

6th WaCA MINING 2013

West & Central Africa Mining Summit & Expo
17 - 18 September 2013
Accra International Conference Centre, Ghana

The 6th WaCA Mining 2013 is the No.1 Mining Business Industry Event where Mining Companies, Investors and Government Officials Meet to Discuss Regulatory Updates, Projects, Industry Challenges and to Build Investor Confidence in the Mining Industry Across the West & Central African Region

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- Mining project updates on Ghana, Guinea, Mali, Mauritania, Ivory Coast, Nigeria, Liberia, Sierra Leone, Senegal, Burkina Faso, Niger, Guinea along with frontier mining opportunities.
- Regulatory and tax regime developments and their implications for mining investments.
- Recent government interventions and macro-economic drivers/catalysts for recovery and growth
- Impact of Chinese investments in West & Central Africa mining projects.
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- Resource nationalism and managing risk of growing demands from African governments for mining companies' profit share.
- Spotlight on gold and iron ore projects in West & Central Africa.
- How local governments are promoting exploration opportunities and incentives to attract mining companies in the region – the competitive landscape.
- China and India's appetite for precious metals (gold and silver) and how this affects exploration trends in West Africa.
- Understanding business and operational risk mitigation strategies.
- Updates on legislative regimes in various West & Central African mining jurisdictions.
- Attracting scale exploration and mining capital.
- Capital Raising Options: Debt, equity and project finance and key challenges in financing.
- Tackling Infrastructure Challenges: Energy, water, communications and transport.
- Strengthening local participation in the extractive industry and building positive relationships with communities.
- Taxation: How is it changing and what threats does it create?
- Sustainability and environmental elements as key factors for successful development of mining projects.
- Economics of Artisanal and small-scale gold mining in West Africa.
- Health and safety issues.
- Legal perspective on political risks to mining investments.
- Identifying, managing and quantifying discreet, schedule and capital risks facing mining projects
- Setting-up efficient mining systems and operations
- Demonstrating the latest solutions for mining projects in the region by leading equipment and service providers.

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Hon. Pierre Oba Minister of Mines and Geology Republic of Congo (Invited)	Leon Kettles General Manager AOC Geomatics
Craig Anderson CEO 888 Investment Group	Dr Tony Harwood President and CEO Montero Mining and Exploration (Invited)
Gordon Chakaodza Trade Commissioner Australia Trade Commission	George Kwatia Partner PricewaterhouseCoopers
Dr. Désiré Vencatachellum Director African Development Bank	Yves DE MOOR Director - CEO Group DML
Thierno Aliou Balde Director, Compagnie des Bauxites de Guinee (CBG)	Eduan Pieterse Senior Project & Risk Manager VBKom Projects
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Plus invited representatives from **Gold Fields, Newmont, Avocet, Golden Rim Resources, BHP, Sundance Resources, West African Resources and Affero Mining**

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6th WaCA Mining 2013 Offers the Largest Gathering of Industry Stakeholders Focused on the Mining Sector in West & Central Africa

6th WaCA Mining 2013 is strategically hosted in Accra, the heart of emerging mining activities in Africa. Designed to provide you with a broad comprehensive analysis of the latest exploration activities and highlights challenges and opportunities that the extractive industry is facing in the West & Central parts of Africa – the only authoritative platform on this market.

6th WaCA Mining 2013 is about...

- Identifying the key interest matters for your business
- Improving investors confidence towards mining industry
- Discovering mining favourite countries for investment & exploration opportunities
- Bringing practical experiences of setting -up business and operations in West African countries
- Ensuring the efficiency of mining systems during the downturn
- Highlighting how to raise capital for exploration and expansion
- Bringing explorers and producers together to overcome the business risks, sovereign risks, tenement risks as well as other practical risk issues associated with African mining operations
- Understanding how to build relationships with regional government ministries
- Networking with decision-makers at the highest level

A Must Attend for:

- Senior & Junior Mining Companies
- Investment and Financing Firms
- Government and Regulators
- Stock Exchanges and Commodity Exchanges
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- Fund Management Companies
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- Mining Software Technology Providers
- Mining Machinery & Equipment producers
- Industry Associations

