

CAMERA DI COMMERCIO ITALO SUDAFRICANA
ITALIAN SOUTH AFRICAN CHAMBER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRIES

Dear Members,

We are very happy to communicate that the 2nd Summit South Africa Italy will be held in Cape Town 1st and 2nd October 2015. The Summit will be facilitated by The European House AMBROSETTI and we are delighted to inform you about this great initiative.

2015: SOUTH AFRICA - ITALY SUMMIT - SECOND EDITION

The Ambrosetti Forum is an international discussion panel on economic issues, held every year since 1975 in the first week of September at the Villa d' Este in Cernobbio, on the Lake of Como. Heads of state, ministers, Nobel laureates and economists participate in the meeting.

The most important geo-political and economic issues facing Europe and Africa will be on the agenda for a select community of CEO's, leading economists and government authorities from Italy, South Africa and Sub-Saharan Africa when they meet at The European House - Ambrosetti's second edition of the South Africa – Italy Summit later this year.

This will be held at the Mount Nelson hotel in Cape Town from October 1-2 2015, the Summit is fast developing a reputation as the global reference point for the investment debate on Sub-Saharan Africa.

This exclusive meeting of leaders from South Africa and Italy brings together some of the most influential business and government leaders and provides them with fresh, innovative, effective information and ideas to shape their strategies, with the aim of building strategic relationships and exploring bilateral business opportunities.

With Sub-Saharan Africa booming and rapidly expanding its consumer markets, with more than 6% GDP growth on average in the last decade and household consumption growing fourfold since 2000, the Summit provides an opportunity to facilitate strategic partnerships for South African and Italian enterprises to grow in Africa faster and better.

Topics at the 2015 South Africa-Italy Summit will focus on:

- South Africa and Italy relations in the current regional and global geopolitical scenario;
- Agri-business value chains in South Africa and SADC;
- SADC regional integration and investment opportunities;
- Collaborative models with SMEs and entrepreneurship for growth;
- Urban development and smart technologies; and
- Innovation in banks and payment systems as a driver for socio-economic development.

For more information, participation and sponsorship opportunity please do not hesitate to contact the Organizing office The European House Ambrosetti southafrica.italy.summit@ambrosetti.eu and please check the official website for further information. <http://www2.ambrosetti.eu/it/south-africa-italy-summit-2015>

Best regards,

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