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Day 1

Tuesday March 9, 2021

9:00 am EST - 3:45 pm EST



9:00 am EST Session 1 - Opening Remarks and View from the Top

- 9:00 am Welcome - Wayne Floreani, Vice President, MineAfrica and Garreth Bloor, President, The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business
- 9:05 am Opening Remarks - Sebastian Spio-Garbrah, Chair, The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business
- 9:10 am The Hon. Mary Ng, Minister of Small Business, Export Promotion and International Trade, Canada
- 9:20 am Joe Lombard, Global Managing Director, Metals, Hatch
- 9:25 am Keynote Address: Africa's Natural Resources Endowment Positions it to be the Next Global Economic Engine - Mark Bristow, Chief Executive Officer, Barrick Gold Corporation

9:50 am EST Break 1

10:00 am EST Session 2 - Spotlight on DRC

(moderator: Terry Ortslan, Managing Director, TSO & Associates)

- 10:00 am Benoît-Pierre Laramée, Canadian Ambassador to The Democratic Republic of Congo and The Republic of the Congo
- 10:05 am Mineral Resources and Specific Investment Opportunities in The Democratic Republic of Congo - Hon. Willy Kitobo, Minister of Mines, Democratic Republic of Congo
- 10:20 am Building a Tier One, Diversified Producer in Southern Africa's Legendary Mineral Fields - Olivier Binyingo, Vice President Public Affairs, Ivanhoe Mines DRC
- 10:35 am Kibali ...Unlocking Value in the North East of the DRC - Cyrille Mutombo, Country Manager, Barrick Gold Corporation
- 10:50 am Tantalex Resources: Focus on DRC Battery & High Tech Minerals - Eric Allard, Chief Executive Officer, Tantalex Resources Corporation

11:05 am EST Break 2

11:15 am EST Session 3 - Spotlight on Namibia

(moderator: Veston Malango, CEO, Namibia Chamber of Mines)

- 11:15 am Veston Malango, Chief Executive Officer, The Chamber of Mines of Namibia
- 11:20 am The State of the Namibian Mining Sector: a 2020 Experience - Hon. Tom Alweendo, Minister of Mines and Energy, Republic of Namibia

- 11:35 am Otjikoto Mine: Our Pride, Our People - Mark Dawe, Managing Director & Country Manager, B2Gold Namibia
- 11:50 am Growing & Fast-tracking the Twin Hills Gold Discovery in Namibia
- Heye Daun, Chief Executive Officer, Osino Resources Corp.
- 12:05 pm We Partner with our Communities - Zebra Kasete, Vice President & Managing Director, Dundee Precious Metals Ltd. (Tsumeb)
- 12:20 pm Antler Gold Inc - On the Road to Namibia's Next Gold Discovery
- Chris Drysdale, Vice President Operations and Corporate Development, Antler Gold Inc.
- 12:35 pm Sustainable Lithium Development for Namibia - Joe Walsh, Managing Director, Lepidico Ltd.

12:50 pm EST Break 3

1:00 pm EST Session 4 - Spotlight on South Africa *(moderator: Garreth Bloor)*

- 1:00 pm Thabo Mokoena, Director General, Department of Mineral Resources and Energy, Republic of South Africa
- 1:15 pm Building a Tier One, Diversified Producer in Southern Africa's Legendary Mineral Fields
- Marna Cloete, President and Chief Financial Officer, Ivanhoe Mines Ltd.
- 1:30 pm Investment Opportunities in Mining and Mineral Processing in South Africa
- Dr. Molefi Motuku, Chief Executive Officer, Mintek
- 1:45 pm Building a Positive Legacy: How Mines can Create Thriving Towns
- Jarendra Reddy, Regional Director, Urban Solutions, Hatch
- 2:00 pm Innovation with PGM's - R. Michael Jones, President & Chief Executive Officer, Platinum Group Metals Ltd.

2:15 pm EST Break 4

2:25 pm EST Session 5 - Spotlight on Southern and Eastern Africa

(moderator: Wayne Floreani)

- 2:25 pm Investing in Botswana's Mining Sector: Current Developments and Investment Opportunities
- Hon. Lefoko Moagi, Minister of Mineral Resources, Green Technology & Energy Security, Republic of Botswana
- 2:40 pm Special Economic Zones Authority (SEZA) Botswana Brings a New Competitive Offering for Investors - Joel Duke Ramaphoi; Executive Director, Investor Attraction
- 2:55 pm Creating Shared Value in Mine Site Communities: Shifting from Reliance to Relevance
- Welekazi Cele, Regional Director Iron Ore, Hatch
- 3:10 pm The Mining Sector in Tanzania: Reflections on 2017 Reforms
- Prof. Shukrani Elisha Many, Deputy Minister of Minerals, United Republic of Tanzania
- 3:25 pm Tanzania: An African Investment Destination - Hilaire Diarra, Country Manager, Barrick Gold Corporation

3:40 pm EST Wrap Up Day One

Day 2

Wednesday March 10, 2021
9:00 am EST - 12:25 pm EST



9:00 am EST

Session 1 - Opening Remarks and View from the Top II

- 9:00 am Welcome - Wayne Floreani, Vice President, MineAfrica and Garreth Bloor, President, The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business
- 9:05 am Antoine Chevrier, Director General, Pan African Affairs, Global Affairs Canada
- 9:10 am Jean-François Tremblay, Deputy Minister, Natural Resources Canada
- 9:20 am B2Gold: Keys to Success in African Mining - Clive Johnson, President and Chief Executive Officer, B2Gold Corp.

9:40 am EST

Session 2 - Spotlight on Ethiopia

(moderator: Munisha Tumato, Manager, Communications, Canadian International Resources and Development Institute (CIRDI))

- 9:40 am Welcome - H.E. Stéphane Jobin, Ambassador of Canada to Ethiopia and Djibouti
- 9:45 am Aligning the Mining Sector with the Home Grown Economic Reforms and Realizing Development Perspectives - Semegne Wube, State Minister, of Mines and Petroleum, Ethiopia
- 10:00 am Foreign Mining Investment Opportunities and Partnerships in Ethiopia - Greg Winch, Executive Vice President & Chief Operating Officer, Allied Gold Corp/ASCOM Mining Ethiopia Plc
- 10:10 am Ethiopia....Land of Extraordinary Extractive Potential - Dr. Shimeles Fisseha, Senior Technical Advisor to the Minister, Ethiopia Ministry of Mines and Petroleum
- 10:25 am KEFI in Ethiopia - First Cab off the Rank - Harry Anagnostaras-Adams, Executive Chairman, KEFI Gold & Copper PLC, Tulu Kapi Gold Mines S.C.

