

# 6<sup>th</sup> Sulphur and Sulphuric Acid 2017 Conference

9 May 2017—WORKSHOP

10–11 May 2017—CONFERENCE

12 May 2017—TECHNICAL VISIT

Southern Sun Cape Sun, Cape Town



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## BACKGROUND

The production of SO<sub>2</sub> and Sulphuric acid remains a pertinent topic in the Southern African mining, minerals and metallurgical industry. Due to significant growth in acid and SO<sub>2</sub> production as a fatal product, as well as increased requirement for acid and SO<sub>2</sub> to process Copper, Cobalt and Uranium, the Sub Saharan region has seen a dramatic increase in the number of new plants. The design capacity of each of the new plants is in excess of 1000 tons per day.

In light of the current state of the industry and the global metal commodity prices the optimisation of sulphuric acid plants, new technologies and recapture and recycle of streams is even more of a priority and focus. The 2017 Sulphuric Acid Conference will create an opportunity to be exposed to industry thought leaders and peers, international suppliers, other producers and experts.

To ensure that you stay abreast of developments in the industry, The Southern African Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, invites you to participate in a conference on the production, utilization and conversion of sulphur, sulphuric acid and SO<sub>2</sub> abatement in metallurgical and other processes to be held in May 2017 in Cape Town.

## OBJECTIVES

- > Expose SAIMM members to issues relating to the generation and handling of sulphur, sulphuric acid and SO<sub>2</sub> abatement in the metallurgical and other industries.
- > Provide opportunity to producers and consumers of sulphur and sulphuric acid and related products to be exposed to new technologies and equipment in the field.
- > Enable participants to share information and experience with application of such technologies.
- > Provide opportunity to role players in the industry to discuss common problems and their solutions.

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND

The Conference will be of value to:

- > Metallurgical and chemical engineers working in the minerals and metals processing and chemical industries
- > Metallurgical/Chemical/Plant Management
- > Project Managers
- > Research and development personnel
- > Academic personnel and students
- > Technology providers and engineering firms for engineering solutions
- > Equipment and system providers
- > Relevant legislators
- > Environmentalists
- > Consultants

## EXHIBITION/SPONSORSHIP

There are a number of sponsorship opportunities available. Companies wishing to sponsor or exhibit should contact the Conference Co-ordinator.



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