Summit 2012 Audience Profile - By Industry



- Senior & Junior Mining Companies
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- Governments/Regulators/Industry Associations
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- Mining Software Technology/Equipment & Machinery Producers
- Media
- Logistics Companies
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Summit 2012 Audience Profile - By Job Title



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- Research / Mining Analyst & Consultant
- Exploration Manager / Geologist
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- Business, Marketing & Corporate Development Manager / Head of Corporate Affairs @ Social Development
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Day One – 17th September 2013

8.00	Registration & Welcome Coffee & Tea
9.00	Welcome Remarks from Magenta Global
9.05	Chairman's Opening Remarks
9.15	<p>Opening Ministerial Keynote Address - Ghana's Mineral Potential and Resources</p> <p>Hon Alhaji Inusah Fuseini, Minister, Ministry of Lands and Natural Resources, Ghana</p>
9.45	<p>Ghana's Policy Challenges for Minerals and Metals Sector</p> <p>Benjamin Aryee, Chief Executive, Minerals Commission of Ghana</p>
10.15	<p>Industry Address</p> <p>Craig Anderson, CEO, 888 Investment Group</p>
10.45	Morning Refreshments & Exhibition Visit
11.15	<p>Managing Expectations of DRC's Natural Resources</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Major projects update across the DRC mining industry Exploring the richness in natural resources: rutile, bauxite, gold and iron ore Steps to improve safety and the impact on production levels <p>H.E. Martin Kabwelulu Labilo, Minister of Mines, Katanga, Ministry of Mines, Democratic Republic of Congo</p>
11.45	<p>Mining Potentialities and Investment Opportunities in CAR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessing the geology and natural resource opportunities (e.g gold, copper, uranium and manganese) Infrastructure to support mining projects Understanding the licensing process for mining and exploration projects <p>Herbert G. Djono-Ahaba, Minister, Ministry for Mines, Petrol, Energy, and Hydrocarbons, Central African Republic</p>
12.15	<p>Mining Potential and Investment Opportunities in Burkina Faso</p> <p>H.E. Salif Lamoussa Kaboré, Minister, Ministry of Mines & Energy, Burkina Faso</p>
12.45	Networking Luncheon & Exhibition Visit
14.00	<p>Mauritania: Exploring Opportunities in a Resource Rich Market</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview of Mauritania's mineral resource Strategies for investing into Mauritania Opportunities for foreign participation in mineral exploration and mine development Guide to infrastructure, regulatory and political risk <p>Ahmed Taleb Mohamed, Technical Advisor to the Minister, Ministry of Petroleum, Energy and Mines, Mauritania</p>
14.30	<p>Update on Mining Deposits in Gabon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demand outlook for Manganese Key infrastructure, project and country risk challenges Update on CITIC Dameng's Gabon - based manganese project <p>Yvon Oterigui, Director of Geology and Mining Research, Ministry of Mines, Energy, Oil and Hydraulics, Gabon</p>
15.00	<p>Responsible Mining – A New Approach</p> <p>Industry Representative</p>
15.30	Afternoon Refreshments & Exhibition Visit
16.00	<p>Providing World Class Mining Solutions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outlook on Austrade's activities in Ghana Why Australia is an excellent source of mining expertise and solutions? <p>Gordon Chakaodza, Trade Commissioner, Australia Trade Commission</p>
16.30	<p>Managing Natural Resources for Inclusive Growth</p> <p>Dr. Désiré Vencatachellum, Director, African Development Bank</p>
17.00	<p>Growth Drivers and Investors for West Africa's Mining Industry – Risk & Returns (Mining Explorers' Panel Discussion)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How mining companies are doing business in West & Central Africa Overcoming volatile regulations Which regions and commodities are on the spotlight? Looking at the advantages of partnering with African government to proceed with projects Mitigating sovereign risks in Africa Entry strategies and business risk mitigation <p>Dave Norval, Chairman, Banlaw Africa Group Benoit La Salle, President & CEO, Windiga Energy Inc. Canada Markus Weimer, Africa Analyst, Control Risks</p> <p><i>Plus invited panellist from Gold Fields, Newmont, Avocet, Golden Rim Resources BHP, Sundance Resources, West African Resources and Affero Mining</i></p>
17.30	End of Day One