10:40 am EST

Break 1

10:50 am EST

Session 3 - Open Spotlight *(moderator: Wayne Floreani)*

- 10:50 am Africa in the Current Annual Survey of Mining Companies - Fred McMahon, Resident Fellow, Dr. Michael A. Walker Chair in Economic Freedom, Fraser Institute
- 11:05 am MineAfrica & Schulich Partnership Presents: DNA of an Ideal Mining Leader - Andrew Levison, CEO Above + Beyond/ Strategic Partner Schulich School of Business
- 11:20 am Project Delivery Strategies During COVID-19: Kenmare Resources as an African Case Study - Ben Baxter, Chief Operating Officer, Kenmare Resources
- 11:35 am Hidden Opportunities in Currency Management - Andy Hedges, Vice President & Head of North American Operations, VFX Financial
- 11:50 am Impact Powered by Intelligence: Perseus Mining Case Study - Antonia Salvas, Vice President of Operations and Kove Bolton, Principal Consultant, Centric Mining Systems
- 12:05 pm Prospector Portal: Access to Mining Data Reimagined - Emily King, Chief Executive Officer & Creator, Prospector Portal

12:20 pm EST

Wrap Up Day Two

Day 3

Thursday March 11, 2021

9:00 am EST - 12:20 pm EST



9:00 am EST

Session 1 - Opening Remarks and View from the Top III

- 9:00 am Welcome - Wayne Floreani, Vice President, MineAfrica and Garreth Bloor, President, The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business
- 9:05 am Tarik Khan, Director General for West and Central Africa, Global Affairs Canada
- 9:10 am Mining in Africa: A Review of 2020 on TSX and TSXV - Graham Dallas, Head of Business Development, EMEA, Toronto Stock Exchange & TSX Venture Exchange
- 9:25 am West Africa: A Key Part of the IAMGOLD Story - Gordon Stothart, President and Chief Executive Officer, IAMGOLD Corporation

9:45 am EST

Session 2 - Spotlight on West Africa

(moderator: Jacques NdoutouMvé, Vice President (Africa), The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business & Vice President, Process Research Ortech)

- 9:45 am Tax Implications Attached to Direct and Indirect Transfers of Mining Companies and/or Mining Licenses in West Africa - Gilles de Vignemont, Founder and Partner, Vignemont Africa & Partners, LLC
- 10:00 am Guinea: A World-Class Destination for Mining Investment - Mohamed Baba Sylla, Deputy Director- General, Mining Promotion and Development Center, Ministry of Mines and Geology, Republic of Guinea
- 10:15 am IAMGOLD's Approach to Sustainability in West Africa - Oumar Toguyeni, Senior Vice President, International Affairs & Sustainability, IAMGOLD Corporation
- 10:30 am Legislative Updates, Emerging Opportunities and Ongoing Developments in Ghana's Mining Sector - Mr. Benjamin Aryee, Advisor on Mining, Ghana Ministry of Lands and Natural Resources

10:45 am EST

Break 1

10:55 am EST

Session 3 - Spotlight on Mali

(moderator: Fatima Braoulé Méité, Ambassadrice de la République du Mali au Canada)

- 10:55 am Mali Mines Sector Potentialities and Reforms: An Opportunity for Miners - Hon. Monsieur Lamine Seydou Traore, Ministre des Mines, de l'Energie et de l'Eau du Mali
- 11:05 am Mali Mining Sector Overview and Potentiality (5 minute video)
- 11:10 am B2Gold: A Canadian Success Story in Mali - Neil Reeder, Vice President, Government Relations, B2Gold Corp.
- 11:25 am Key Elements in Malian Mining Law - Mamadou Coulibaly, Lawyer, SATIS partners (LEXAfrica)
- 11:40 am Impact of Mining on the Malian Economy...Challenges and Opportunities - Chiaka Berthe, General Manager, West Africa Operations, Barrick Gold Corporation

12:00 pm EST

Wrap Up Day Three and Concluding Remarks

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As one of the priority sectors outlined in Ethiopia's homegrown economic reform agenda, the MoMP is encouraging private sector investment, streamlining bureaucratic and regulatory procedures, updating policies, and building institutional capacity through the introduction of a digital mining cadastre system - the first of its kind in Africa.

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The Erongo Gold Project is located approximately 130 km north-west of Windhoek, Namibia’s capital city and is accessible by a paved highway. Namibia is considered in the mining industry to be mining-friendly and is politically and socially stable.

Antler continues to evaluate new opportunities and ground with a view to adding to its Namibian portfolio.

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Osino is a Canadian gold exploration and development company, focused on growing and advancing our exciting Twin Hills gold discovery in Namibia. Twin Hills is a sediment-hosted, structurally controlled, open-pit gold project located within Namibia’s prospective Damara mineral belt, mostly in proximity to and along strike of the producing Navachab and Otjikoto Gold Mines.

Since its discovery in late 2019, Osino spent 2020 advancing the project by through more than 51,000m of resource definition drilling and advanced development studies which should culminate in a maiden resource in Q1 and our first PEA in Q2 2021. Osino’s 2021

work program comprises more than 75,000m of drilling aimed at further discoveries and growth of the Twin Hills system plus concluding an advanced feasibility study by the end of 2021.

The Twin Hills project is very favorably located north-west of Namibia's capital city Windhoek. By virtue of its location, the projects benefit significantly from Namibia's well-established infrastructure with paved highways, railway, power and water in close proximity. Namibia is mining-friendly and lauded as one of the continent's most politically and socially stable jurisdictions. Osino continues to evaluate new ground with a view to expanding its Namibian portfolio.

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Speaker Profiles



Eric Allard
Chief Executive Officer
Tantalex Resources Corporation

Mr. Allard is a geological engineer with 20 years' experience in project and operations management for exploration mining, oil & gas and construction engineering. Mr. Allard has held various positions as VP operations in junior mining companies in Canada and Africa and has participated in all levels of company management from sales and business management to technical project management. He is a member in good standing of the Ordre des Ingénieurs du Québec.

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Hon. Tom Alweendo
Minister of Mines and Energy
Republic of Namibia

Hon. Tom Alweendo was appointed as Minister of Mines and Energy in February 2018. In March 2010 he was appointed by former President Hifikepunye Pohamba as Director General of the National Planning Commission (NPC). In March 2015 he was appointed by President Hage G. Geingob as Minister of Economic Planning and also as Director General of the NPC.

He also served as Governor of the Bank of Namibia from 1997 to 2010 - the first Namibian to do so. Some of his achievements during his tenure at the Bank include the establishment of the local currency, the Namibia Dollar; the localization of the payments and banking systems; and the establishment of the Financial Intelligence Center.

As Director General of the National Planning Commission, Hon. Tom Alweendo presided over the drafting of Namibia's fourth National Development Plan (NDP4). The NDP4 prioritized specific economic sectors that are perceived to have more potential to grow the economy and provide employment opportunities.

Hon Alweendo holds a Bachelor of Commerce from the University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa and a Masters in Business Administration (MBA) from the University of Wales.

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Harry Anagnostaras-Adams
Executive Chairman, KEFI Gold & Copper PLC
Tulu Kapi Gold Mines S.C.

Harry Anagnostaras-Adams was founder or co-founder of Citicorp Capital Investors Australia, investment company Pilatus Capital, Australian Gold Council, EMED Mining, KEFI Minerals and Cyprus-based Semarang Enterprises. He has overseen a number of start-ups in those and their related organisations principally through the roles of Chairman, Deputy Chairman or Managing Director. He qualified as a Chartered Accountant while working with PricewaterhouseCoopers and has a Master of Business Administration from the Australian Graduate School of Management.

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Benjamin Nii Ayi Aryee
Advisor on Mining
Ghana Ministry of Lands and Natural Resources

Mr. Aryee has been the Advisor on Mining at Ghana's Ministry of Lands and Natural Resources from April 2014. Prior to this he was the Chief Executive Officer of Ghana's Minerals Commission from 2001. The Commission is the governmental agency responsible for promoting the mining sector as well as managing and regulating the utilization of Ghana's mineral resources.

