

Agenda

Thursday, 17 October 2024

07h30 - 08h55	REGISTRATION & WELCOME REFRESHMENTS
08h55 - 09h05	MC WELCOME Andile Khumalo, Entrepreneur and Chartered Accountant (South Africa)
09h05 - 09h20	OPENING ADDRESS Tshepiso Kobile, CEO, SAVCA
09h25 - 10h10	KEYNOTE ADDRESS A socio-political update: How should we read the current political economy? What progress has been made since the formulation of the GNU? What key reforms are underway? What is the future of public and private collaboration in the 7 th Administration. Speaker: Simon Freemantle, Senior Political Economist, Standard Bank
10h10 - 10h55	PANEL DISCUSSION: A GLIMPSE INTO THE LP MINDSET Moderator: Thiru Pather, Principal, SASME Fund Panellists: Paula Mokwena, CEO, Fireball Capital Heleen Goussard, Executive Director: Alternative Investments, Riscura Gladwyn Leeuw, CEO, E-Squared Investments
10h55 - 11h15	REFRESHMENTS BREAK
11h15 - 12h00	PANEL DISCUSSION: VC INVESTMENT LANDSCAPE – AFRICAN OVERVIEW Moderator: Natalie Kolbe, Managing Partner, Norsken22 Panellists: Esther Ndeti, Co-Managing Partner, Unconventional Capital Kiara Suttner, Partner, HAVAIC Daryn Munnik, Investment Associate, Launch Africa Yewande Adewusi, Chief Operating Officer and Operating Principal, Alithiea IDF
12h00 - 12h45	PRESENTATION: THE BALANCING ACT IN ESG Speakers: Lauren Tuchman, Senior Manager: Deal Advisor, KPMG Ben April, Associate Director in the Financial Risk Management and Africa Financial Services Lead for Climate Change, Nature Sustainability Services and Carbon Markets , KPMG
12h45 - 13h45	LUNCH AND NETWORKING

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13h45 - 14h45	<p>PRESENTATION AND FIRESIDE CHAT: DRIVING SUSTAINABILITY OF IMPACT THROUGH COMMERCIALISATION IN VC - EXPLORING SYNERGIES WITH THE INFORMAL ECONOMY: GP AND PORTFOLIO COMPANY INSIGHTS</p> <p>Speakers: Tishanya Naidoo, Principal: Venture Capital, 27four Investment Managers Jade Buckton, Senior Associate: Venture Capital, 27four Investment Managers Dhanyal Davidson, CFO, Kena Health</p>
14h45 - 15h30	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION: BUILDING THE ECOSYSTEM THROUGH DIVERSE & COLLABORATIVE FORMS OF CAPITAL</p> <p>Moderator: Ross Manton, Managing Director, Manto View</p> <p>Speakers: Sam Tennant, Partner, Edge Growth Julia Price, Co-Founder & Director, Linea Capital Grace Legodi, Managing Partner, Untapped Global-SA Altesh Bajoo, Managing Director, Flow48 SA</p>
15h30 - 15h50	REFRESHMENTS BREAK
15h50 - 16h50	<p>LET'S WRAP UP ON A GOOD NOTE!</p> <p><i>30 min</i> FIRESIDE CHAT AND Q & A: PIC INSIGHTS ON THE PIC EARLY STAGE FUND</p> <p>Moderator: Tshepiso Kobile, CEO, SAVCA</p> <p>Guests: Lucky Pane, Acting Head of Research & Innovation, Public Investment Corporation (PIC) Zama Khanyile, Fund Principal: PIC Early-Stage Fund PIC</p> <p><i>30 min</i> A TOAST TO MANY MORE EXITS AHEAD</p> <p>KNIFE Capital reflects on its recent Exit and will retrospectively share what it could have done differently, whom it collaborated with to make this Exit realisable, how exit options can be expanded, and what the prospects for VC look like.</p>
16h50 - 17h00	<p>CLOSING ADDRESS</p> <p>Safeera Mayet, Head of Policy and Regulatory Affairs, SAVCA</p>
17h00 - 17h10	<p>MC CLOSING REMARKS</p> <p>Andile Khumalo, Entrepreneur and Chartered Accountant (South Africa)</p>
17h10 - 19h00	NETWORKING COCKTAIL FUNCTION