Day Two – 18th September 2013

9.00	Chairman's Remarks
9.05	<p>Ports & Rail Infrastructure Investment & its Impact on Mining Activities in West & Central Africa – Perspective from Democratic Republic of Congo</p> <p>Sayiba Tambwe Patient, Regional Director, OGEFREM</p>
9.30	<p>Case Study: Mining Production in Africa: Pathfinders for Junior & Midcaps Companies Looking to Venture Into Africa</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identifying major challenges to overcome Government, community and stakeholder engagement strategies Examining lessons learnt, and essential growth drivers Realising investment and JV opportunities <p>Amadou Sangaré, Partner, SANGARE Partners</p>
10.00	<p>Developing Guinea's Mining Projects and Ways to Access the New Iron Ore & Gold Projects</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview of the new mining policy Challenges and strategies for iron-ore development Gold exploration projects <p>Thierno Aliou Balde, Director, Compagnie des Bauxites de Guinee (CBG)</p>
10.30	<p>Case Study: Overcoming the Hurdles of Exploration Projects in West & Central Africa</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimising your risks, cutting costs and reducing time frames Accessing accredited testing laboratories which have capacity Dealing with geological challenges and improving quality of data Underpinning feasibility studies Understanding quarantine processes <p>Steven Gold, CEO, Energold</p>
11.00	Morning Refreshments & Exhibition Visit
11.30	<p>Compliance, Bureaucratic Challenges, Ministry Inspections and Successful Brokering of Mining Permit Renewal</p> <p>Madeline R. Young, Government Relations, Cominco Resources</p>
12.00	<p>Structuring Mining Projects – Practical Considerations</p> <p>Representative, Webber & Wentzel</p>
12.30	<p>Funding your Mining Discoveries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trends in the availability of funding for developing projects What's the right balance of equity, sub debt, and debt? Financing: what are your options/existing & new financiers in 2013/14 The government as your friend: ECAs and other pockets of capital <p>Sander Stuijt, Director, Structured Commodity Finance, Deutsche Bank</p>
13.00	Networking Luncheon & Exhibition Visit
14.00	<p>Geospatial Excellence in Mining: a Ghana Mine Development Case Study</p> <p>Leon Kettles, General Manager, AOC Geomatics</p>
14.30	<p>Gold Potential Mapping in South-West Ghana Using Advangeo® Prediction Software: Database, Approach, Results</p> <p>Dr Andreas Barth, Managing Director, Beak Consultants GmbH</p>
15.00	<p>Specialty and Rare Earths Market Outlook and Analysis</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Update on key demand drivers for specialty metals and rare earths Resource nationalism and strategic interests – impact on the market <p>Dr Tony Harwood, President and CEO, Montero Mining and Exploration (Invited)</p>
15.30	<p>Understanding Regulatory Updates on Legislative Regimes in Various Mining Jurisdictions in West & Central Africa</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Examining royalties, taxation law, and themes in resources law Examining regulatory changes and updates in Burkina Faso, Ghana, Mali Mauritania, Liberia, Sierra Leone, Ivory Coast, Cameroon <p>George Kwatia, Partner, PricewaterhouseCoopers</p>
16.00	Afternoon Refreshments & Exhibition Visit
16.30	<p>Cameroon: A New Emergent Iron Ore Belt in Africa</p> <p>Representative, Affero Mining (Invited)</p>
16.45	<p>A Case Study - Managing risks through the Feasibility Phase to determine sufficient Capital Contingency for Implementation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Background to a typical Mining Feasibility Study Risk Management Planning: Bringing Risk Management into the Study Management process Executing Risk Management in a typical Mining Feasibility Study A Proposed Risk-based Methodology for determining Implementation Capital Contingency, considering Discreet, Schedule & Capital Risks Additional applications of Monte Carlo / Risk Simulations <p>Eduan Pieterse, Senior Project & Risk Manager, VBKom Projects</p>
17.00	<p>Mining PPP – Can African countries benefit from this emerging trend?</p> <p>Yves de Moor, Director & CEO, Group DML Limited</p>
17.30	Chairman's Closing Remarks and End of Summit



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