He has a BA Hons in Economics with Geography, from the University of Ghana, an M.Eng. in Mineral Economics from the McGill University in Montreal, Canada, and an MBA from Ghana Institute of Management and Public Administration, Green Hill in Ghana.

He has been a key player in a number of global and continental initiatives to promote mining as a catalyst for sustainable development in Africa; these include the African Mining Partnership, the Africa Mining Vision, the Intergovernmental Forum on Mining, Minerals, Metals and Sustainable Development, among others.

He has to his credit a number of publications/presentations, especially on Ghana's mining sector, fiscal regimes, and sustainable development through mining and small scale mining. He recently published and launched a classic reference book, titled. "A Historical Overview of Ghana's Mining Sector Fiscal Regimes"
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Takele Uma Banti
Minister of Mines and Petroleum
Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia

Takele Uma Banti is an Ethiopian reformist leader known most notably for his fast-paced success in all areas of development. He is currently serving as Minister for the Ministry of Mines and Petroleum (MoMP).

Takele earned a Master's degree on Environmental Engineering from Addis Ababa University. As a true advocate for lifelong learning, Takele has continued his education by receiving certifications in both Economic Development and Leading Economic Growth in a Crisis from Harvard University.

He is the youngest person to serve as Mayor of Addis Ababa. In his two-year term as Mayor, his focus was on ensuring access to the fundamental necessities of urban society. The initiatives led by his office included providing free school uniforms and supplies to public school students, launching a school food program, improving water coverage in the city, renovating public schools, hospitals, and homes for the elderly and commissioning billion-dollar developmental projects. Takele has been recognized and awarded in Africa and globally for his strong leadership.

As Minister, Takele's focus is on a full spectrum of strategic initiatives for the sector, from promoting capacity building to investment in technologically advanced mining.
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Ben Baxter
Chief Operating Officer
Kenmare Resources

Ben Baxter has spent 25 years in the mineral sands industry joining Kenmare Resources PLC in 2015 as Chief Operations Officer. He was previously employed by Rio Tinto at RBM in South Africa and QMM in Madagascar where he held a broad range of geological and mine planning roles, was Mineral Separation Plant Manager and Mining Manager, followed by QMM's General Manager Operations and RBM's General Manager Mining roles. At Kenmare Ben is responsible for all aspects of Operations and Project development and has been a key part of the development of the Moma mine towards a strategy of delivering 1.2Mt of ilmenite production per annum on a sustainable basis. Ben holds a BSc (Hons) in Applied Geology from the University of Leicester, UK and an MSc in Mining Geology from the Camborne School of Mines, UK.

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Chiaka Berthe
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With a Master's degree in Geological Engineering from the Malian National School of Engineering, Chiaka has more than 25 years' experience in the industry. He is a member of the Australian Institute of Mine and Metallurgy and the Geostatistical Association, and was appointed to his current position as general manager operations West Africa in 2015. chiaka.berthe@barrick.com



Olivier Binyingo
Vice President Public Affairs DRC
Ivanhoe Mines Ltd.

Olivier Binyingo joined Ivanhoe Mines as VP Public Affairs DRC in November 2020. He focuses on enhancing relationships with the DRC's public sector stakeholders of both the Kipushi and the Kamao-Kakula Projects. Olivier holds a Master of Laws from the Katholieke Universiteit Leuven (Belgium) and a Master in Security and Defence from the Université Grenoble Alpes (France). Before joining Ivanhoe Mines, he held senior positions in a number of professional services firms, advising clients on their projects and operations on the African continent. Legal directory Chambers Global has consistently recognised Olivier as an expert on the Democratic Republic of Congo. In addition, he was ranked as one of the most influential lawyers in Francophone Africa in 2019 by Jeune Afrique. OlivierBi@ivanhoemines.com



Garreth Bloor
President
The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business

Prior to his current position Garreth served as Managing Director of Glenheim Venture Capital, which he set up in 2016 as a joint venture with the South African-based OutsourcedCFO (OCFO). Glenheim was named one of the top 25 Most Innovative Companies of 2017 by FastCompany SA and was profiled in an inaugural report of 15 success stories, by the Southern Africa Venture Capital and Private Equity Association (SAVCA).

As President of The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business since 2019 he has led trade and investment engagements across Canada and on the African continent, which have included Prime Ministers, leading CEOs, Cabinet Members and entrepreneurs on both sides of the Atlantic.

Bloor is based primarily in Toronto and is an active member the Harambe Entrepreneur Alliance, African Leadership Network and was a 2017 Aspen Ideas Scholar of the Aspen Institute.

He is former executive politician heading economic development in the City of Cape Town and was elected to Parliament at age 26. He led changes to over 300 policies and by-laws, scrapping an equivalent number largely inherited from the pre-democracy city planning regime. Bloor has previously addressed events of the Council on Foreign Relations, World Economic Forum and Columbia Business School, among others and featured in Forbes Africa on a list of Global Shapers.

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Kove Bolton began his career with Centric Mining Systems nearly five years ago as an Implementation Specialist, after graduating from Cambrian College as a Computer Programmer Analyst. Kove has since moved into the role of Principal Consultant, where he has continued to work on many software implementations at mine sites around the world. Kove is an expert at ensuring that the client's technical needs are being met, customizing Centric according to clients' specifications, as well as training clients how to use Centric once approved.

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Mark was appointed President and Chief Executive Officer of Barrick effective January 1, 2019, following the completion of the merger with Randgold Resources. Previously, since its incorporation in 1995, Mark was the Chief Executive Officer of Randgold following his pioneering exploration work in West Africa. He subsequently led Randgold's growth through the discovery and development of high-quality assets into a major international gold mining business. Mark played a pivotal role in promoting the emergence of a sustainable mining industry in Africa and has a proven track record of delivering significant shareholder value. During his career, Mark has held board positions at a number of global gold mining companies. He holds a Doctorate in Geology from Natal University in South Africa.

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Based in Hatch's Johannesburg office, Welekazi is Regional Director of the Africa, Europe, and the Middle East region within the metals and mining business. As an account manager for several of Hatch's top clients, Welekazi engages with her clients to understand their needs and partners with them to develop and deliver the most innovative solutions to their toughest challenges. With 18 years' contribution to the mining and metals industry, she has worked with clients across a wide range of geographies and commodities to successfully deliver numerous assignments. A chemical engineering graduate from the University of Johannesburg in South Africa, she started her career as a metallurgist, rising through the ranks to manage operational activities, conduct technical audits, and develop process improvement projects in a production setting. She has spent significant time in various project roles supporting asset development for a wide range of commodities. In 2017, Welekazi's hard work and dedication to the profession was honored with an Engineering Professional of the Year award at the South Africa Professional Services Awards. Welekazi is a member of the Hatch Africa Board.

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Antoine Chevrier (BA [Economics], Laval University, 1993; MA [International Relations], Laval University, 1996) started working with the Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA) in 1997. At Headquarters, he was director of the Haiti Bilateral Development Program, as well as director of the transition team in charge of amalgamating CIDA with Foreign Affairs and International Trade Canada in 2013. In 2014, he was appointed director general of the Geographic Coordination and Mission Support Bureau. He has

served abroad in various positions, including, from 2009 to 2013, director of the development program at the embassy to Peru and Bolivia. From 2002 to 2006, he assumed various functions, including chief of staff in the Executive Secretariat for Integral Development at the Organization of American States, in Washington, D.C. Mr. Chevrier served as high commissioner in Mozambique, Malawi and Eswatini. Before assuming his current functions as Director General for Pan-African Affairs in Global Affairs Canada, he served as Ambassador to Ethiopia and Djibouti and Representative to the African Union.

