

SAPICS 2018 Annual Conference

Delegate Fact Sheet

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2018 will see SAPICS host the 40th Annual Conference & Exhibition

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The conference is designed to offer practical and relevant information by providing delegates with excellent educational presentations, case studies, interactive workshops, site visits and so much more!

About the Host:

Think Supply Chain – Think SAPICS.

As **your supply chain community** SAPICS is totally committed to the development of a vibrant community of educated supply chain professionals in Africa. SAPICS has been growing this community since 1966 and has played a valuable role in the supply chain profession for over 50 years. Via a network of professional supply chain educators, SAPICS has access to superior, world class education with outstanding internationally recognised certifications from global partner Associations with whom it is exceptionally proud to be associated. The SAPICS community is constantly evolving in Africa and now incorporates partners in Mauritius, Namibia, Kenya, Nigeria, Tanzania and Ghana.

SAPICS members, both individual and corporate, benefit from the international associations perpetuating the intention to think Global, act Local! SAPICS is proud to be the exclusive Premier Channel Partner in Sub Saharan Africa of APICS – the leading global SC Association as well as partner to DDI, IBF and Fapics.

Exhibitors



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SAPICS
2018
Cape Town
10-13 June

Why you should attend SAPICS 2018

- Spend time with leading supply chain executives and thought leaders
- **Save money and time by staying local!** Registration fees and international travel expenses in order to attend conferences overseas are immediately saved. Experience world-class presentations from handpicked supply chain professionals while enjoying an overall world class conference experience by attending SAPICS 2018
- **Learn from others** in your profession and experience real and practical professional development
- **Individual interaction** with professional experts
- **Face-to-face** knowledge exchange
- **Fully integrate** with your professional community
- **Share experiences and expertise** with other supply chain professionals
- **Outstanding “take home” value** – Gain future ideas tailored to the needs of you and your company
- **Share your thoughts** and experiences with others
- Excellent **opportunities for giving back to the profession**
- **Network, network, network!**
- **Collect actionable tips, statistics and other useful information** to share with your team and clients
- Through networking with other professionals and vendors in the industry, you are able to gauge the pulse of what is happening and can find out **what’s new in respect of tools, technologies, and processes.**

Presentations

The event is known as **the leading event in Africa for Supply Chain Professionals** for good reason. SAPICS officials scour the globe searching for the most interesting and skilled presenters. Preference is given to relevant case studies and securing a speaker slot each year is increasingly competitive. Papers are submitted months before the event and careful selection is made by a totally impartial Speaker Selection Committee drawn from many sectors of industry. A combination of the following make up the presentations:

Keynote | 50 Minute | 30 Minute | Panel Discussions | Ideas Exchange Sessions | Interactive Workshops



Other programme inclusions

The Conference programme contains a selection of **workshops**, mainly on the Sunday afternoon of June 10, for which there is no surcharge. In addition, a variety of fascinating site visits are arranged at a nominal charge, mainly for Wednesday June 13. Pre-booking of both workshops and **site visits** is required, as there is limited space available. In summary, the programme provides 3 days of outstanding presentations, educational workshops, relevant site visits, networking and social activities, designed to enhance delegates’ professional knowledge, experience and standing.

