

~ Final Programme ~
SAIIA's 'Atoms 4 Development Project' presents

**Loud and Nuclear:
The Peaceful Application of Nuclear Science and Technology in the Development Agenda**

13 May 2022
The Capital Menlyn Maine Hotel and Online
9am – 3:10pm SAST

Event programme

- 08:15-08:55** **Arrival (in-person participants)**
Coffee/tea
- 09:00-09:40** **Opening Session**
- 09:00-09:20** **Welcoming remarks**
Ms Elizabeth Sidiropoulos
Chief Executive, South African Institute of International Affairs
- Mr Stian Nordengen Christensen
Minister Counsellor, Royal Norwegian Embassy – Pretoria, South Africa
Pre-recorded address
- 09:20-09:40** **Keynote address**
Mr Rafael Mariano Grossi
Director General, International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA), Vienna
Pre-recorded address
- 09:40-11:00** **Session 1: Supporting the peaceful application of nuclear science and technology in Africa through institutional regulation and regional and international cooperation**
Moderator: Ms Elizabeth Sidiropoulos – Chief Executive (SAIIA)
- 09:40-09:55** **Panellists:**
Mr Messaoud Baaliouamer
Executive Secretary, African Commission on Nuclear Energy (AFCONE)
- 09:55-10:55** Mr Ali Ada (*joining virtually*)
AFRA Chair (Niger), African Regional Cooperative Agreement for Research, Development and Training related to Nuclear Science and Technology (AFRA)
- 10:10-10:25** Mr Kamen Velichkov (*joining virtually*)

International Centre for Science and Technology, Nur-Sultan, Kazakhstan focusing on Regional cooperation in the SADC-region

- 10:25-10:45** Discussion
- 10:45-11:00** *Coffee/Tea*
- 11:00-12:45** **Session 2: A place for civil society: women and youth in nuclear**
Moderator: Ms Tebogo Motlhabane – President, Women in Nuclear (South Africa)
- 11:00-11:15** **Panellists:**
Professor Soheir Korraa
President, Women in Nuclear Africa (WiN Africa)
- 11:15-11:30** Mr Gaopalelwe Santswere
President, African Young Generation in Nuclear (AYGN)
- 11:30-11:45** Ms Princess Mthombeni
Leader and Ambassador, Africa4Nuclear
- 11:45-12:00** Ms Pamella Kageliza Kilavi
Founder, Kenyan Young Generation in Nuclear
- 12:00-12:45** Discussion
- 12:45-14:00** *Lunch*
- 14:00-15:00** **Session 3: Our collective future beyond the pandemic**
Moderator: Mr Knox Msebenzi - Nuclear Industry Association of South Africa (NIASA)
- 14:00-14:15** **Nuclear energy in Africa: Perspective from South Africa**
Dr Kelvin Kemm
CEO, Stratek Business Strategy Consultants
- 14:15-14:30** **Advancing the peaceful application of nuclear technology and compliance with global nuclear governance frameworks in Africa**
Mr Marthinus Van Schalkwyk
Director - Disarmament and Non-Proliferation (DIRCO)
- 14:30-14:45** **The Future of the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons (NPT)**
Professor Jo-Ansie Van Wyk
Department of Political Sciences, University of South Africa (UNISA)
- 14:45-15:00** Discussion
- 15:00-15:10** **Closure**
Ms Neuma Grobbelaar
Director of Research, SAIIA
- 15:10** *Refreshments; Networking*