Antoine Chevrier (B.A. [sciences économiques], Université Laval, 1993; M.A. [relations internationales], Université Laval, 1996) a commencé à travailler au sein de l'Agence canadienne de développement international (ACDI) en 1997. À l'administration centrale, il a été directeur du programme de développement bilatéral d'Haïti, ainsi que directeur de l'équipe de transition responsable de la fusion de l'ACDI avec Affaires étrangères et Commerce international Canada en 2013. En 2014, il a été nommé directeur général de la Direction générale de la coordination géographique et appui aux missions. Il a été affecté à divers postes à l'étranger, notamment, de 2009 à 2013, à titre de directeur du programme de développement à l'ambassade au Pérou et en Bolivie. De 2002 à 2006, il a assumé diverses fonctions, y compris celle de chef de cabinet au Secrétariat exécutif au développement intégré à l'Organisation des États américains, à Washington. M. Chevrier a été haut-commissaire au Mozambique, au Malawi et au Eswatini et avant d'assumer son poste actuel de Directeur général pour les affaires panafricaines au sein d'Affaires mondiales Canada il était Ambassadeur en Éthiopie, au Djibouti et représentant auprès de l'Union africaine.
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Marna Cloete is a registered Chartered Accountant and holds a Master's Degree in Taxation from the University of Pretoria. In 2006, Marna joined Ivanhoe Mines, and in 2009 she was promoted to Chief Financial Officer and to President in 2020. Marna played an instrumental role as part of the Ivanhoe leadership team achieving a number of strategic milestones, as well as listing the Company on the TSX and concluding multiple strategic partnerships and financings with inter alia a Japanese consortium led by Itochu, Zijin Mining and CITIC Metal. She also serves on the Board of Centamin plc as an independent non-executive director and Chair of the Audit and Risk Committee. Prior to joining Ivanhoe, Marna forged her career at PwC in 2002, in the Metals and Mining division, subsequently moving on to Group Five Construction.
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Mamadou specializes in mining and tax law. He advises numerous mining companies in connection with their activities in Mali.

In particular, Mamadou acted as Tax advisor throughout the legal structuring on behalf of the Canadian company B2gold in the creation of the Fekola Mine in Mali. He also acted as local counsel on behalf of the Australian group Firefinch Limited in the acquisition of the Morila mine.

He holds a professional master 2 in business law and taxation GEFIRE from Clermont I in France. Mamadou is the author of several articles, including article related to local content in the mining industry.
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Heye Daun
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Heye has over 20 years of experience with top-tier mining companies and financial groups. As the former President & CEO of Ecuador Gold & Copper Corp. ("EGX") he was instrumental in the creation of Lumina Gold Corp. through the C\$200m merger of EGX with Odin Mining. He is a co-founder of Auryx Gold Corp. and co-lead Auryx through IPO, capital raising, project development to the C\$180m sale to B2 Gold Corp. Prior to that he worked for Nedbank Capital and Old Mutual Investment Group. He spent the first ten years of his career with Rio Tinto, AngloGold-Ashanti and Gold Fields, building and operating mines in Africa.

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Mark Dawe
Managing Director & Country Manager
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Mark Dawe is the Managing Director and Country Manager for B2Gold Namibia – a position he took up in February 2015. He was previously employed as Vice President – Key Raw Materials and Head of Mining Operations for Solvay's Global Business Unit: Special Chemicals. In this role he was responsible for overseeing the mining operations and projects of the Unit – including Okorusu Fluorspar Mine in Namibia (also Otjikoto's closest neighbour). Mark has worked in Namibia for 30 years and has extensive experience working with the government both as a Managing Director and as twice former President for the Namibian Chamber of Mines. He has an extensive technical background, including an extractive metallurgy degree and an MSc. Degree in Hydrogeology. Mark has a keen interest in environmental protection, conservation and corporate social responsibility.

Mark exemplifies what B2Gold looks for in leadership: He shares with the company a similar passion for team-building and maximizing employee potential.

He has a passion for responsible mining, sustainable development and "truly making a difference to country, community and environment".

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Hilaire Diarra
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Hilaire holds a BSc (Hons) in Environmental and Engineering Geology and an MSc in Resources Engineering. He is the former environmental officer and head of environment and social at Loulo. Hilaire was appointed Randgold's group community and environmental officer in 2014 with the responsibility of developing and maintaining Randgold's social license. After the merger with Randgold and Barrick, Hilaire assumed the role of head of sustainability for Barrick in Africa and Middle East. He was then appointed country manager in Tanzania after Barrick took over Acacia's assets in Tanzania in August 2019.

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Chris Drysdale
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Christopher Drysdale is an experienced professional in the mineral industry in conventional and specialty minerals and metals in Africa. He has previously served as an exploration geologist with a large independent exploration group operating in Africa, Remote Exploration Services, and most recently as the Regional Operation Manager for Stockport Exploration in East Africa. Christopher spearheaded Antler Gold's worldwide search for gold projects which resulted in the Company securing the Erongo Gold project in Namibia. He now heads up Antler Gold's operation in Namibia as VP Operations and Corporate Development. Christopher is responsible for leading Antler's geological team and uses a systematic and multi-disciplinary approach to targeting, designed to be more effective, for increased success rates and lower discovery costs. The entire Antler Gold team prides itself for cultivating and maintaining sustainable and mutually beneficial relationships with all stakeholders.

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Dr. Shimeles Fisseha
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Shimeles Fisseha is Senior Technical Advisor to the Minister. He received his BSc in Physics from Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia (1986), MSc in Exploration Geophysics from the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) in Kharagpur, India (1991) and Ph.D. in Geophysics from the University of Sao Paulo (USP), Brazil (2003). His career as a geophysicist started in the geophysics department of the Geological Survey of Ethiopia. After doctoral study and a postdoctoral stay at the Brazilian Institute for Space Research, he returned back home and joined the Institute of Geophysics Space Science Astronomy (IGSSA) of Addis Ababa University, in 2005. Since then, he has been active in teaching and conducting numerous near surface and crustal scale research projects. With specialization in electrical and EM induction studies, he has been a focal person for the multi-disciplinary international coalition studying the proactive Afar rift (The Afar Consortium) and the Main Ethiopian Rift (RiftVolc). He also served as the director of IGSSA from 2011 to 2013. With more than 25 years of experience, he has been involved in a number of vital exploration projects and is currently serving as a technical advisor for the Ministry.



Wayne Floreani
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Wayne has over 30 years of international trade and investment promotion experience and expertise, with a particular focus on mining. He worked previously with the South African Department of Trade and Industry in Toronto and the Sudbury Regional Development Corporation. He has organized numerous delegations at international trade shows, trade missions and conferences including the annual South African pavilion at PDAC, MinExpo in Las Vegas, Electra Mining, and the Canadian Institute of Mining, as well as high profile ministerial and trade delegations to Canada. He is a current Board Member (and past Chairman) of The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business and Past President of the Canadian Italian Business and Professional Association of Canada. Wayne holds an Honours Bachelor of Commerce degree from Laurentian University in Sudbury, Ontario.

