OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

While South Africa has 12 Official languages, English will be used for the purposes of the conference.

CONFERENCE ACCOMMODATION

The Stellenbosch Hotel

The Stellenbosch Hotel is a classic boutique-style hotel, situated in the heart of historic Stellenbosch. Our range of comfortable rooms cater for both the leisure and corporate traveller. We are the ideal destination from where guests can explore the Cape Winelands and many other Western Cape attractions.

Southern Sun de Wagen

Southern Sun de Wagen is an elegant boutique hotel in the heart of South Africa's most famous wine region. A collection of historic farmstead buildings dating back to the early 1900s have been restored and re-imagined to create a unique and charming boutique hotel in Stellenbosch.

Batavia Boutique Hotel

A 5-star boutique hotel, offering luxurious accommodation to the discerning business & leisure traveller. Batavia Boutique Hotel immerses itself in the elements of historic Stellenbosch - South Africa's second oldest town and most inspiring wine, food, art and cultural destination. Each guest is welcomed in an atmosphere of cordiality and elegance, and with full respect. Indulge in the details of the tastefully decorated space and relax in the comfort of this unique hotel.

Devonvale Golf & Wine Estate

Stellenbosch is one of the top destinations in South Africa. Here you will discover and enjoy nature in lots of different and unique ways. Devonvale, definitely will be one of them. A place to connect body & soul again... Devonvale is an exclusive hidden gem, immerse within nature on a privileged location in a quite suburb area of Stellenbosch. Surrounded by the extraordinary beauty of the Bottelary Hills and vineyards. On entering this enchanting place, you will immediately sense its special intimate atmosphere that makes you feel like being in your own home. Each staff member's passion is to make your stay memorable.

Stellenbosch Manor

The Oosthuizen family of MolenVliet Wine Estate purchased it in 1996 and recently renovated it to it's original deserved glory. It will now form part of the Oosthuizen Family's world class hospitality portfolio which serves local and international tourists as an exclusive guest house. Stellenbosch Manor is a beautiful Victorian gem which is situated within walking distance from the Stellenbosch city centre, university, sports facilities, schools, restaurants, tourist attractions and the botanic gardens.

Cape Town

Cape Town, located in South Africa's Western Cape province, is a remarkable city encompassing many cultural influences.

This mix of cultures has left its mark on Cape Town's culture and architecture. With stunning mountains and sea views.

Cape Town's culinary fame includes African classics like bobotie and koeksisters, enriching its reputation as a gastronomic delight. Numerous restaurants also offer a fusion of global cuisines from around the world. For those seeking adventure, there are opportunities for scuba diving, rock climbing, and various outdoor activities in the nearby nature reserves.

Cape Town offers it all: outdoor thrills, top restaurants, varied accommodations, and activities for all, making it a versatile destination. We will provide you with insider information on the best sights and upcoming tours, events, and activities.

Stellenbosch

Stellenbosch is internationally renowned for its beautiful environment, wine farms, street cafés, restaurants, quality wines, historical buildings and its famous university.

Stellenbosch owes its existence and name to the former governor of the Cape, Simon van der Stel, who established this settlement on the banks of the Eerste River in 1679, making it the second-oldest formal settlement in South Africa.

The town is centred around the university, which is primarily an Afrikaanslanguage institution and one of the leading universities in the country, renowned for its law and engineering faculties. It also offers courses in viticulture, the primary agricultural industry in the area, as it lies in the heart of the Cape winelands.

Many leading wine estates are found here and are home to some of the best restaurants in the country. Look out for Rust en Vrede, Jordan and Terroir, all of which have made it on to the Eat Out award list for the top 10 restaurants in the

country.

How to get there

Protea Hotel Marriott Stellenbosch Conference Centre, Western Cape, South Africa. is approximately 32 min from Cape Town International Airport.

<u>Click here</u> for directions to Protea Hotel Marriott Stellenbosch Conference Centre from Cape Town International Airport.



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TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

ICTVET

International Conference on Technical and Vocational Education and Training (ICTVET2024)

CONFERENCE THEME AND SUB - THEMES

MAIN THEME:

"Advancing TVET for Digitalized World, Youth Skilling, Employability and Sustainable Development (National, Regional, and International)"

Sub-Themes:

- TVET promise
- Inclusive TVET
- TVET for digitalized world
- TVET network
- TVET for climate action
- Private sector engagement
- TVET research and knowledge base
- Quality Assurance
- Innovation, and sustainable leadership
- Sustainable curriculum in TVET



South Africa, Cape Town PROTEA HOTEL: MARRIOTT STELLENBOSCH & CONFERENCE CENTRE 25 – 27 September 2024 The University of South Africa (UNISA) will be hosting its first hybrid international conference on technical and vocational education and training (ICTVET2024), during 25 – 27 September 2024 at the Protea Hotel, Marriott Stellenbosch Conference Centre, Western Cape Province, South Africa. The conference will be organized in close partnership with the South African Public Colleges Organization (SAPCO – organization that represents 50 public TVET colleges in South Africa), supported by the Education Training and Development Practices Sector Education and Training Authority (ETDP SETA), the Department of Higher Education and Training (DHET) and the UNESCO-UNEVOC International Centre for Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET). The theme of the conference is: Advancing TVET for Digitalized World, Youth Skilling, Employability and Sustainable Development (National, Regional, and International)".

