Affairs and Climate Action (BMWK)
- **Dr Markus Thill**, President: Region Africa, Bosch
- **Lebogang Mulaisi**, Executive Manager: Research and Policy, PCC
- **Monica Swanson**, Program Manager International hydrogen, Port of Rotterdam
- **Leanne Govindsamy**, Head: Just Transition, Southern Transitions

**Energy Planning in Context of PtX and Green Hydrogen** (Room 8 & 9) [Presented by DEE]

**Moderator:** Dr Thabo Hlalele, Head of Energy Centre, CSIR

- **Prof Prathaban Moodley**, General Manager: Applied Energy Research, SANEDI
- **Sonwabo Damba**, Energy Modelling and Planning Specialist, SANEDI
- **Prof Harro von Blottnitz**, Director: Energy Systems Research Group, University of Cape Town
- **Mohamed Hafez Ahmed Hafez**, Head of the Technical studies & Follow-up of Generation Projects Sector, Egyptian Electrical Holding Company

**H2Uppp Tackling early-stage questions in PtX projects**

(Room 10) [presented by GIZ]

**Moderator:** Twapandula Nghifindaka, Advisor, H2Uppp Namibia

- **Chris Heinemann**, CCO, Green eFuels Producer (GeFP)
- **Tjasa Bole-Rentel**, Business Case Development Manager, Enertrag SA
- **Mlibo Yokwe**, Technical Advisor, H2Uppp South Africa

**Industrial Hubs as Catalysts** (Room 11) [Presented by DTIC/UNIDO]

Opening Remarks:

Honourable Zuko Godlimpi, Deputy Minister of Trade, Industry & Competition (RSA)

Presentation:

**Jan Sievernich**, Project Associate, Climate and Technology Partnerships Division, UNIDO

Panel: **Moderator:** Eunji Park, Assistant Industrial Development Office, UNIDO

- **Shanon Neumann**, Acting Executive: Investment Facilitation, Freeport Saldanha
- **Mashudu Ramaano**, Vaal SEZ - Platinum Hydrogen Hub
- **Lee-Hendor Ruiters**, Regional Manager, National Cleaner Production Center, CSIR
- **Jerome Namaseb**, Chief Executive Officer, Daures Green Hydrogen Village

## THURSDAY, 12 JUNE

17:00 - 18:00 **Networking Reception** *[Hosted by the Department of Science, Technology & Innovation (DSTI)]*  
*Exhibition Floor - DSTI Stand*

- **Keynote Speaker: Honourable Ms Nomalungelo Gina**, Deputy Minister, Department of Science, Technology and Innovation (Republic of South Africa)

17:00 -18:00 **SIDE EVENT: African Green Hydrogen Alliance Meeting** *(invitation only) [organised by DEE & IDC]*

## FRIDAY, 13 JUNE

07:30 – 09:00 **Women in Green Hydrogen and Women in Energy Breakfast** *(invitation only) [Organised by WiGH]*  
Launch of the Department of Electricity and Energy (DEE) Gender Guide

- **Honourable Samantha Graham-Maré**, Deputy Minister, DEE (RSA)

Launch of the Online Mentoring Platform for the Hydrogen Economy - Department of Higher Education And Training (DHET) and the Department of Science, Technology and Innovation (DSTI)

- **Honourable Mimmy Martha Gondwe**, Deputy Minister, DHET (RSA)
- **Honourable Nomalungelo Gina**, Deputy Minister, DSTI (RSA)

Panel Discussion:

- **Nicoleen Meeding**, Project Preparation Specialist, Development Bank of Southern Africa
- **Rebecca Maserumule**, JET PMU, Industrial Development Corporation (TBC)
- **Mercia Geises**, CEO, Namibia H2 Fund Managers (TBC)

Moderation:

- **Bongiwe Moni**, Director of External Capacity Building and Internships, Human Sciences Research Council (HSRC)
- **Anele Msomi**, Technical Advisor, H2.SA, GIZ South Africa