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Andy Hedges
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Mr Hedges heads the Canadian operations of VFX Financial and has extensive expertise with the corporate FX and cash management landscape. He is responsible for the implementation and management of all aspects of VFX's operations in Canada. He began his tenure with VFX Financial in The City of London in 2014. Prior to joining the Canadian expansion, Mr. Hedges held the position of Desk Head, a senior managerial role wherein he managed client relationships and executed transactions for corporates and international charities working in Sub-Saharan Africa.

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Clive Johnson
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Clive Johnson is a founding shareholder of B2Gold Corp. and has served as President, CEO and Director since its inception in November 2006, and leads the Company's executive team. From Northeast Russia to South Africa, Clive, through his leadership roles in B2Gold and predecessor company, Bema Gold Corporation, has been involved in exploration and gold mining in 12 different countries.

Clive is recognized for combining his entrepreneurial business approach to the mining industry with one of the industry's most experienced and successful teams of geologists and engineers. He is also well known for his commitment to corporate social responsibility. Based on his personal and professional credo of fairness, respect, transparency and accountability, Clive leads B2Gold's commitment to improve the lives of all the Company's employees and local communities worldwide.

Prior to B2Gold, Clive was a founder of Vancouver-based Bema Gold. He was appointed as CEO after the company was created through an amalgamation of three Bema group companies in 1988. Clive was a driving force behind Bema Gold's dramatic transformation from a junior exploration company to an international intermediate gold producer. Bema Gold was acquired by Kinross Gold Corporation for C\$3.5 billion in 2007.

Founded as a private company by the former management and technical teams of Bema Gold, B2Gold went public in December 2007 as a junior exploration company. Since then, B2Gold has grown into a low-cost international senior gold producer with forecast consolidated gold production of between 1,000,000 and 1,055,000 ounces in 2020.

Clive is a past recipient of both the Viola MacMillan Developer's Award from the Prospectors & Developers Association of Canada and the Pacific Entrepreneur of the Year Award for Mining and Metals.

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H.E. Stéphane Jobin
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Stéphane Jobin (LLL Law, University of Ottawa, 1989; School of the Quebec Bar, 1990) joined the Canadian foreign service in 1991 after working as a lawyer in private practice in Montreal, Quebec. He has served in a wide range of assignments, including deputy head of the Stabilization and Reconstruction Task Force and director of the Global Partnership Division, two international security programs. From 2009 to 2012 he was director of the North America Relations and Transboundary Affairs divisions. Before that he worked in divisions responsible for foreign policy planning (G8 Section) and economic law. Abroad, he has served twice at the Embassy to Japan: in the Public Affairs Section from 1994 to 1998 and the Political Section from 2002 to 2006. He also worked in Beijing from 2012 to 2014. Most recently, he served as deputy head of mission at the Embassy to Russia, where he was acting Ambassador from 2018 to early 2020. Mr. Jobin is married to a fellow foreign service officer and they have three children.

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R. Michael Jones
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R. Michael Jones brings over 25 years of experience as a professional geological engineer and has been involved with the raising of over \$1 billion for exploration, mining development and production. In addition to co-founding Platinum Group Metals Ltd., Mr. Jones was a founder of Glimmer Resources Inc. and was responsible for the discovery of the Glimmer Gold mine, now Blackfox, in Ontario. During a six-year tenure as President of Cathedral Gold Corp., Mr. Jones ran a producing gold mining company and was involved in the review of a feasibility study and financing for the \$1 billion Diavik Mine project during two years as Vice President with Aber Resources. Mr. Jones was a co-founder and director of West Timmins Mining that was purchased by producing company Lake Shore Gold Corp. in 2009 and was a co-founder and former director until 2012 of MAG Silver Corp. Mr. Jones is a Director, President and Chief Executive Officer of West Kirkland Mining Inc. Mr. Jones holds a B.A.Sc. in geological engineering from the University of Toronto.
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Zebra Kasete
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Mr. Kasete has more than 33 years of global experience in the mining industry, including in executive, corporate, operational and strategic roles.

Prior to joining Dundee in February 2016 as MD & VP of Dundee Precious Metals, Mr. Kasete served as Managing Director of Murowa Diamond Pvt Limited, Zimbabwe, which is one of the only diamond producers which was not nationalized and as non-executive director at Sengwa Colliery (Pvt) Ltd.

Prior moving to Zimbabwe in 2011, he spent 25 years at Rio Tinto where he joined as cadet metallurgist in 1987 in Namibia. In Rio Tinto, Mr. Kasete held senior roles in operations, technical, procurement, human resources, corporate services, business development and stakeholder engagement space within both in his native country Namibia as well in Australia, USA and Zimbabwe.

Mr. Kasete is a metallurgist by profession and worked in uranium, borates, talc, diamond, copper and gold operations. In 2003, he obtained an MBA Degree in General and Strategic Management from Maastricht School of Management, The Netherlands.

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Tarik Ali Khan
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Tarik Ali Khan is the Director General for West and Central Africa at Global Affairs Canada. He is responsible for policy advice, program management, and the administration of Canada's political relations, trade, and development cooperation in the region. Prior to this position, he served as Director General for Central America and the Caribbean, Executive Director to the Deputy Minister of International Development and as Director of Cooperation in Colombia. Tarik has also held a variety of management positions in the former Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA), including Director of the Haiti Development Program, Director of Cooperation in China, and Director of Democratic Institutions and Conflict. He also served as a manager and director at the Department of Canadian Heritage, providing policy advice and managing programs in the areas of cultural development and minority inclusion.

In the early years of his career, Tarik served as director of a primary school for underprivileged children in Nepal. He worked for rural development NGOs in Pakistan and he owned and operated his own Himalayan trekking company. Tarik also worked for several

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Tarik holds an MSc in International Rural Development Planning (University of Guelph) and a BA in English (University of Toronto). He is married and a father of three.

Tarik Ali Khan occupe actuellement le poste de Directeur général, Afrique de l'Ouest et du Centre. Son rôle consiste à fournir des conseils stratégiques, à assurer la gestion du programme, ainsi qu'à administrer les relations politiques, le commerce, ainsi que la coopération au développement du Canada dans cette région. Il a récemment occupé le poste de Directeur général pour l'Amérique centrale et les Caraïbes, Directeur exécutif auprès du sous-ministre du Développement international, ainsi que celui de directeur de la coopération en Colombie. Il a également occupé divers postes de direction au sein de l'ancienne Agence canadienne de développement international, notamment ceux de directeur du Programme d'Haïti, de directeur de la coopération en Chine et de directeur des institutions démocratiques et du règlement des conflits.

Dans les premières années de sa carrière, M. Khan a été directeur d'une école primaire pour enfants défavorisés au Népal. Il a travaillé auprès de plusieurs ONG œuvrant sur le développement rural au Pakistan, en plus d'avoir été propriétaire d'une entreprise dans le domaine de la randonnée de montagne dans l'Himalaya. Il a également travaillé pendant plusieurs années dans l'industrie canadienne du reboisement en Ontario, en Alberta et en Colombie-Britannique.

M. Khan est titulaire d'une maîtrise en planification de l'aménagement rural international (Université de Guelph) et d'un baccalauréat en anglais (Université de Toronto). Il est marié et père de trois enfants.

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Emily King
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Emily King is a geologist with over a decade of experience with mineral exploration and investment in emerging and frontier markets using innovative and disruptive technology. She is the CEO and founder of Prospector, the industry's first searchable digital database with an easily navigable interface that allows anyone to tap into information about the \$144B mining industry. Prospector's technology unlocks opportunities for investment and discovery of the minerals that will provide the foundation for our world's future. Prospector's AI gives subscribers the tools to do research and due diligence in seconds that used to take weeks.