Global disruptions such as climate change, digitalization, the Fourth Industrial Revolution (4IR), demographic change, and migration are changing the way we live, work, and learn. New technologies are emerging, remote forms of working and learning are becoming commonplace, and workers need new skills such as problem-solving, ICT, entrepreneurship, and STEM, while continuing to require traditional skills and knowledge.

TVET systems must therefore rise to the challenge of supporting learners to prepare them for the workplace of the future. Improving the future-readiness of TVET systems is crucial for assuring their relevance and, ultimately, their survival. To prepare learners for future competencies and industry requirements, TVET teaching staff /trainers must possess these essential competencies and qualities themselves. Therefore, this hybrid conference sought to collect input from the wider technical and vocational and training (TVET) community on how TVET systems can be better organized to deliver the skills demanded in a rapidly changing and increasingly complex labour market. However, many countries have made tremendous strides in several areas to shape the future of TVET systems.

Specific sub-themes for delegates might want to consider include, but are not, limited to the following:

TVET promise

Introduction

- Inclusive TVET
- TVET for digitalized world
- TVET network
- TVET for climate action
- Energy Security and Transition
- Private sector engagement
- TVET research and knowledge base
- Articulation
- Quality Assurance
- Innovation, and sustainable leadership
- Sustainable curriculum in TVET

Call for Papers

Papers are invited from leading and emerging scholars, TVET practitioners, policy makers, planners, students, academics, researchers, business people, employers, entrepreneurs, universities, for the first hybrid international conference on technical and vocational teaching and training (ICTVET2024) which will be held from **25 – 27 September 2024** at the Protea Hotel Marriott Stellenbosch Conference Centre, Western Cape Province, South Africa.

Abstract Submission Guidelines

The abstract proposal should not exceed 500 words in Times New Roman, with a font size of 12. The line spacing should be 1.5 the margins of the document should be set at 1 inch on all sides. Abstract should include – problem, purpose/research questions, hypotheses/arguments, methods, findings, conclusions, and implications. It is important that the abstract should relate to the conference theme. Scholarly-based writing is highly recommended/expected. Abstract submissions should be typed, language edited, and be submitted ONLINE in both Microsoft Word and PDF Format. After submission, you will be notified of the receipt of the abstract.

Process of Abstract Evaluation

- After submission, your abstract will be subjected to a doubleblind peer review process
- After peer review process, we will send you the outcome of your abstract
- The reviewers might suggest some further work on your abstract and the reworked abstract must be returned/submitted.

Modes of Presentations

Two modes of presentations are available for conference participants, and these are: On-Site Presentation and Virtual Presentation. Each presenter will be allocated 15 minutes for the presentation (PPT recommended) and 5 minutes for Q&A session. Registered virtual authors will have access to the ICTVET2024 proceedings.

Conference Papers

All accepted conference papers will be published in the Conference Proceeding Booklet with ISBN: 978-0-7961-7635, and extended versions of the selected papers will be published in the journals that have partnered with the conference. All papers must meet submission compliance of each journal.

Publication

Submitted manuscripts must not have been published elsewhere, furthermore, submission to the journal will be deemed to imply that the manuscript will not be submitted to any other journal if accepted.

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Call for abstract proposal opens	20 April 2024	
If you want to become a speaker/presenter		
Deadline for abstract proposal	30 June 2024	
Last day to submit an abstract and becomes a	Extension	
presenter/speaker	15 July 2024	
Notification of abstract acceptance and feedback	Until 15 August	
Authors will be notified whether they have been	2024	
accepted as presenters/speakers		
Early Bird Registration Opens	15 July 2024	
Registration for discounted or early bird		
conference rate opens.		
Early Bird Registration Closes	30 July 2024	
Last day to take advantage of early bird or		
discounted conference rates		
Late Registration Opens	1 August 2024	
Late Registration Closes	30 August 2024	
Conference programme	15 September 2024	
Conference	25-27 September	
	2024	
Gala Dinner	26 September 2024	
Post-Conference activities	28 September – 30	
Conference closing reports, lessons learnt and way	October 2024	
forward		

Registration Guidelines

- After receiving the result of acceptance of your abstract/concept, you are therefore requested to pay the participation/registration fee.
- Every participant is required to complete the registration form and thereafter upload proof of payment voucher/receipt and send it to the Conference Secretariat.
- ***If you intend to participate without paper presentation, you can register now***
- ***If you intend to make a presentation at the conference, it is important that your abstract/concept note is accepted first before you can pay the registration fee***

Registration Fees

Countries	Mode of Presentation	Early Bird	Late Registration	
All Other Countries	On-site / In person	USD 400	USD 450	
	Online /Virtual	USD 200	USD 225	
	One day Online/ Virtual	USD 100	USD	150
South Africa	Mode of Presentation	Early Bird	Late Registration	Students
	On-site /In- person	R7 000	R7 500	R3 000
	Online /Virtual	R3 500	R3 750	
	One day On-site / In-person	R2 350	R2 500	R1 500
	One day Online/ Virtual	R1 175	R1 900	

Please note that we should receive the exact amount of registration fee as indicated in the table above. Any possible bank charges should be paid by the participants themselves. The payment is not based on presentation but on participants.