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**Tuesday, October 18, 2016**

**13.45 – 14.00** *Arrival and Registration*

Chair: **Eleni Giokos** - Business Correspondent, CNN

**14.00 – 16.15** **OPENING REMARKS**

**Valerio De Molli** - Managing Partner & CEO, The European House - Ambrosetti

**Pietro Giovanni Donnici** - Ambassador of Italy to South Africa

**Nomatemba Tambo** - Ambassador of South Africa to Italy

***Signing of the Memorandum of Understanding***

**David Malemolla Makhura** - Premier of Gauteng, South Africa

**Stefano Bonaccini** - Governor, Emilia-Romagna Region, Italy

**Future Challenges of Leadership in Africa**

**Wendy Luhabe** - Chairman, Women Private Equity Fund, South Africa

**Science and Technology driving development in Africa**

**Naledi Pandor** - Minister of Science and Technology, Republic of South Africa

**REVITALIZE GROWTH IN THE CHANGING GLOBAL GEO-ECONOMIC SCENARIO**

**Marcus Cornaro** - Ambassador of the European Union to South Africa

**Carmelo Cocuzza** - Head of Regional Representation, Southern Africa and Indian Ocean, European Investment Bank

**Peya Mushelenga** - Deputy Minister of International Relations and Cooperation, Republic of Namibia

**Luwellyn Tyrone Landers** - Deputy Minister of International Relations and Cooperation, Republic of South Africa

*Debate*

**16.15 – 16.45** *Coffee Break*

**16.45 – 18.00** **SHARE EXPERIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY TO FOSTER COMPETITIVENESS AND SUSTAINABILITY IN AGRIBUSINESS**

**Gian Luca Bagnara** - Chairman, Texere, Italy

**Willem Basson** - President, Agri-Gauteng; Project Champion for the Rust de Winter Super Agri-Park Project, South Africa

**Renzo Piraccini** - Chairman, Almaverde Bio; Chairman, Macfrut Trade Fair, Italy

**Nhlanhla Nene** - Resident Advisor, Thebe Investment Corporation; former Minister of Finance, Republic of South Africa

*Debate*

**Speech by:**

**Patric Pule Ralotsia** - Minister of Agricultural Development and Food Security, Republic of Botswana

**19.30** **Welcome Cocktail - ITALIAN CLUB OF JOHANNESBURG**

**20:30** **Gala Dinner**

**Speech by:**

**Maurizio Mariano** - Attorney, Co-Founder and Director, BBM Law Firm

**David Malemolla Makhura** - Premier of Gauteng, South Africa

**Wednesday, October 19, 2016**

Chair: **Eleni Giokos** - Business Correspondent, CNN

**9.00 – 10.15 INCREASE COMPETITIVENESS AND GROWTH THROUGH  
NEW APPROACHES AND TOOLS IN REGIONAL COOPERATION**

**Fabrizio Sala** - Deputy Governor for Social Housing, EXPO, International and European Relations and Business Internationalisation, Lombardy Region, Italy

**Samhumzi Zamxaka** - CEO, Gauteng Growth Development Agency - GGDA)

**Marco Arzilli** - Secretary of State for Industry, Handicraft and Trade, Republic of San Marino

**Luca Vecchi** – Mayor, Municipality of Reggio Emilia, Italy

*Debate*

**10.15 – 10.45** *Coffee Break*

**10.45 – 11.00 INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN THE SADC REGION**

**Speech by:**

**Stergomena Tax** - Executive Secretary, Southern African Development Community (SADC)

**11.00 – 12.15 DESIGN TOGETHER A STRATEGIC ROADMAP FOR THE COMPLETION  
OF THE AUTOMOTIVE VALUE CHAIN**

**Paolo Olivero** - Country Leader South Africa, CIn-Ma Group

**Alec Erwin** - Chairman, Ubu Investment Holdings;  
former Minister of Public Enterprises and  
former Minister of Trade and Industry, Republic of South Africa

**Luca Monti** - Member of the Board, Italian Association of Private Banking;  
Head of the Private & Corporate and Investment Banking,  
UBI Banca, Italia

**David Masondo** - Chief Executive Officer, Automotive Industry  
Development Centre (AIDC), South Africa

**Renai Moothilal** - Executive Director, National Association of Automotive  
Component and Allied Manufacturers (NAACAM),  
South Africa

*Debate*

**12.15 – 13.45** *Lunch*

**Wednesday, October 19, 2016 (continued)**

**13.45 – 15.00 COOPERATE IN THE ENERGY SECTOR TO OVERCOME THE CHALLENGES OF THE FUTURE**

**Tseke Nkadimeng** - CEO, Afric Oil, South Africa

**Fabrizio Zago** - CEO, Building Energy, Italy

**Claudio Nucci** - COO and Head of New Equipment & Power Plant Unit, Ansaldo Energia, Italy

**Lapo Pistelli** - Senior Vice President, ENI; former Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Italy

*Debate*

**15.00 – 15.30** *Coffee Break*

**15.30 – 16.45 TEAM UP TO REAP LATEST OPPORTUNITIES ARISING FROM THE DIGITAL REVOLUTION**

**Barbara Creecy** - Member of the Executive Council for Finance, Provincial Government of Gauteng, South Africa

**Simona Caselli** - Regional Minister for Agriculture, Hunting and Fishing, Emilia-Romagna Region, Italy

**Ndaba Ntsele** - Chairman and Co-Founder, Pamodzi Investment Group; President, The Black Business Council, South Africa

**Peter Malungani** - Founder and Executive Chairman, PEU Group, South Africa

**Bernard Fanaroff** - Strategic Advisor and former Director, SKA Telescope Project, South Africa

*Debate*

**16.45 – 17.30 CLOSING REMARKS**

**Barbara Degani** - Deputy Minister of Environment, Land and Sea, Italy

**Lindiwe Zulu** - Minister of Small Business Development, Republic of South Africa

**David Malemolla Makhura** - Premier of Gauteng, South Africa

**Paolo Borzatta** - Senior Partner, The European House - Ambrosetti

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**19.30 RECEPTION AT THE RESIDENCE OF THE ITALIAN AMBASSADOR IN PRETORIA**

365 Edward Street, Waterkloof, Pretoria