In addition to being the Founder of Prospector, Emily holds leadership roles as the President and Chief Innovation Officer of Analog Gold, CEO of Global Venture Consulting, Board member of VVC Exploration, and VP of Women in Mining USA. Emily was recently awarded the Medal of Merit from the American Mining Hall of Fame.

Prior to founding Global Venture and Prospector, Emily led mineral exploration programs in Afghanistan for the U.S. Department of Defense, overseeing tenders of large copper and gold exploration targets, small-scale processing initiatives, and exploration throughout Afghanistan and Iraq.

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Hon. Willy Kitobo
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The Hon. Willy Kitobo has been the Minister of Mines since September 2020. He is the former Head of the Department of Basic Sciences of the Polytechnic Faculty at the University of Lubumbashi and the former Director of the School of Industrial Engineering at the University of Lubumbashi. He is an Honorary Dean of the Polytechnic Faculty of the University of Lubumbashi, and the former Provincial Minister of Mines, Environment and Land Affairs of the Provincial Government of Haut-Katanga. He also served as the former Provincial Director of the anti-fraud service.

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Benoît-Pierre Laramée
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(BSc [Geological Engineering], Montréal Polytechnic, 1979; DESS [Energy Sector Management], HEC Montréal, 1988; MSc [Project Management], University of Quebec at Montréal, 1990) spent nearly 10 years working as a geophysicist in Canada and Senegal before joining the City of Montréal and then, working in Guinea and Mali, the Centre for International Studies and Cooperation. He joined the Canadian International Development Agency in 2000, working until 2004 in Port-au-Prince, where he held 2 director positions. In 2004, he returned to Ottawa to become manager of the Results-Based Management Unit, a position he held until 2007, at which time he was appointed senior departmental assistant to the minister. From 2008 to 2011, he was director of the Inter-American Regional Program. He was high commissioner in Cameroon from 2011 to 2015 and served as high commissioner in Bangladesh from 2015 to 2017. Mr. Laramée served most recently as minister-counsellor in Bridgetown, where he was simultaneously senior director of the Caribbean Development Program and Canadian director at the Caribbean Development Bank.

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Above + Beyond has developed a unique partnership with The Schulich Business School and with the Schulich Mining Academy to assist their clients in getting a better return on their Leadership development investment. Schulich utilizes the research and output from Above + Beyond's DNA studies in the Mining and Industrial Sectors to design customized solutions for targeted development.

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Joe Lombard
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Joe is one of the world's foremost authorities on the design and construction of aluminum smelters, with more than 30 years of experience in the development and expansion of metallurgical facilities in Europe, North America and South Africa.

As Global Board Member & Global Managing Director of Metals, Joe is responsible for project planning, costing and technology assessments for the sector. His extensive smelter project and operating experience has been central in directing and managing project teams. He has authored several technical papers related to best practices in smelter design and construction. In addition to leading our Metals sector, Joe also provides strategic planning and development leadership for Hatch's presence in China, the Middle East, and Brazil.

Joe was previously President and CEO of Aluminerie Alouette, the largest aluminum smelter in the Americas. At Aluminerie Alouette, Joe was responsible for a \$1.5 billion expansion of its facility in Sept-Îles, Québec.

Joe is a graduate of the University of Pretoria, where he earned a BEng in Mechanical Engineering as well as a BComm Hons from the University of South Africa. Outside of work, Joe serves as the Chairman of the Canada-South African Chamber of Commerce, and is an avid scuba diver and passionate photographer.

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Mr. Malango has 34 years of experience in the mining industry in the SADC region. He worked in the Zambian copper mines after university studies as a graduate mining engineer, then at the Ministry of Mines and the SADC Mining Sector Coordinating Unit in Lusaka. Mr. Malango was the Deputy Director of Mines at the Ministry of Mines and Energy of Namibia for eight years and then joined Ongopolo Mining & Processing Ltd, now Weatherly Mining Namibia for one and half years as Director responsible for strategic projects. He has been heading the Chamber of Mines of Namibia since October 2005. Mr. Malango currently serves on Boards of the Namibia University of Science and Technology – Mining & Process Engineering Advisory Board (Board Chairperson), Namibian Institute of Mining and Technology (NIMT) and the Minerals Development Fund of Namibia (MDF). He is the past President of the Mining Industry Association of Southern Africa (MIASA).

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Prof. Shukrani Elisha Many (MP)
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Prof. Shukrani Elisha Many (MP) is the Deputy Minister for Minerals of the United Republic of Tanzania. Before this appointment, he served as the Commissioner for Minerals in the Ministry of Minerals and Acting Executive Secretary of the Mining Commission for six months before being appointed as the Executive Secretary of the Mining Commission, the position he held for two and a half years (June 2018 – December 2020).

Prof. Many is a Professor of Geology from the University of Dar es Salaam where he served for 17 years consecutively as an academician and researcher. During his time at UDSM, Prof. Many held positions of Director for Research and Publication (2015-2018) and Head of Department of Geology (2012 - 2015).

Prof. Many has published widely in the areas of geochemistry of gold-bearing terranes of Tanzania, is an author and co-author of several books including Explanatory Notes for the Minerogenic Map of Tanzania and is an Editor (and sits on editorial boards) of learned Journals in the world.

He has served on various national boards of many institutions including Chairman (and member) of the Geological Survey of Tanzania Board, member of the Ministerial Advisory Board of the then Ministry of Energy and Minerals of Tanzania, member of the Board Committee of the Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation, and Council Member of the Mbeya University of Science and Technology, to name but a few.

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She graduated from the university of Quebec in Montreal (UQAM) and the State University of Stony-Brook to New-York (SUNY at Stony-Brook), long island. She has a master degree in Business administration as well as a double major in sociology. She is focused and technical advisory work to governance, head of foreign mission across the world and focus at various spheres of government including the local level. She worked in Public Health, her expertise has been to ensure the continuity of Maternal, Neonatal, Infant and Adolescent Health (MNIAH) services and the protection of Orphans and Vulnerable Children (OVC).

Her work as a consultant has included the united nation, the European union and Luxembourg cooperation covering human right, the advancement of women and especially issues of decentralisation and poverty alleviation.

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Hon. Lefoko Moagi is an experienced and highly skilled leader focused in developing innovative solutions for professional challenges, optimising production, and maximising resources in various organisations including metals and diamond mines, construction and engineering firms. He has held higher positions in various mining companies. Has broad business skills set that include strategic planning, financial acumen, project management, engineering, operational efficiency, team management, and revenue generation.

Has a strong focus on people development and an ability for striking rapport with stakeholders. Focuses on ensuring sustainable power and energy availability for Botswana through use of generation, alternatives and climate friendly products. Also working on improving service delivery at National level through innovative processes and servant leadership.

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Molefi Motuku, PhD
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Dr Molefi Motuku is currently the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Council for Mineral Technology, Mintek. He was previously the Group Executive: Research, Development and Innovation and an Acting CEO of the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR). Prior to joining the CSIR, he was the Chief Executive Officer of the National Metrology Institute of South Africa (NMISA). He managed the Advance Materials (Physical Metallurgy) Division at Mintek and was later appointed General Manager: Research & Development before joining NMISA in 2010. Before joining Mintek, he was the Director of the Fort Hare Institute of Technology (FHIT); and prior to that, he was an Assistant Professor of Mechanical & Materials Engineering at Tuskegee University, USA. He spent over four years in a mining environment at Johannesburg Consolidated Investment Co. Ltd, Rustenburg Platinum Holdings in the mid-eighties.

