



Western Cape Undercover Farming Conference and Expo

9 - 10 October 2024

Allée Bleue, Groot Drakenstein, Cape Town

Wednesday 9 October 2024	
07:00 - 09:25	Registration: ALL DELGATES & EXHIBITORS – Network on Expo Floor - Coffee/Tea and Snacks
09:25 – 09:30	Welcome: Marion Oosthuizen, Organiser: Undercover Farming Conference and Expo
09:30 – 10:15	Deon van Rooyen – Vegtech/Netafim – Topic: Precision Irrigation
10:15 – 11:00	Brigitte Zablocki – Woolworths – Topic: Farming for the Future
11:00 - 11:15	Coffee/Tea and Snacks - & Network Session
11:15 - 12:00	John Strydom – AgriLab – Topic: Minimizing the risk of oil-borne diseases
12:00 – 13:00	LUNCH - (Registered Delegates & Exhibitors Only)
13:00 - 13:45	Ida Wilson – Bio Revolution – Topic: Undercover Shadows: Tales of Secrecy and Deceptions
13:45 - 14:30	Christi Venter – Global Gap – Topic: Introduction to the new GLOBALG.A.P.
14:30 - 15:15	Andries Wiese – Hollard – Topic: Risk Management Strategy – Insurance while the world is in turmoil
15:15-16:00	Nico Uys – Ezolimo Organics – Topic: Biological Products – New or Old News?
16:00-16:45	Francois Knowles – APAC - Topic: Choosing the right Fresh Produce Market Agent
16:45- 18:00	Wrap up of Day 1 – Networking
Thursday 10 October 2024	
08:00 - 09:30	Registration NEW DELGATES – Network on Expo Floor - Coffee/Tea and Snacks
09:30 – 10:15	Hans Meiring – Meiring Structures – Topic: Growing under shade-net as an alternative
10:15 - 11:00	Fred Fourie – Turf Technology and Irrigation – Topic: Taking your Fertigation to the next level
11:00 - 11:15	Coffee/Tea and Network Session
11:15 – 12:00	Marc Slabber – Talborne Organics – Topic: How balanced nutrition and soil health leads to success
12:00 – 12:45	Gerrit Burger – Haifa – Topic: Role of Nutrient and EC management in Nutrigation
12:45 - 13:15	LUNCH - (Registered Delegates & Exhibitors Only)
13:15 - 14:00	Herbert Stolker – Delphy – Topic: Optimizing of growing conditions leads to high volumes and quality of fresh produce
14:00 – 14:45	Gavin Olsen - Radicle Group – Topic: Irrigation in Greenhouses and growing medium
14:45 – 15:30	Estelle Kempen – Stellenbosch University Horti Demo Centre – Overview & the future role of the HDC
15:30 - 17:00	Networking on Conference Floor - Coffee/Tea and Snacks