



XXI ICPC SOUTH AFRICA 2025

**“ADVANCING SUSTAINABLE COAL PREPARATION:
INNOVATIONS, CHALLENGES AND BEST
PRACTICES”**

12 - 16 October 2025

Sun City Conference Centre, North West Province



CONFERENCE DETAILS

The planned conference program will see three and a half days of parallel sessions, providing the opportunity for around 80 papers.

Should there be sufficient interest some specialist panel sessions on plant operations may also be conducted.

More details regarding the conference are available from the [ICPC 2025 website](https://www.icpc2025.com).

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

SUNDAY 12 OCTOBER

Early Registration & Networking

MONDAY 13 OCTOBER

Opening Ceremony
Technical Sessions
Evening Welcome Function

TUESDAY 14 OCTOBER

Technical Sessions
Gala Banquet

WEDNESDAY 15 OCTOBER

Technical Sessions
Game Drive and Evening Function

THURSDAY 16 OCTOBER

Technical Sessions
Closing Ceremony

FRIDAY 17 OCTOBER

Post Conference Plant Visit - Exxaro
Grootegekluk, Lephalale, Limpopo Province

The ICPC XXI 2025 will attempt to increase the focus on operational excellence and improve the participation of coal preparation practitioners; to achieve this aspiration the following are proposed:

- Identify examples of the successful application of current best technology applied across the full spectrum of coal preparation.
- Assist in the dissemination of information regarding the development and implementation of new technologies which show demonstrable promise in advancing the efficiency and ease of operation of coal processing plants
- Support management, reporting and control techniques that ensure ongoing improvements in the maintenance and operation of the coal processing plant

The following broad topics are planned:

- Coal resources and industry overview
- Innovative coal preparation plant designs
- Coking coal processing
- Gravity concentration
- Dry coal processing
- Crushing, grinding, sizing and screening
- Fine coal treatment, flotation and dewatering
- Automation, control and IT
- Management of washery wastes and effluents
- Environmental impact, climate change and sustainable development
- Reprocessing of wastes
- New opportunities and developments in the coal market

Conference registration is now open and links to the various accommodation options at Sun City and the Kingdom Resort are available on the [ICPC 2025 website](https://www.icpc2025.com)

Certain countries require visas, please ensure that you check the visa application information at <http://www.dha.gov.za>.

Visa Business letters can be requested when registering for the conference.

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