

June 2024



REGISTRATION IS OPEN

Registration is open for the **28th IFHE International Conference** taking place from **15 - 17 October 2024** in **Cape Town, South Africa**.

ICAN MEMBERS RECEIVE DISCOUNTED RATES! Click [here](#) for more information.

Early bird registration ends on 15 July 2024 – no extensions!

IFHE 2024 Programme Chair Denton Smith has the following to say:

“The quality of speakers and abstracts this year is going to be phenomenal. We have some incredible keynote speakers on the bill, including Dr Paul Soko, who sits on the Board of the Hospital Association of South Africa (HASA) where he chairs the Clinical Sub-committee, and storyteller extraordinaire Rob Caskie.

*“We have a line-up of 72 speakers from 17 countries spread over five continents. Presentations under the broader theme of **Patient Centred Healthcare Engineering Design** will be geared towards tackling some of the bigger challenges that the industry currently faces, including how design and hospital maintenance tie in with the prevention of infection and infection control. The intention is to open attendees’ eyes and minds to how we are looking at and adapting to healthcare engineering holistically.”*

This year’s event promises to be a dynamic gathering of industry leaders, experts and enthusiasts, featuring thought-provoking sessions and plenty of networking opportunities.

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Why attend IFHE 2024?

Apart from the knowledge gained during this three-day, three-track event, you will have ample opportunity to **network** with fellow like-minded professionals from the following sectors:

- Hospital CEOs, Senior Managers & Hospital Clinical Managers
- Nursing Managers, Senior Nursing & Medical Staff
- Technical Managers, Hospital Engineers & Maintenance Personnel
- Health Service and Facilities Planners, Administrators & Managers
- HR and Training Managers
- Architects, Designers & Quantity Surveyors

- Infrastructure Equipment Suppliers & Specialists
- Clinical Engineering Practitioners & Technicians
- Medical Equipment Suppliers & Specialists
- Information Technology & Communications Specialists
- Health, Safety, Waste & Security Specialists

If that's not enough, we are working on an exciting [social programme](#) which includes a Welcome Cocktail Reception on 15 October and a Gala Dinner Evening on 16 October.

All refreshment breaks and lunches, as well as the Welcome Cocktail Reception, will take place in the Exhibition Hall where you can expect to visit more than 40 exhibitors during the three-day event.

ENTER THE IFHE 2024 CARBON & BUILDING AWARDS



IFHE CARBON AWARDS

We're "cutting the carbs"! The International Federation of Healthcare Engineering with the support of Mazzetti, a sustainable healthcare engineering and consulting firm, is hosting a global healthcare carbon challenge. The goal is to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions across healthcare facilities, globally.

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IFHE BUILDING AWARDS

If your team has completed a new build or refurbishment project in the healthcare sector since 2020, we invite you to participate in the International Federation of Healthcare Engineering's Building Award Contest hosted in collaboration with the South African Federation of Healthcare Engineering. Global recognition could be yours.

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DON'T MISS THE CHANCE TO SHOWCASE YOUR BRAND

With a little under four months until [IFHE 2024](#), 70% of the exhibition space has been booked. Now is the time to confirm your stand – IFHE 2024 is the right place to showcase your brand.

Why exhibit?

Solid track record: IFHE 2024's local host, the [South African Federation of Healthcare Engineering \(SAFHE\)](#), has been running its biennial conference and exhibition since 1994. Widely recognised as the flagship event for healthcare infrastructure in Southern Africa, their exhibition has consistently sold out every single year. This is an exhibition you can count on.

IFHE commitment: This is the third year that IFHE has hosted its biennial conference in South Africa. Previous years included 1994 and 2006. South Africa is a popular destination and IFHE is committed to

promoting, developing, and disseminating healthcare engineering technology with a high focus on Africa at this year's event.

Raise your brand awareness: Exhibitions allow you to showcase your brand to a captive audience where you can create lasting impressions whilst increasing your brand visibility. Real-time feedback on your products and services provides valuable input to refine your offerings.

Human interaction: Nothing beats face-to-face interaction and networking with industry peers and potential customers who are eager to learn about your products and services.

Stay competitive: This exhibition is an excellent opportunity to participate in thought-provoking discussions, observe your competitors, keep informed of the latest industry developments, technologies, and innovations, and ultimately get ahead of the curve and adapt to changing market trends.

New business: We are expecting between 400 and 500 attendees at IFHE 2024 and anticipate that 40% will be from Africa and further afield which will no doubt attract fresh South African faces too. This event is being supported by ICAN (Infection Control Africa Network) with members in over 50 African countries. We are thrilled to announce the highly anticipated release of the conference programme for the 28th IFHE International Conference. We have a line-up of 72 speakers from 17 countries spread over five continents. This is the perfect event to expand your customer base, generate high-quality leads, establish new relationships, and sign new deals. Experience has also shown that a lot of new partnerships, collaborations and deals made at an exhibition are created among the exhibitors themselves.

To explore the detailed benefits and opportunities available, please click [here](#) for our exhibition opportunities and [here](#) for our sponsorship opportunities.

TRAVELLING TO CAPE TOWN?

No worries - we have got you covered. Book online now!

ACCOMMODATION



We have a fantastic range of accommodation options suited to all budgets and located close to the CTICC.

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AIRPORT TRANSFERS



Don't hassle with a taxi when you can easily pre-book your airport transfer online before you travel.

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TOURS



Extend your stay and take advantage of all that this country has to offer. We have 34 tours to choose from.

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ACCOMPANYING PARTNER PROGRAMME



For those delegates wishing to make this a visit to remember, we encourage you to bring your partner or spouse with you as we have put together an exciting partner programme from 15 to 17 October. You may add an Accompanying Partner Package to your registration

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The 28th IFHE (International Federation of Healthcare Engineering) International Conference is being hosted by SAFHE (South African Federation of Healthcare Engineering) in association with ICAN (Infection Control Africa Network) and SBS Conferences & Exhibitions, assisted by K.I.T. Group - African Agenda



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