The Venue

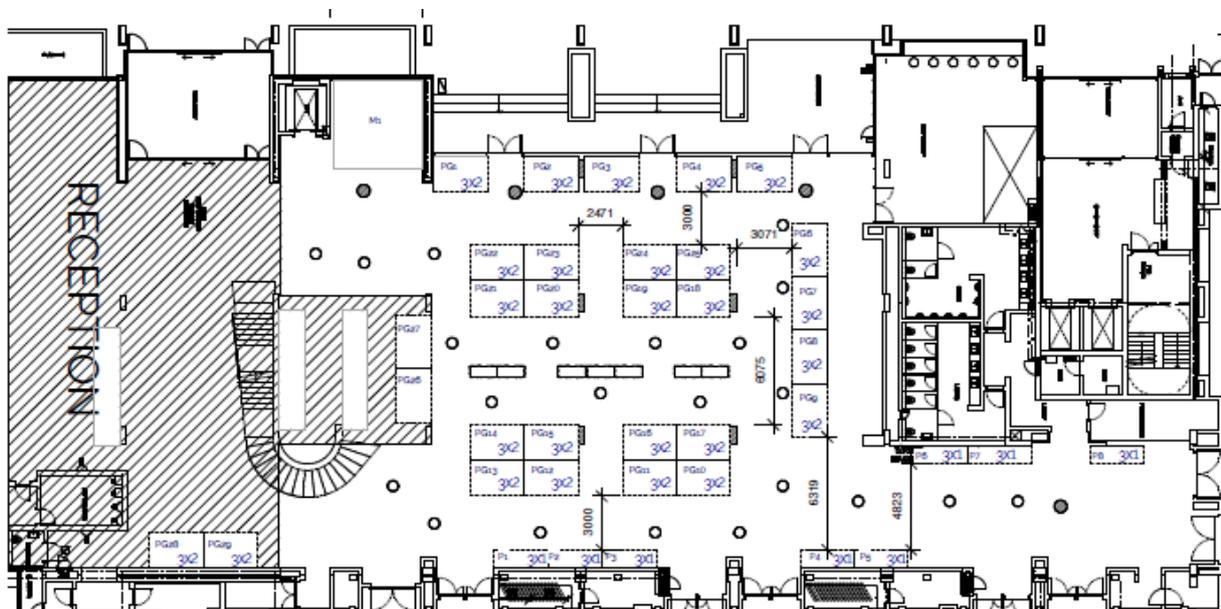
The recently opened Century City Conference Centre is an immaculate modern and upmarket venue with comfortable hotels within walking distance. It has proven attractive to the dedicated conference-goer, free from the unwelcome distractions of golf courses and slot machines. The design of the venue is conducive to constructive networking over the period of 3 days.



The Exhibition

SAPICS is privileged to have over 30 of the leading Supply Chain product and service providers in South Africa exhibit and showcase their products and services.

The exhibition is hosted in the central ground floor (foyer) area and given that access to the venue as a whole is restricted to registered delegates, it allows for a lengthier and more in-depth exchange between exhibitor and delegate to mutual benefit.



Programme Outline

Sunday, 10 June 2018

- 14:00:** Registration will commence for delegates attending workshops and site visits
- 15:00:** Afternoon workshops. Full details to be published and pre-registration is required as space is limited
- 18:00:** Informal networking “open house” and conference registration from 18:00 – 20:00. Drinks and light supper will be served.



Monday, 11 June 2018

- 07:00:** Exhibition opens and registration continues
- 08:00:** Conference begins incorporating Keynotes, workshops, panel discussions, general sessions, tech talks and academic track
- 17:00:** Conference ends
- 17:00:** Evening in the exhibition incorporating networking. Enjoy a light supper and entertainment
- 21:00:** Delegates are invited to enjoy a nightcap and live entertainment at the Slug and Lettuce (next to Colosseum). [Please note this is a cash bar.](#)

Tuesday, 12 June 2018

- 08:00:** Conference begins incorporating Keynotes, workshops, panel discussions, general sessions, tech talks and academic track
- 17:00:** Conference ends
- 17:00:** Farewell networking reception begins amongst the exhibitors
- 18:00:** Event closes
- 18:30:** Optional closing dinner at [Knife](#) (atmospheric grill room at Crystal Towers Hotel.) **R150.00 ex VAT per person – pre-registration required as space is limited – generously co-hosted by JDA Group**

Wednesday, 13 June 2018

- 08:30:** Site visits (additional charge, details will be published on the website and pre-registration is required as space is limited)
- 08:30:** Additional workshops as published and pre-registration is required
- 12:30:** Workshops end
- 17:00:** Site visits end

Registration Fees

Fees for Conference Attendees residing in South Africa (all prices are exclusive of VAT)

Standard Registration Fees (From 1st March to 30th April 2018)

Member of SAPICS or Partner Association*	R10,500.00
Non Member	R11,500.00

Closing Registration Fees (From 1st May 2018)

Member of SAPICS or Partner Association*	R11,500.00
Non Member	R12,500.00

Companion (admission to social events only) R1,750.00

Optional closing dinner at Knife on Tuesday 12 June 2018 –
generously co-hosted by JDA Group R150.00

*Partner Associations include: APICS / FAPICS / SAIIE / IBF

Group Discounts

Group discounts are available for employees at the following group discounts if delegates are booked by one central administrator at the same time and paid for at the same time.

- 5 – 9 attendees **10%** off published registration fee
- 10 – 29 attendees **15%** off published registration fee
- 30 + attendees **25%** off published registration fee

Early Bird Conference Package Special

Package fee is **R16 400.00** excluding VAT.

