



ROAD PAVEMENTS  
FORUM



19 – 22 September 2027



**SABITA**

Sustainable roads, Safer journeys



# EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE



The Exco will make recommendations to Sabita on issues that relate to the governance and management of the conference.

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# TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (TAC)



This committee will comprise persons well versed in the procedures and proceedings associated with similar industry conferences with experience and technical expertise covering the scope of conference topics and/or themes.

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# WORKSHOP COORDINATOR



The Workshop Coordinator (WC) will develop a programme of parallel interactive sessions to bring into focus issues currently facing the roads industry within the context of the conference theme and content.

Andre Greyling – BVI Consulting Engineers

# EXHIBITION COORDINATOR

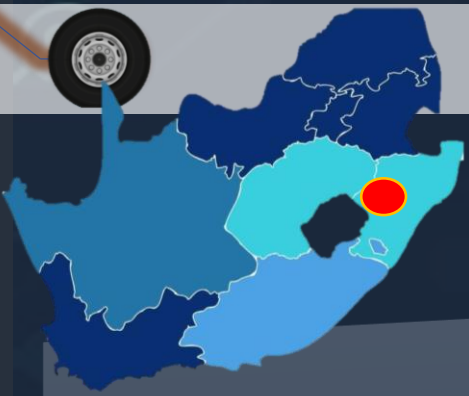
The prime role of the exhibition coordinator is to ensure that the CAPSA 27 exhibition establishes itself as a primary feature of CAPSA and brings massive value to the exhibitors and CAPSA delegates.

Nik Berning – Liesen Bitumen (Pty) Ltd

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# CAPSA27 VENUE



## 19 – 22 September 2027



Sun City Resort



19 SEPTEMBER 2027 – SAT GOLF DAY



## *Circularity and Resilience in African Roads: Engineering Practical Pathways to Sustainability*

The optimization of future benefits of asphalt pavements will lie in maximizing circularity in the road sector – where material reuse and recycling, innovation, and digital solutions converge to cut emissions, close material loops, and help in the transition to a climate neutral, circular and more resilient road network and economy. Each kilometre laid becomes a step towards a sustainable, net-zero transport system.

The conference will present up-to-date global approaches and technology to demonstrate commitment and support to sustainable practice supportive of developing clear environmental, asset management and governance strategies.

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## 1. PAVEMENT DESIGN

- Designing to increase re-used and recycled asphalt content in pavements, while ensuring their performance and safety.
- Working towards CO2 savings by designing for smooth road pavements, net-zero pathways, using Life Cycle Assessment tools, product category roads (PCR), environmental product declarations (EPDs), and carbon credits.
- Promoting circularity by closing the loop through end-of-life asphalt strategies, deconstruction planning, and materials passports.
- Design for uncertainty in design inputs (e.g. evolving climate scenarios, variable materials, etc.) through adaptive standards, increased pavement life and durability, as well as using stochastic flexible design methods.
- Designing asphalt pavements to be more resilient to weather variability and climate change through the introduction of innovative drainage, permeable/asphalt mixes, geo-composite barrier systems, etc.

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## 2. MATERIALS

### 2A. Asphalt Mix Technology

- Balanced asphalt mix design in practice
- Developments in asphalt mix technology to achieve energy efficiency, high RA content, binder substitution, rejuvenators, secondary and ecofriendly aggregates, industrial by-products, reflective asphalt surfacing, warm mix asphalt, Bitumen Rubber Asphalt and improved specifications

### 2B. Stabilised Materials

- Upgrading and recycling of granular base materials, and the use of nanotechnology and other additives

### 2C. Chip seals and Microsurfacing

- Climate change and performance impacts, binder rheology and performance classification, durable seal design practices.
- Use and application of winter seals.

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## REQUEST

Sabit Manual 35: Design and Use of Asphalt in Road Pavements. The document was published a year ago and there have been no complaints regarding its application.

Would appreciate feedback from the industry

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