



FUTURE PACK



Confronting Changing Global Packaging Challenges

NATIONAL CONFERENCE 2025

BATELEUR ROOM, JOHANNESBURG EXPO CENTRE
11-13 March 2025 | 09:30-13:30

The Institute of Packaging SA will be hosting three focused half-day conferences, alongside Propak Africa 2025, exploring critical developments in the packaging industry. Each session will deliver targeted insights into the most pressing challenges facing packaging professionals and all stakeholders in the packaging value chain.

TUESDAY 11 MARCH

Conference day chaired by Bill Marshall

INNOVATIONS & DEVELOPMENTS IN PACKAGING MATERIALS AND TECHNOLOGY

Welcome - Bill Marshall

- Developments in Mono-substrate Materials for Plastic Barrier Films
- Decarbonisation in the Glass Industry - exploring key developments.
Paul Curnow CEO, Ardagh Glass Packaging Africa
- Advancements in Coatings to enhance barrier functions of Paper Packaging
Clint Angamuthoo, Technical Director, SealGlobal
- Trends and innovations in the Metal Packaging sector
Tjaart Schutte Owner, CanConsult
- Optimizing design and pre-press collaboration

Wrap Up - Bill Marshall

WHY ATTEND?

Our half-day format allows you to maximize your Propak Africa experience. Attend morning sessions for expert insights and networking, then explore the exhibition halls in the afternoon.

Choose one or two days or take advantage of the benefits of attending all three days to gain comprehensive industry knowledge. Your conference registration includes access to the show as well as parking at the venue.

TICKET PRICES (EX VAT)	ANY 1 DAY	ANY 2 DAYS	ALL 3 DAYS
Non Members	R 2 000.00	R 2 750.00	R 3 250.00
Institute of Packaging & SAAFoST Members	R 1 250.00	R 1 750.00	R 2 250.00

WEDNESDAY 12 MARCH

Conference day chaired by Michael Avery

EPR REGULATIONS IN SOUTH AFRICA

- Global perspective on EPR Legislation and Circular Economy Drivers
- Local perspective on current EPR Legislation in South Africa
- Implementation insights from key industry PROs:
 - Fibre Circle - **Edith Leeuta**
 - Metpac-SA - **Kishan Singh**
 - Petco - **Telly Chauke**
 - Polyco - **Patricia Pillay**
 - The Glass Recycling Company - **Shabeer Jhetam**
 - eWasa - **Keith Anderson**
 - Circular Energy - **Patricia Schröder**
 - PRO Alliance Strategic Imperatives for 2025 - **Bavesh Patel**

Guided Q&A Discussion - Michael Avery

THURSDAY 13 MARCH

Conference day chaired by Michael Avery

PACKAGING FOR SAFE FOOD & TO SAVE FOOD

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Welcome - Michael Avery

- Keynote Address & Livestream Q&A
The key role packaging plays in minimizing food waste
Nerida Kelton WPO Vice President, Sustainability & Save Food
- South African Food Loss & Waste Plan: Update
Mr Kgauta Mokoena Chief Director: Chemicals and Waste Policy, Specialist Monitoring Services at the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and The Environment in South Africa (DFFE)
- Food Safety beyond the wrapper - Packaging to food contact: testing & standards protocols in South Africa
Dharmarai Naicker Business Manager at SGS, Health & Nutrition
- Tamper-Proofing our foods: Challenges with packaging –tampering/fraud/heavy metals/dangerous substances, etc.
Sibusiso Sibeko Market Quality Systems Specialist at Nestlé South Africa
- Innovations in smarter, stronger, safer food packaging

Wrap Up - Michael Avery



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