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WOMEN IN MINING “HER STORY” EMPOWERMENT WEBINAR

2024

**A GENDER-INCLUSIVE
JUST ENERGY TRANSITION
IN MINING**

Date: 22 August 2024

Time: 09:00 - 12:00

Venue: Apollo Hotel, 158 Bram
Fischer Drive, Ferndale

Online: MS Teams

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AGENDA



TIME	ITEM	SPEAKER
09:00 – 09:05	Welcome and Programme Overview	Rina Muller - SML4change
09:05 – 09:15	Inspirational moment	Sherin Ramparsad - Mandela Mining Precinct
SESSION 1 09:15 – 09:30	Where are we on the Road to a Gender-Inclusive Energy Transition?	Aradhna Pandarum - TIC
SESSION 2 09:30 – 10:00	Panel discussion: Facilitating change in the status quo: Perspectives on Policy, Skills and Labour - Policy support for women inclusion in JET - Empowering women in JET - Supporting initiatives for female inclusion in JET - Green energy skills – they way forward	- Facilitator: Rina Muller - Elizabeth Marabwa - DMRE, Chief Director - Melanie Roy - NUMSA - Adv Hanlie van Vuuren - Solidariteit - Laura Harris - merSETA
10:00 – 10:15	Comfort Break	
SESSION 3 10:15 – 10:30	My Journey as a Woman Driving Sustainability in Mineral Resources – what impact are we making?	Nikki Fisher - Thungela Resources, Head of Sustainability
SESSION 4 10:30 – 11:00	Roundtable discussion : Inspiring women - cases and lessons learnt from NGO and Community Perspective - Supporting initiatives for Climate Justice - Industrial symbiosis: Combatting Waste Issues and Empowering Unemployed Women Through Job Creation / Resource Efficient and Cleaner Production (RECP) - Sustainable agriculture and greening projects empowering local communities	- Facilitator: Rina Muller - Promise Mabilo - Vukani Environmental Justice Group - Maggie Matumba Mashau - NCPC, Senior Project Manager - Nelly Nkosi - Khutala Environmental Care Group
SESSION 5 11:00 – 11:15	Spotlight: Looking to the future: Sustainability in Mining – Priority setting	Lithakazi Nxiweni - Climate Change Policy Analyst
11:15 – 11:30	Reflections on the spotlight presentations and panel sessions – remarks from participants	Facilitated by Rina Muller
11:30 – 11:45	Mentimeter survey	Kimehra Govindasamy -RIIS
11:45 – 11:50	Closing remarks / Vote of Thanks	Rina Muller -SML4change
11:50-12:00	Photos	



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A strong woman looks a challenge dead in the eye and gives it a wink.

A GENDER-INCLUSIVE JUST ENERGY TRANSITION IN MINING

Climate change and environmental degradation disproportionately affect women, exacerbating gender inequality. The nexus between gender equality and climate justice is pivotal in the context of South Africa's Just Energy Transition (JET) and is especially relevant to the mining sector as it transitions towards greener operations.

Women's involvement in JET decision-making processes can ensure that diverse perspectives are considered, leading to more holistic and equitable solutions. Furthermore, by prioritising gender-responsive transition strategies, the mining industry can simultaneously address both social and environmental dimensions of sustainability, fostering a more inclusive and resilient energy transition for South Africa.

This event, hosted by the SATCAP Programme of the Mandela Mining Precinct, is focused on gender-inclusive green energy and environmental initiatives in mining, thus highlighting women inclusion and involvement in the cause for climate justice, including zooming in on the progress made towards a gender-inclusive energy transition to date, and amplifying the voices and experiences of women making inroads in this space.

The event will showcase case studies of women-led initiatives in the Just Energy Transition and highlight empowerment opportunities for women through green job creation, skills support, and environmental education.

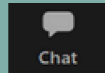
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3.

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4.

Kindly participate in all the polls during the session. Your feedback is important to us.

5.

The panel discussion will be recorded and shared with you. ENJOY and ENGAGE the discussion!

6.

Please introduce yourself using the chat feature in the following format: Full name, Organisation, Industry e.g. Kimehra Govindasamy, RIIS consulting.



*Like a sunflower that thrives in the sun's warmth,
her strength shines brightest in the face of challenges.*