

SOUTHERN AFRICAN PYROMETALLURGY 2024 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

12-14 MARCH 2024
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Sustainable Pyrometallurgy – Surviving Today and Thriving Tomorrow

INTRODUCTION

The Southern African Pyrometallurgy Conference series has covered a range of themes since the first edition in 2006. The Southern African Pyrometallurgy 2024 International Conference will structure a programme which covers crucial aspects of this continually evolving and exciting field towards sustainable pyrometallurgy. It is envisaged as an international conference on pyrometallurgy with a Southern African flavour.

Many new developments have taken place in southern African Pyrometallurgical plants since the previous conferences of this series, and it is hoped that this event will provide an update on operational developments.

The conference will cover a wide spectrum of activities within pyrometallurgy. Contributions are anticipated from operating plants, universities, research organisations and engineering companies, so that the full spectrum of pyrometallurgical activities can be covered with a special focus on decarbonisation, energy and resource efficiency and cleaner processes.

International participation is encouraged, with some broad overview papers covering international trends to be presented by experts in various topical technologies and commodities.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Pyrometallurgists
- Process engineers
- Smelter managers
- Researchers
- Postgraduate students
- Academics.

TOPICS

- Sustainable, socially responsible, environmental, energy conscious smelting
- Update on plant operations and new projects
- Staying competitive in an electrically constrained environment
- Digital transformation in pyrometallurgy: are smelters smarter now?
- Circularity in Pyrometallurgy
- Education – how do we sustain and grow our talent pool?

CALL FOR PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

Papers or presentations are invited on any topic related to the conference.

Prospective authors are invited to submit titles and abstracts of their papers in English. The abstracts should be no longer than 500 words and should be submitted to:

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KEY DATES

- Abstract Submission: 4 September 2023
- Abstract Acceptance: 25 September 2023
- Paper Submission: 30 October 2023
- Conference: 12-14 March 2024

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