## FRIDAY, 13 JUNE

### 09:15 – 10:15 **Hydrogen Tank Project Pitching - Project Developers from Kenya and Mauritania**

(Hall A) *[Presented by IDC]*

Moderator: **Dr Haruna Kachalla Gujba**, Senior Energy Expert, African Union Commission (AU)

1. Chariot, Total Energies (Mauritania)
2. KenGen (Kenya)

### **Critical Minerals Strategy** (Hall B) *[Presented by DMPR/DTIC/SANEDI]*

Moderation: **Siphelele Buthelezi**, CGS

- **Ntokozo Nzimande**, Deputy Director General, Department of Mineral & Petroleum Resources
- **Tshifiwa Maphala**, Industrialisation & Localisation Manager, Siemens Energy
- **Harmut Brodner**, Business Development Manager, CSIR
- **George Maluleke**, Head of South African Solutions, Valterra Platinum
- **Dr Jones Papo**, Group Executive: Mining, Materials & Automation, Mintek
- **Ricardo Gottschalk**, Senior Economist, UN Resident Coordinator Office

### **Regional Session – Japan and South Korea** (Hall C)

Presentation:

**Ambassador Fumio Shimizu**, Japanese Ambassador to South Africa (10min)

Panel:

**Moderator:** Dr Rebecca Maserumule, Programme Director JET IP Green Hydrogen PMO, IDC

- **Susumu Kataoka**, President of JETRO
- **Takafumi Tabei**, General Manager Corporate Planning for Africa Bloc and General Manager Carbon Neutral Business Development for Africa, ITOCHU Corporation
- **Larissa Nogueira**, Team Lead, Energy Planning and Modelling, IRENA
- **Sangme Han**, Secretary General of Korean Hydrogen Alliance

### **Technology Track** (Room 8 & 9) *[Presented by IDC]*

**Session Chair:** Dr Rob Adam, Green Hydrogen Technical Advisor, IDC

1. **Liberty Gura**, Process Engineering Manager, NEX Clean Energy
2. **Leo Crisp**, CEO, Crisp Greentech
3. **Tumi Kgomo**, CEO, EPCM Engineering

### **Unlocking Africa's Green Products: From Signals to Bankable Demand** (Room 10)

*[presented by GIZ]*

- **Khanyiselo Kumalo**, Project Manager, GWEC
- **James Walsh**, AGPI Co-Incubator, PtX Partners

### **Greening Africa's Gateways: Decarbonizing Ports for a Sustainable Future**

(Room 11) *[Presented by DoT/Transnet]*

**Moderator:** Fahmida Smith, Valterra Platinum / African Hydrogen Partnership, South Africa

- **Amanda Makgoga**, Acting Executive Manager: Utilities, TNPA, South Africa
- **Nelson Mbatha**, Executive Manager: Environmental, TNPA, South Africa
- **Monica Swanson**, Port of Rotterdam, Netherlands
- **Tsepiso Taona-Mashiloane**, Chief Director Maritime Transport, Department of Transport
- **Kausar Khan**, Independent Consultant

### 10:15 – 11:00 **Exhibition & Coffee Break**

11:00 – 12:00 **Hydrogen Tank Project Pitching - Project Developers from South Africa** (Hall A) *[Presented by IDC]*  
**Session Chair:** Pamela Mondliwa, Head of Department for Research & Information and Acting Head of Department for Industry Planning & Project Development  
 1. Boegoebaai (South Africa)  
 2. Atlanthia (South Africa)

**Moving Molecules – Unlocking the PtX Economy by Efficient and Sustainable Logistics for Green Hydrogen and its Derivatives** (Hall B) *[Presented by Transnet w/GIZ, NL, Gasunie]*

