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WELCOME TO THE NEW TEAM

Dear Members and supporters,

We are pleased to announce that we are the new management team at the Italian South African Chamber of Trade and Industries. We are proud to be part of one of the top 20 listed chambers in the world, and continue the positive legacy left by the former leadership.



We have a mix of skills that span from economics, finance, business and event management. Moreover, we both have experience in the private business sector in South Africa and in Italy and therefore we understand the challenges as well as the opportunities that entrepreneurs of SMEs face in both markets.

We are motivated to increase the value that is delivered to our esteemed members, working with them to support and promote their businesses and visibility, both locally and internationally.



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We are willing to engage with the Italian - South African Community from various angles, and we are looking forward to collaborate with other Institutions, that together with the Chamber, are part of the "Sistema Italia in South Africa". Especially the Italian Embassy, the Consulate, the Italian Trade Commission and all the other stakeholders.

We believe that Internationalization is the road to success for Italian SMEs, and with the support of the Italian Ministry of Economic Development, in partnership with key agencies for the promotion of bilateral cooperation, we are committed to deliver excellent services to support the Italian SMEs expansion plan into the Southern African markets.

Synergies between the South African and the Italian markets are found in sectors such as Energy, Engineering and Construction, Agriculture and Healthcare. The Chamber's role is to facilitate partnership creation.

We have a passion for the Made in Italy and promotion of Italian quality.

We look forward to meet all of our members and supporters personally over the next few months at one of our events such as the Aperilink on 27th June at the Maserati showroom in Bryanston.

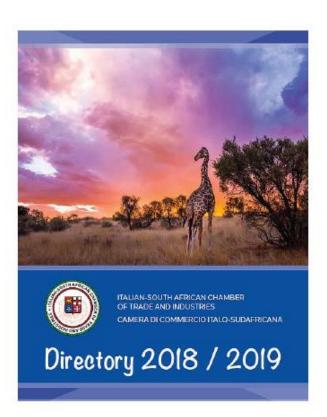
A presto!

Pamina e Silvia



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COMING SOON: MEMBER DIRECTORY



Like every year, the Chamber will soon publish its annual directory with an important insights and an update on the chamber's activities for the past year, as well as information and articles about its members and their successes.

Annual Member Directory is about to be printed!

For more information please contact Patricia at accounts@italcham.co.za



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CELEBRATIONS OF "FESTA DELLA REPUBBLICA"

Many Italian people in South Africa have celebrated the **Italy Nation's Republic Day**, which is a gazetted holiday on June 2 each year.

It is a day to remember when Italy became a Republic on **June 2**, **1946**.

The official ceremony has been held at the Italian Embassy in Pretoria,
The occasion to welcome the new Ambassador **Paolo Cuculi**



ItalCham has been invited to the Ceremony held at the Italian Consulate on June, 5 (photos)



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FaRete 2019



The Italian Chamber is scouting five South African companies operating in the sectors of packaging, mechanical engineering, automotive, components, food and beverage as well as furniture to take on a trade delegation to the FaRete Business Forum in Bologna over 4-5 September 2019.

The travel and the accommodation will be sponsored by Confindustria Emilia.



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SECTOR INSIGHT

State-owned freight logistics utility Transnet has named a consortium led by black-empowerment group Southern Palace as the preferred bidder for a 20-year concession to build and operate a new R2.5-billion inland container terminal in southern Gauteng.

The public–private partnership, dubbed the Tambo Springs Intermodal Terminal, is expected to reach financial close by September, with sod turning currently set down for November.

Besides Southern Palace, which has holdings in various industrial companies such as Scaw, Genrec and Concor, the consortium includes **Italian infrastructure group Ferrovie dello Stato Italiane**, as technical partner, as well as local supply-chain company Makoya, as logistics and marketing partner.

The terminal will be developed on a 607 ha property near Vosloorus, in Ekurhuleni, which has been earmarked for development of a larger multi-modal logistics hub being promoted by the Tambo Springs Development Company.

