

# AFRICAN AGRI INVESTMENT INDABA

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CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA

YOUR GATEWAY TO INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES ACROSS THE ENTIRE AGRI VALUE CHAIN



Over 600 key stakeholders are set to attend – from governments, commercial farmers, agri-businesses, financiers, project owners and the agro-processing industry – the upcoming African Agri Investment Indaba (AAII) 2017 which has been developed to connect the entire agri value chain and create a deal-making environment to allow industry stakeholders to seize the opportunity of tapping into the global US\$1 trillion food market.

Amongst those attending are prominent agri experts who are set to address real market opportunities across the various African regions, Africa's role in global food security, agriculture at the core of the economic diversification agenda and improving the investment environment for African agriculture.

The 60+ industry leading speakers include:

- **MEC Alan Winde**, Western Cape Minister of Economic Opportunities, responsible for the Departments of Agriculture, Economic Development and Tourism. South Africa
- **Dr. John Purchase**, Chief Executive Officer, Agricultural Business Chamber (Agbiz). South Africa
- **Nhlanhla Nene**, Resident Advisor, Thebe Investment Corporation. Former Finance Minister. South Africa
- **Paul Andrew**, Chief Executive Officer, Cros Agro Allied Ltd, Nigeria
- **Llewellyn Brooks**, Chief Executive Officer, GWK, South Africa
- **Jean Craven**, Chief Investment Officer, Barak Fund Manager, Mauritius
- **Dr. Gideon Gono**, Chairman, the Zimbabwe Special Economic Zones Authority, TD Energy, Former Central Bank Governor, Zimbabwe
- **Dr. Adriana Marais**, Head of Innovation, SAP, South Africa
- **Cristina Miranda Gozálvez**, DG Agriculture and Rural Development, Deputy Head of Unit, Unit "Global Issues and relations with ACP", European Commission, European Union
- **Dr. Theo de Jager**, President, World Farmers Association, South Africa
- **Dr. Chimimba David Phiri**, Sub regional Coordinator for Southern Africa, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), Ghana
- **Sheikh Noor Ullah**, Global Head Agriculture, Acumen, Pakistan

"As the world looks to Africa as a solution to global food security concerns, the continents' agri sector is fast becoming the panacea of the investment world especially with the recent decline in commodity investment returns. The agriculture sector is yielding exceptionally exciting opportunities and pipelines. Food security is now being translated into an investable option for investors and financiers." says Ben Leyka, Executive Director, African Agri Council.

**Secure your participation today!**

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