**Moderator:** Tauqeer Ahmed, Head: Engineering Centre of Excellence, TNPA, South Africa

- **Shannon Nuemann**, Acting Executive: Ease of Doing Business, Freeport Saldanha
- **Andisiwe Xuma**, Manager: Sustainable Energy, Eastern Cape Department of Economic Development: Environmental Affairs and Tourism (DEDEAT)
- **Thomas Roos**, Principal Research Engineer, Council for Scientific & Industrial Research (CSIR)
- **Dakalo Tshibalo**, Senior Manager Beneficiation & Community Equity, Valterra Platinum
- **Prof Sampson Mampweli**, Head of DSTI Energy Secretariat, SANEDI
- **Thomas Frohn**, Manager, Green Energy & Sustainability division, TÜV
- **Charles Dos Santos**, Managing Director, Air Products South Africa (Pty)

**Regional Session – Middle East and North Africa** (Hall C)

Presentation: **Larissa Nogueira**, Team Lead for Energy Planning and Modelling, IRENA

Panel: **Moderator:** Xola Sithole, Interim CEO Freeport Saldanha

- **Sara Elhag**, Head of Energy Division, African Union Commission
- **Mohamed Hafez**, Head of the Technical Studies & Follow-up of Generation Projects Sector, Egyptian Electricity Holding Company (EEHC)

**Decarbonising the Iron and Steel Sector: Realising the Transition**

(Room 8 & 9) *[Presented by DTIC/DFFE]*

**Moderator:** Dr Jenitha Badul, Director – Sustainability Programmes and Projects, Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment

- **Dr Umeesha Naidoo**, Industry Development Planner, Industrial Development Cooperation
- **Charles Dednum**, Secretary General, South African Iron and Steel Institute
- **Mchenge Silindokuhle Nyoka**, United Nations Industry Development Organization (UNIDO)
- **Tauqeer Ahmed**, Head: Engineering Centre of Excellence, TNPA, South Africa
- **Sisanda Mtwazi**, Senior Manager: Primary Minerals Processing and Construction Sector Department of Trade, Industry and Competition, South Africa

**From Recommendations to Strategies - Fact-based policy making in the context of the Green Hydrogen Economy** (Room 10) *[presented by International PtX Hub & GIZ]*

**Moderator:** Medinah Willies, Advisor, International PtX Hub, GIZ

- **Zaffar Hussain**, Project Lead PtX Africa, Agora Energiewende
- **Alistair McMaster**, Director: Sustainable Energy, Eastern Cape Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism
- **Herman Jonker**, Manager, Western Cape Department of Economic Development and Tourism

**Standards and Certification for Green Hydrogen - Optimising a pathway toward appropriate standards and certification for Green Hydrogen** (Room 11) *[Presented by DTIC]*

**Moderator:** Ilze Baron, Director Green Industries, DTIC

- **Dr Eino Mvula**, Chief Executive Officer, Namibian Standards Institute or Mutindi Jacobs, Acting Deputy Chief: Directorate- Ministry of Justice (both from Namibia)
- **Laurens Cloete**, Rebel Group, Report on Hydrogen Regulations, Codes and Standards, and Sustainability Certification
- **Elizma van der Walt**, Chair Technical Committee on Hydrogen Standards
- **Thabo David Khasipe**, Executive Secretary, Southern Africa Customs Union (SACU)
- **Hermogene Nsengimana**, Secretary General, African Organization for Standardization (ARSO)

13:30 – 14:30 **Hydrogen Tank Project Pitching - Project Developers from Angola and South Africa**  
(Hall A) [*Presented by IDC*]

**Session Chair:** Shaheed Alli, Head of Project Preparation, DBSA

1. Averi Finance (Angola and South Africa)
2. ArcelorMittal (South Africa)
3. Uplinga Green Hydrogen Project (South Africa)

**Catalysing Global Demand: H2Global's New Regional Auctions and Africa's Export Opportunity** (*virtual session*) (Hall B)

Introductory Remarks:

- **Dr Jürgen Friedrich**, Ministerial Envoy for International Hydrogen Projects, Federal Republic of Germany

Keynote Presentation:

- **Timo Bollerhey**, HINT.CO / H2Global

**Regional Session - Sub-Saharan Africa: Policy Frameworks For Renewable Hydrogen Projects**  
(Hall C)

Presentation: **Dr Smeeta Fokeer**, Industrial Development Officer, UNIDO

Panel: **Moderator:** Dr Rethabile Melamu, CEO, SAPVIA

- **Abera Endeshaw**, Advisor to Minister of Water and Energy, Ethiopia
- **Inibong Edith Abiola-Awe**, Director: Climate Change, Federal Ministry of Environment, Nigeria
- **Alda Manuel**, Angola
- **Ayanda Mvimbi**, Programme Specialist: Women's Economic Empowerment, UN Women, South Africa Multi-Country Office

**Technology Track** (Room 8 & 9) [*Presented by IDC*]

**Session Chair:** Sibongile Ntsoelengoe, Head of Mining Technical Solutions, CSIR

1. **Dr Niels Luchters**, CEO, Hyena
2. **Dr Jones Papo**, Group Executive: Mining, Materials & Automation, Mindev
3. **Dr Phillmon Modisha**, Research Manager, Hydrogen Core Technologies Pty Ltd
4. **Dr Olivia Barron**, Chief Scientist: Advanced Materials

**Presentation of the Business Opportunity Analyser by Agora Industry and the Costing Tools for Ammonia Production by CSIR** (Room 10) [*presented by PtX Hub/Agora Industry/CSIR*]

**Moderator:** Maren Schoettler, Advisor, International PtX Hub, GIZ

- **Zaffar Hussein**, Project Lead PtX Africa, Agora Industry
- **Thomas Roos**, Senior Researcher, Energy Centre, CSIR
- **Aldrich Louis**, General Manager Saldanha, ArcelorMittal South Africa
- **Hilton Trollip**, Research Fellow, University of Cape Town
- **Shaun Pershad**, Chief Engineer, Eskom Research, Testing and Development

**From pilot to practice: Lessons from implementing the CDTK with green hydrogen projects in South Africa** (Room 11)

**Moderator:** Moagi Radebe, Technical Advisor, H2.SA, GIZ

- **Zanele Heinermann**, COO, Green eFuels Producers (GeFP)
- **Azola Manqoba Mabena**, Project Manager, NCEDA

14:30 – 15:15 **Exhibition and Coffee Break**

15:15 – 16:15 **Hydrogen Tank Project Pitching - Project Developers from Kenya and South Africa**

*[Presented by IDC]*

1. Koegas (South Africa)
2. HDF Energy (Kenya)

**Regional Grid Development in Africa for Renewables and Green Hydrogen**

(Hall B) *[Presented by DEE/Eskom]*

**Moderator:** Prof Lwazi Ngubevana, Senior Manager, Eskom Research, Testing and Development

- **Shaakira Karolia**, Ministerial Adviser, Department of Energy & Electricity, South Africa
- **Ronald Marais**, Senior Manager - Grid Development, NTCSA
- **Thomas Roos**, Principal Research Engineer – Hydrogen technology, CSIR
- **Tilana De Meillon**, Senior Operations Officer, Infrastructure Upstream Africa, International Finance Corporation (IFC)

**Presentation of the African Green Hydrogen Report - Spotlight on the Continent** (Hall C)

Overview presentation of the African Green Hydrogen Report:

**Theoneste Uhorakeye**, GFA Consulting Group GmbH (GFA)

Panel:

**Moderator:** Mthokozisi Ndlela, Technical Advisor, H2.SA, GIZ South Africa

- **Thabo Kekana**, Deputy Director General at the South African Department of Electricity & Energy
- **Laurens Cloete**, Consultant, Rebel Group
- **Theoneste Uhorakeye**, GFA Consulting Group GmbH (GFA)