Included in package:

- Early Bird Conference registration
- Return airfare on budget airline to Cape Town
- 3 nights' accommodation on single room bases at the nearby Colosseum Hotel
- 1 seat on selected site visit
- Transfers on arrival and departure between Cape Town Airport and Century City

Cancellation Condition:

- 50% – if cancelled more than 60 days before conference
- 100% – if cancelled within 60 days

Conference Package Terms and Conditions:

1. Package to be paid on receipt of invoice and no later than 28th February 2018.
2. Airfare based on budget carriers, and subject to availability at time of booking.
3. Accommodation based on Colosseum Hotel most competitive room rate subject to number of rooms confirmed on first come first served basis.
4. Package price subject to amendment without notice.

Accommodation | Century City Cape Town

The organisers have pre-booked hotel accommodation at favourable rates at select hotels situated in Century City within walking distance to the Century City Conference Centre where the event is being held.



Century City Hotel

A modern four-star facility situated just a stone's throw away from the conference venue. The rooms feature king-sized bed/twin beds depending on your requirements and large walk-in showers. Each room has block-out blinds, a 40-inch LCD screen with 16 DSTV channels, open-air cupboards with drawers and a laptop-sized safe for storage. A

workstation with a USB port, as well as a refreshment station with tea and coffee making facilities are provided. There are also bedside table plug points and an 1800-watt hair dryer. All rooms are non-smoking. Uncapped, high-speed fibre fed Wi-Fi access is complimentary throughout the hotel to in-house delegates.

ROOM TYPE	ROOM RATE SINGLE (Single occupancy - 1 person)	ROOM RATE TWIN (Shared occupancy - 2 people)
Superior Room	R2,005.00	R2,320.00



Cape Town Marriott Hotel Crystal Towers

Just a short walk from the CCCC this five-star hotel combines an innovative blend of technological sophistication with elegant decor and offers majestic views of Table Mountain and Cape Town. Rooms are non-smoking and offer air-conditioning and an en-suite bathroom.

Unique room features include a cylindrical frosted glass shower and a flat screen TV that ascends from the base of the bed. Each room is fitted with soft magenta lighting, creating a calm and intimate atmosphere, as well as floor to ceiling windows to allow ample natural light. All rooms offer executive desks and chairs for the corporate traveller. 24-hour room service, mini bars and tea/coffee making facilities are also available. Wi-Fi connectivity is available in all rooms and public spaces and is uncapped at a speed of 5 mbps.

ROOM TYPE	ROOM RATE SINGLE (Single occupancy - 1 person)	ROOM RATE TWIN (Shared occupancy - 2 people)
Superior Room	R2,270.50	R2,675.00



Colosseum Luxury Hotel

The Colosseum Luxury Hotel is considered by many to be Cape Town's finest urban luxury hotel. The Colosseum Luxury Hotel occupies a prime position in Century City, just off the N1 highway and less than 2km to the N2 highway. Overlooking Century City and the Durbanville hills, all Suites boast a separate living area, semi self-catering kitchenette and an open plan, free-standing bath and shower. All

suites are air-conditioned and contain two LCD TV screens. Suites are ultra-modern with a sophisticated look and feel. Each suite has a work desk with international plug points, telephone and wireless internet.

ROOM TYPE	ROOM RATE SINGLE (Single occupancy - 1 person)	ROOM RATE TWIN (Shared occupancy - 2 people)
Superior Room	R1,760.40	R2,016.40

To secure a hotel reservation, full pre-payment of all nights' accommodation, payable to Upavon Conferences is required at the time of reservation on receipt of an invoice.

Alternatively, credit card details should be provided, allowing the reservation to be guaranteed. The card may be debited by the hotels with the full amount 30 days prior to check in. This applies only to the Century City Hotel and Cape Town Marriott Hotel Crystal Towers. The Colosseum does not accept credit cards and pre-payment is essential.

Any reservations not paid or guaranteed as per above by a date one month prior to the commencement of the conference may be released. Special booking conditions apply to reservations of 3 rooms or more. Please see group booking conditions. In the event of cancellation, the following cancellation fees apply:

- If cancelled 1 month or more in advance – no cancellation fees
- If cancelled within 1 month – full charge of all nights reserved

N.B. The rates above are quoted per room per night and are applicable for the duration of SAPICS Conference i.e. 10 June to 13 June 2018 including breakfast, VAT as well as the 1% tourism levy.

Airport Transfers

The organisers have arranged airport transfers at favourable rates from Cape Town International Airport to the select hotels and back to Cape Town International Airport post conference. There is a charge of R160 per person.

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