



National Conference Programme Framework

Venue: Zebula Golf Estate & Spa

8 & 9 May 2023

Theme: Efficiency - Innovation – Resilience

ARRIVAL – Sunday 7 May 2023

14:00	Sunday Arrival Registration - Afternoon	
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DAY 1 – Monday 8 May 2023

07:30– 08:30	Registration	
08:30	Welcome & opening	SAFMA Chairman – Nathaniel Reddy
08:45- 09:30	Opening Address – Rising Above the Waters: A Tale of Resilience and Recovery after Durban's Devastating 2022 flood	Nem Singh - Vice President: Production Control and Logistics Toyota South Africa
09:30- 10:00	Revolutionizing Facilities Management: Harnessing the Power of AI and IoT	Michael Austin
10:00- 10:30	Recent Trends in Physical Asset Management and their applicability to Facility Management	Johan Wannenburg
10:30- 11:00	The Importance of Staff Training and Development for increased Resilience	Shukri Habib
11:00- 11:30	Break	
11:30- 12:10	Panel discussion – Implementation of digital technologies that drive operational efficiency & deliver return on investment	Moderator: Johan Burger Speakers: Nem Singh; Niksha Singh; Nirmal Narotam
12:10- 12:40	Energy Efficiency and renewable solutions - SABS	Kasturi Naidoo

12:40-13:10	Efficiency, Innovation & Resilience in HVAC systems serving Commercial and Retail Buildings.	Patrick Burke
13:10-13:40	Practical steps and developments subsequent to POPIA implementation	Jodi Poswellestki
13:40-14:30	Lunch and Networking	
14:30-14:45	Orientation to meeting point for Activities – Zebula Reception	
14:45-17:00	Afternoon Activities	
18:00	Transport to Secret Venue (25 th Celebratory Dinner) – Meeting point Zebula Reception	
18:30-23:00	SAFMA Awards with 25 th Anniversary Celebration Dinner	

Day 2 – Tuesday 9 May 2023

06:30	Sunrise Guided Bush Walk – Meeting point Zebula Reception – Booking required	
09:00	Opening	Master of Ceremonies
09:05-09:40	The value of the Occupational Qualification: Facilities Manager for creating a culture of learning in organisations	Jurie Van Zyl
09:40-10:15	The Application of Industrial Scale monitoring, data analytics and artificial intelligence to commercial and retail facilities.	Nirmal Narotam
10:15-10:45	Advanced Emergency-Power Risk Management Solution™ A Case Study from Maerskline	Lwandiso Mgwetyana
10:45-11:15	Break	
11:15-11:45	The future of a Workspace Facility Where we came from vs. where we are going	Bianco Chetty
11:45-12:15	Unlocking the Value of Competitive Energy Trading for the Facilities Management Industry.	Dr Melani De Lima

12:15-12:45	FM in Property management – moving from an art to a science.	Tertius Janse van Rensburg & Alan Tait
12:45-13:45	Lunch and Networking	
13:45-14:15	Energy Performance Certificates	Divesh Singh
14:15-14:45	Effective Energy Management in Facilities	Zadoc Oelinga
14:45-15:15	The Potential of Digital Twins as an Anchoring Technology for Digital Transformation.	Koos Truter
15:15-15:45	Closing Keynote – The Role of FM in Green Buildings	Brian Wilkinson – SAFMA Founding member
15:45	Closing	