**Fertiliser & Agriculture - How PtX products can support food sovereignty**

(Room 8 & 9) *[presented by DALRRD]*

**Moderation:** Ashton Swartbooi, Senior Researcher: Chemicals Cluster, CSIR

- **Jerome Namaseb**, Chief Executive Officer, Daures Green Hydrogen Village
- **Paul Wambugu**, Senior Investment Officer, Kenya Generating Company, Kenya
- **Prof Antonio Andreoni**, Co-Director of the SOAS Centre for Sustainable Structural Transformation (CSST), SOAS University of London

**Wealth from seawater desalination brine: Sustainable mining of valuable minerals for the hydrogen economy** (Room 10) *[presented by GIZ]*

**Moderator:** Ebrahim Takolia, Chief Executive Officer, Green Hydrogen Solutions

- **Nqangi Mjimba-Ncube**, Portfolio Manager, Technology Innovation Agency
- **Mishka Prinsloo**, Senior Civil Engineer, Transnet National Port Authority (TNPA)
- **Raquel Nomathemba Mazwi**, Director: Mining & Industrial Water Quality Regulation, Department of Water and Sanitation (Republic of South Africa)

**PtL Fuels to Defossilise Aviation (Room 11)** *[presented by DoT]*

16:15 – 16:45 **Exhibition and Coffee Break**

16:45 – 17:30 **High Level Closing Panel**

**Moderation:** Masopha Moshoeshe, Green Hydrogen Lead, Department of Electricity and Energy, Republic of South Africa

- **Enrico Brandt**, Deputy Head of Mission: German Embassy to South Africa
- **Dan Morokane**, Group CEO, Eskom
- **Mohammed Hafez Ahmed**, Head of the Technical Studies & Follow-up Sector for Steam & Gas Power Generation Projects, Ministry of Electricity & Renewable Energy, Egyptian Electricity Holding Company

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**By Larry Claasen**

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President Ramaphosa on Thursday championed **green hydrogen** as Africa's future, but can the continent's ambitious dream overcome the reality of prohibitive costs and a risk-averse international financial regimen?

"Africa is uniquely positioned to become a major player in **green hydrogen** because it has abundant renewable resources that manifest themselves in high solar irradiation, strong winds and hydropower potential," said President **Cyril Ramaphosa**.

He was speaking at what was once called the South **Africa GreenHydrogen Summit**, now positioned as the **Africa GreenHydrogen Summit**, in Cape Town on Thursday.

"The vast land of our continent lends itself to large-scale renewable energy projects. We are therefore perfectly placed to leverage the global shift towards cleaner energy sources for our collective advantage as the entire continent.

"**Green hydrogen** is a way to marry our continent's mineral riches with our renewable energy endowments to decarbonise particularly heavy industries, to create jobs, to stimulate investment and to unlock inclusive growth across the various borders," said Ramaphosa.

**Green hydrogen** is produced by using renewable energy sources such as wind or solar power to split water into hydrogen and oxygen through a process called electrolysis.

This hydrogen can then be used as an emission-free energy source and carrier for applications such as fuel cells or industrial processes, and is seen as being key to decarbonising "hard-to-abate" or "hard-to-electrify" sectors such as long-haul transport, chemicals, and iron and steel.

**Green hydrogen** is of particular interest in South Africa because of the country's strategic advantages.

The independent non-profit economic research institution Trade and Industrial Policy Strategies says that "South Africa's rich endowment of ideal weather conditions for solar and wind-power generation, technological capabilities around the Fischer-Tropsch process, and access to platinum resources place the country at an advantage for developing the hydrogen value chain and being a key supplier into the global hydrogen market."

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Ramaphosa noted that more than 52 large-scale **green hydrogen** projects had been launched across the continent, including in South Africa.

"To date, South Africa has invested more than R1.5-billion in our Hydrogen South Africa programme," he said.

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