

# ZIMEC 2025



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**DRAFT PROGRAMME**

<b>CONFERENCE DAY 1 – Wednesday 19 March 2025</b>	
07:00 – 08:00	Registration
08:00 – 08:30	All participants to be seated for opening ceremony
08:30– 10:30	<b>OPENING CEREMONY</b>
10:30 – 10:45	<b>[Signing Ceremony] SIGNING OF MEMORANDA OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA AND THE REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE:</b>
10:45 – 11:45	Group Picture and Official Tour of the Exhibition
11:00 – 11:45	<b>NETWORKING IN THE EXHIBITION COFFEE AREA</b> <span style="float: right;">Sponsored By:</span>
11:45 – 11:55	<b>[Keynote Speech] INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS FOR MINERAL SECURITY: HOW TO BUILD REGIONAL EXPERTISE AND RESPONSIBLE VALUE CHAINS IN THE MINERAL SECTOR.</b>
11:55 – 12:45	<b>[Panel Discussion] REGIONAL PARTNERSHIPS ROUNDTABLE: FOSTERING COLLABORATION AND REGIONAL MINERAL VALUE CHAINS FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN AFRICA.</b>
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12:45 – 13:45	<b>NETWORKING LUNCHEON</b>
13:45 – 15:10	<b>[Panel Discussion] SESSION 1 – INVESTORS FORUM INVESTING WITH CONFIDENCE: ZAMBIA’S ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT CLIMATE AND EQUITABLE INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS TO INCREASE MINING CAPITAL INFLOWS</b>



15:10 – 15:25	NETWORKING COFFEE BREAK	Sponsored By:	
15:25 – 16:55	[Panel Discussion] SESSION 2 – EXPLORATION PANEL: UNEARTHING OPPORTUNITIES: JOINT VENTURES AND INITIATIVES TO DRIVE GROWTH IN EXPLORATION AND MINE DEVELOPMENT		
16:55 – 17:00	CLOSING OF DAY 1		
19:00 – 21:00	OPENING COCKTAIL RECEPTION	Sponsored By:	

CONFERENCE DAY 2 – Thursday 20 March 2025	
08:00 – 08:55	<p>SIDE EVENT HOSTED BY THE RESOURCE NATIONALISM IN AFRICA PROJECT</p> <p> </p> <p>RESOURCE NATIONALISM IN SOUTHERN AFRICA: POLICY CHALLENGES AND EMERGING OPPORTUNITIES</p> <p>VENUE: MAIN CONFERENCE HALL</p>
08:30 – 08:55	Registration and Networking
08:55 – 09:00	WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS
09:00 – 10:00	[Panel Discussion] SESSION 3 – ENERGY PROJECTS INVESTOR ROUNDTABLE: POWERING A NEW GREEN AFRICAN FUTURE: INVESTING IN ZAMBIA’S RENEWABLE ENERGY GENERATION TO MEET GROWING DOMESTIC AND REGIONAL DEMAND
10:00 – 11:00	[Presentations] SESSION 4 – CASE STUDY PRESENTATIONS



	A CLOSER LOOK AT LEADING INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS TO DRIVE GROWTH IN MINING
11:00 – 11:15	<b>NETWORKING COFFEE BREAK</b>
11:15– 12:15	[Panel Discussion] <b>SESSION 5 – MINING &amp; ENERGY PANEL:</b>  ENERGY FOR MINING: FUNDING AND DEVELOPING SUSTAINABLE ENERGY SOLUTIONS FOR MINES
12:15 – 13:15	[Panel Discussion] <b>SESSION 6 – FINANCE PANEL:</b>  FINANCING THE FUTURE: SUSTAINABLE AND INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS TO FUND MINING PROJECTS
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13:15 – 14:15	<b>NETWORKING LUNCHEON</b>
14:15 – 15:45	[Panel Discussion] <b>SESSION 7 – MINING PANEL:</b>  LEVERAGING NEW MINING INVESTMENTS: STRATEGIES AND PARTNERSHIPS TO PROPEL TOWARDS 3 MILLION METRIC TONNES PER ANNUM
15:45 – 16:45	[Panel Discussion] <b>SESSION 8 – BENEFICIATION &amp; SUSTAINABILITY PANEL:</b>  ZAMBIA @ 60: BUILDING THRIVING MINERAL VALUE CHAINS AND CREATING A PROSPEROUS FUTURE THROUGH THE EFFECTIVE USE OF NATURAL RESOURCES
16:45 – 17:00	CLOSING MESSAGE FROM SPONSORS: <b>Anthony MALENGA</b> , Country Manager, <b>Barrick Lumwana</b>  CONCLUSION AND RESOLUTIONS
17:00	<b>NETWORKING COFFEE</b>

<b>DAY 3 – Friday 21 March 2025</b>	
09:00 – 12:00	<b>MINE SITE VISIT : MOPANI COPPER MINES</b>