About 60% of South Africa's import and exports flow through Gauteng and yearly container movement to and from the province is expected to grow to four-million TEUs by 2021, from three-million TEUs currently. The new terminal should, thus, ease pressure on Transnet's existing inland container terminal at City Deep.

Read here the whole article



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THE NEW MOI

The new Memorandum of Incorporation has been published in the "publications" section on ItalCham website.

Republic of South Africa Companies Act. 2008

MEMORANDUM OF INCORPORATION FOR A NON-PROFIT COMPANY WITH MEMBERS

Name of company: THE ITALIAN-SOUTH AFRICAN CHAMBER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRIES NPC

Registration No.: 1984/007816/08

This MOI was amended by Special Resolutions 1,2 and 3 passed on 19 March 2019

Please visit the webpage

https://www.italcham.co.za/publications



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NEXT APERILINK: THURSDAY THE 27th OF JUNE

Aperilink

What

Networking and Italian Delicacies

Where

Maserati Showroom

DSVD:

info@italcham.co.za



Price

FREE for members R200 for non-members

Price includes cocktail snacks, high-end Italian food

...and very cool people





We would be pleased to met you at 6 p.m. at the MASERATI SHOWROOM Building No. 3, Bryanston Boulevard, 2985 William Nicol Drive, Bryanston, Johannesburg



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African Construction Expo



11 - 13 JUNE 2019

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The 2019 Manufacturing Indaba Theme:

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Growth and development of manufacturing & industrialisation to unlock Africa's potential



25 - 26 JUNE 2019

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CEO DIALOGUE

6th Edition

Johannesburg - The Maslow Hotel 29th and 30th October, 2019

BUILDING AN EXCLUSIVE, INFLUENTIAL COMMUNITY OF LEADERS FOR GROWING THEIR ENTERPRISES, THEIR COUNTRIES, AND THEIR CONTINENTS

Dialogue among leaders from different continents is the key to unleash ideas and strategies.

The purpose of the Dialogue is to foster cross national business engagement and investment relations, supporting business leaders in increasing mutual knowledge and profiting from concrete business opportunities.

For more information please visit: https://www.ambrosetti.eu/en/south-africa-italy-summit/



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The Water Show Africa 2020

31 March - 1 April 2020 Sandton Convention Centre Johannesburg



Power & Electricity World Africa 2020

31 March - 1 April 2020 Sandton Convention Centre Johannesburg



The Solar Show Africa 2020

31 March - 1 April 2020

Sandton Convention Centre Johannesburg



Welcome



PEOPLE SUCCESS AFRICA are a people consulting company providing services at board and managerial level, in the following categories:

- Improving productivity, such as performance management, labour analysis, organisational development, job profiling, job grading and remuneration
- Reducing labour cost, through remuneration benchmarking, best work practices, structuring and automation
- Preventing and managing industrial and community action, through intelligence, consultation and collective bargaining and stakeholder relations.

They have recently acquired skills to effectively deliver for clients on the "YES" youth job creation programme as well as to do online, cost effective, psychometric assessments.

Their clients are in the mining, agricultural, financial services and industrial sectors and include global listed companies (e.g. South32, HSBC, Asia Minerals, Sibanye-Stillwater, Hanon Systems) as well as unlisted regional entities (Watercare, Seriti, FarmSol, Masimong, SenWes). They are a Level 1 BBBEE contributor.

WELCOME TO THE CHAMBER!

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The Wellness Company

For more than 35 years Technogym has been helping people live healthier and happier lives. The Milanlisted company was founded by owner and chief executive Nerio Alessandri in 1983. Their mission is to spread the Wellness Lifestyle of engaging physical activity, correct nutrition and a positive mind-set.

The more people they inspire to make these a habit, the better the quality of life in the planet. They call it Wellness, help them spread the word.

We are also about Superb Design, Scientific Research and Innovative Technology.

Technogym's offering is focussed across many segments, including Home, Residential, Hotels/Hospitality, Performance, Health, Club and Corporate.

Penta Systems is the exclusive distributor of Technogym in Southern Africa as well as recently Seychelles and Mauritius.

The company has been representing Technogym here for more than 25 years and is co-operated by brothers Kevin and Tony Payne.

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