Selected board memberships include: University of Johannesburg, Faculty of Engineering & Built Environment Industrial Advisory Board, Graduate School of

Technology Management (GSTM), University of Pretoria, and Southern African Institute of Mining & Metallurgy (SAIMM).

He has published extensively in peer-reviewed journals and proceedings of international conferences, and also presented significantly at local and international conferences and forums.

He was a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) and The Minerals, Metals & Materials Society (TMS) in the USA.

Among his numerous degrees are: PhD, Materials Engineering, 1999, The University of Alabama at Birmingham, USA, BSc, Mechanical Engineering, 1994, Tuskegee University, USA, and BSc, Physics, 1994, Tuskegee University, USA.

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Cyrille Mutombo
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Senior development practitioner with more than 15 years' experience in the mining industry. Cyrille holds an Honours degree in Economics & Development, a Master's degree in Development Studies and a Master's Degree in Project Management. He worked for Central African Gold as group sustainable development officer between 2006 and 2009, and joined Randgold as social and resettlement manager when it acquired Kibali. In July 2013 he was promoted to group community officer and then appointed country manager for the DRC in November 2014.

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Jacques NdoutouMvé
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Jacques NdoutouMvé is the Vice-President of Process Research Ortech, a Toronto based technology and engineering company serving in the mining, metallurgy, and recycling industry. In this capacity, Jacques is responsible for creating and managing the company's African portfolio where he develops short-to-medium and long-term strategies that focuses on appropriate technology for critical metals beneficiation processes, mining related infrastructure, R&D and rural development initiatives. As an experienced Engineer and Agile Project Manager, Jacques has been a key player in major projects and initiatives in 4 continents and over 25 countries involving some of the largest engineering companies in the world.

In addition to leading multinational initiatives and project management ventures, Jacques the CEO of the Sub-Saharan Africa Healthcare Initiative (SSAHI), a US based organization that focuses on establishing and developing comprehensive state of the art clinical and anatomic pathology, Jacques has built a team of North American based doctors and specialists of African descent to address the need for accredited immunohistochemistry laboratories in the continent.

Jacques is an active member of the German Engineering Association (VDI), the Professional Engineers of Ontario, and Project Management Institute (PMI).

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The Hon. Mary Ng, P.C., M.P.
Minister of Small Business, Export Promotion and International Trade
Canada

From promoting Canada to the world as a great place to do business, to helping our entrepreneurs and businesses grow and access new markets – Minister Ng is focused on helping Canadians succeed.

First elected the Member of Parliament for Markham–Thornhill in April 2017, Minister Ng was first appointed to Cabinet in July 2018 as Minister for Small Business and Export Promotion. After being successfully re-elected in October 2019, she became Canada’s Minister of Small Business, Export Promotion and International Trade.

Prior to serving as a Member of Parliament, Minister Ng served as Appointments Director for the Prime Minister, and as Executive Director for the President of Ryerson University where she oversaw the creation of a world-leading business incubator for tech start-ups. Throughout her 20 years of public service, Minister Ng has been a devoted community leader with a focus on creating jobs, fostering entrepreneurship, and empowering small business to innovate and grow.

L’Hon. Mary Ng, C.P.
députée Ministre de la Petite Entreprise, de la Promotion des exportations et du
Commerce international du Canada

Qu’il s’agisse de promouvoir le Canada dans le monde comme un endroit idéal pour faire des affaires ou d’aider nos entrepreneurs et nos entreprises à croître et à accéder à de nouveaux marchés, la ministre Ng s’attache à aider les Canadiens à réussir.

Élue pour la première fois députée de Markham-Thornhill en avril 2017, la ministre Ng a été nommée pour la première fois au Cabinet en juillet 2018 en tant que ministre de la Petite Entreprise et de la Promotion des exportations. Après avoir été réélue avec succès en octobre 2019, elle est devenue la ministre de la Petite Entreprise, de la Promotion des exportations et du Commerce international du Canada.

Avant d’être députée, la ministre Ng a été directrice des nominations pour le Premier ministre et directrice exécutive du président de l’université Ryerson, où elle a supervisé la création d’un incubateur d’entreprises de pointe pour les entreprises en démarrage dans le secteur des technologies.

Tout au long de ses 20 années de service public, la ministre Ng a été une leader dévouée de la communauté, en se concentrant sur la création d’emplois, la promotion de l’entrepreneuriat et l’autonomisation des petites entreprises pour qu’elles puissent innover et se développer.

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Terence Ortslan is an international mining analyst focusing on world metal and fertilizer equities. His coverage of ferrous, non-ferrous and precious metal markets and fertilizers during the past many decades has brought on recognition and relationships with financial institutions and governments, for their investments, industry and corporate participations and specific strategies in the resources sector.

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Joel Duke Ramaphoi
Executive Director, Investor Attraction
Special Economic Zones Authority of Botswana

Mr Ramaphoi manages all aspects of the Authority’s investment attraction activities to ensure the achievement of SEZs mandate and champion the development and implementation of strategic interventions. This includes building and nurturing positive and productive client relationships to maximize investment opportunities for local and international companies.

He is an accomplished former banking and finance professional, with over 18 years of experience in Corporate Investment Banking and Wealth Management, spanning across several banks including the (Central) Bank of Botswana. He has previously held several senior banking positions which include among others: Associate Director & Cluster Head, Wealth Management Policies and Processes (Standard Chartered Bank Group); and Chief Market Dealer, Fixed Income and Money Markets with the Standard Bank Group.

He is a holder of Master of Business Administration (Finance), and Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences – (single major) Economics from University of Botswana. He is currently a PhD Quantitative Researcher in Business through the University of Botswana.
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Jarendra Reddy
Regional Director, Urban Solutions
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Jarendra is passionate about solving some of the most difficult problems facing cities within the context of rapid urbanization, climate change, technology disruption and socio-economic changes. He works at the intersection of planning, engineering, and advisory across numerous sectors including, aviation, ports and marine, transit, and urban development. The combination of this diverse background and significant experience in complex multidisciplinary projects enables Jarendra to challenge conventional thinking and generate high impact ideas to positively enhance strategy, implementation, and operations within the transport and urban development context. He has been involved in and lead projects that include, the Durban Aerotropolis Master Plan, which represents 1 trillion rand in gross capital formation, the “Go Durban” Rapid Public Transport Network design and detailed feasibility study, The City of Almaty Master Plan, and the Social and Economic Impact of the Gautrain. Jarendra is a Fellow of the South African Institute of Civil Engineers (SAICE), the past chair of the SAICE Transport Division, and an Advisory Board member of the Aerotropolis Institute Africa (AIA).
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Neil Reeder
Vice President, Government Relations
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Neil Reeder joined B2Gold in 2017 following a distinguished government career of over 35 years with Global Affairs Canada. He helped advance Canada’s trade, foreign policy and development agenda during seven different diplomatic postings overseas and in increasingly senior positions in Ottawa. Most recently, he served as Canada’s Ambassador to the Philippines. His previous ambassadorial postings include serving as Canada’s High Commissioner to Brunei and as Canadian Ambassador to Costa Rica, Nicaragua and Honduras. He has also served as Deputy Head of Mission at the Canadian Embassy in Mexico. Mr. Reeder has a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Saskatchewan and a Bachelor of Journalism degree from Carleton University. He speaks three languages.
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Antonia Salvas
Vice President of Operations
Centric Mining Systems

Antonia Salvas has been an integral part of the Centric team for almost eight years, most recently as the Vice President of Operations. With an MBA, and background in the mining supply sector focused on business development and operational efficiency, her priority is always to ensure client success. She has worked with Centric clients on almost every continent, understanding their challenges and collaborating with the Centric team to deliver effective solutions, while building lasting partnerships.

