

**Preliminary SAMFA CONFERENCE 2018 Programme - Premier Hotel OR Tambo - 9 October 2018**

<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>	<b>MINUTES</b>	<b>SPEAKER</b>	<b>TITLE</b>
08:45	09:15	00:30	Registration	
				Chairperson : Baring Richardson
09:15	09:20	00:05	Ross Richardson	SAMFA Chairman Welcome
09:20	10:00	00:40	Wim van der Vught	Christiaens Modern Approach to Mushroom Facilities and Equipment
10:00	10:30	00:30	Nathan Jones	Nutrilab Why test and how to interpret compost results
10:30	10:50	00:20	Dr Nazareth Siyoum	Dept Plant Science, University of Pretoria MushDrops - a review
10:50	11:10	00:20	Kololwetu Cetyiwe	Dept Plant Science, University of Pretoria Prevalence and diversity of <i>Trichoderma</i> species
11:10	11:40	00:30	Refreshments	
11:40	11:55	00:15	Zama Zulu	Dept Plant Science, University of Pretoria PCR methodology & equipment
11:55	12:35	00:40	Prof Gerrie DuRand & Dr Nadene Marx-Pienaar	Dept Consumer and Food Sciences, University of Pretoria Mushrooms more than just Fungi - discover the magic
12:35	13:15	00:40	Tim Crawly, Nichol Muller, Rob Stewart, Nathan Jones	Panel Discussion : Chaired by Roddy Cairns Raw materials - What have we learned and what can we prepare for?
13:15	14:30	01:15	Lunch	
				Chairperson : Peter Nyanti
14:30	15:00	00:30	Prof Lize Korsten	Dept Plant Science, University of Pretoria Going beyond the boundaries to achieve excellence
15:00	16:00	01:00	Dennis Dykes	Economist, Nedbank
16:00	16:30	00:30	Refreshments	
16:30	17:00	00:30	Riana Greenblo	Greenblo Communications Results Matter; Strategy inspires
17:00	18:15	01:15	SAMFA AGM	

18:15 19:00 00:45 Check-in & Pre Dinner Drinks

19:00 00:00 05:00 Dinner