Antonia works with Centric’s global client support, success, marketing, and business development teams to sustain business growth whilst never compromising on the promises made to customers.

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Bruce Shapiro
President
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Bruce Shapiro is president of MineAfrica Inc., a leading platform for African Mining companies, service providers and governments to get their message out to an international Africa friendly investor audience, and A.P.O.C. Inc., a business development and consulting company providing management consultancy and executive services to various African focussed and other organizations. Bruce was also president of The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business for 20 years.

During his career, Bruce has held various senior executive positions in the retail, real estate and finance industries and owned a consulting practice in trade and investment finance. He has taught finance and marketing at various universities and colleges both in Canada and South Africa and is a frequent speaker at international conferences. Bruce is a member of the Prospectors and Developers Association of Canada.

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Sebastian Spio-Garbrah
Chair
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Sebastian Spio-Garbrah is Chair of The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business and Global Managing Director & Chief Frontier Markets Analyst at DaMina Advisors. He has been recognized as one of the world's leading frontier markets analysts, was voted among the 'Top 30 under 30 Analysts' by New York's Institutional Investor Magazine in 2006.

Sebastian helped establish the Africa risk research practice at leading global political risk consultancy firm, Eurasia Group LLC in New York, London (UK) and Tokyo, and concurrently served as a sovereign risk analyst on Sub-Saharan Africa's two largest economies, Nigeria and South Africa for a novel global stability index developed by Eurasia Group with Lehman Brothers, Deutsche Bank, and subsequently, with Citigroup between 2005 and 2010.

Since 2010, Sebastian has been Global Managing Director & Chief Frontier Markets Analyst at DaMina Advisors where he advises the boards, CEOs and portfolio managers of many of the world's leading multinationals and largest institutional investors on Africa.

A prolific writer and an ambidextrous thinker, Sebastian also advised former UK Prime Minister Tony Blair's Commission on Africa. Sebastian sits on several boards. He holds a B.A (double) in Economics and Political Science from Middlebury College, Vermont and a Juris Doctor (J.D) in law from Rutgers University, New Jersey.

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P. Gordon Stothart
President & Chief Executive Officer
IAMGOLD Corporation

Gordon Stothart originally joined IAMGOLD at the end of 2007 as COO, moving to the position of President & CEO as of March 1st, 2020, bringing over 30 years of mining industry experience to the role. Prior to IAMGOLD, Gord worked in the Noranda-Falconbridge-Xstrata organization for 21 years in a number of operational, project, business development and management roles, including spending nearly 10 years in South America on large copper operations. Mr. Stothart graduated from the University of British Columbia in 1987 with a Double Major in Mining and Mineral Process Engineering and later completed a Falconbridge-sponsored Executive Development Program at the Universidad Católica de Santiago in Chile. Gord is involved in several industry associations and is currently the Chairman of the Mining Association of Canada (MAC). Gord is also the current Chairman of the non-profit St. Elizabeth Foundation with a current focus on end-of-life care and in-community healthcare training and service partnerships with several First Nations and Inuit communities in Canada.

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Mohamed Baba Sylla
Deputy Director-general of the Mining Promotion and Development Center
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Mohamed Baba SYLLA, B.Eng., M.Eng., holds a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering (Telecommunication) and a master's degree in computer engineering from Polytechnique Montréal. He holds also a strategic foresight degree from Conservatoire National des Arts et Métiers (CNAM) in Paris.

From 2002 to 2008, he has been working in Montreal as software engineer and consultant for several companies, including the investment bank Morgan Stanley through Compuware.

From 2008 in 2015, he worked as Senior Consultant in France mainly for CAC 40 companies (Accor, Cap Gemini, T-Systems...) as major Information System project manager and architect.

From 2015 to 2016, Mohamed Baba SYLLA was Chief Operating Officer in Niger in charge of defining and implementing the strategy of transformation and development of one of the leader company of its sector.

Since July 2016, Mohamed Baba SYLLA is the Deputy Director-general of the Mining Promotion and Development Center of the Republic of Guinea. He has driven successfully the completion of the modernization of the mining cadaster which now enables an efficient and transparent management of mining titles and authorizations.

Mohamed Baba SYLLA is also a member of several steering committees within the Ministry of Mines, including those in charge of training and monitoring the implementation of the infrastructure master plan. He has also been involved in the negotiation of the main agreements signed over the past three years between Guinea and mining companies (Chalco, Simandou1&2, AMC...).

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Oumar Toguyeni
Senior Vice President, International Affairs & Sustainability
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Oumar Toguyeni was appointed Senior Vice President, International Affairs & Sustainability in March 2020, and manages IAMGOLD's relationships with our overseas host governments and other stakeholders in West Africa and South America. Oumar joined IAMGOLD in June 2012 as Vice-President, Commercial, West Africa, and was subsequently promoted in 2013 to Regional Vice-President West Africa, overseeing IAMGOLD's interests in the region. Prior to joining IAMGOLD, Oumar had accumulated over 25 years of experience in exploration, project development and operations for various commodities, including gold, base metals and bauxite in Africa, Europe, South America and the Caribbean. Oumar started his career in Burkina Faso before moving to international career holding key senior positions with major mining companies including Billiton International Metals, Billiton Plc, BHP Billiton and Alcoa. Oumar is a graduate from the University of Dakar (Senegal) in Geological Engineering and also holds an MBA from Webster University in the United States.

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Mr. Lamine Seydou Traore
Minister of Mines, Energy and Water
The Republic of Mali

The Minister of Mines, Energy and Water of the Republic of Mali, Mr. Lamine Seydou TRAORE, hold a Diploma in Accounting and Financial Expertise from the West African Economic and Monetary Union (DECOFI-UEMOA), Mr. Lamine Seydou TRAORE also holds a Specialized Masters in digital economy regulation obtained at Télécom ParisTech. He studied in Morocco from where he obtained a master's degree in Accounting and Financial Sciences and Techniques.

In 2002, he was financial and accountant auditor at EGCC International accounting firm before joining the telecommunications company IKATEL (now Orange Mali), where he held the position of Deputy Managing Director of this company. But before that, he suc-

cessively held the positions of head of the accounting and treasury department, Head of the finance-accounting division, Financial Director, and then General Manager of Orange Finances Mobiles Mali SA.

In 2017, Mr. Lamine Seydou TRAORE was appointed Member of the Regulatory Council of the Malian Telecommunications / ICT and Post Regulatory Authority (AMRTP), responsible for economic issues. He is associate professor at CESAG in DAKAR and teaches in several university and establishments. He speaks French, English and Arabic.
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Jean-François Tremblay
Deputy Minister
Natural Resources Canada

Jean-François Tremblay joined NRCan as Deputy Minister in September 2020. Prior to this appointment, Mr. Tremblay served as the Deputy Minister of Indigenous Services from 2017 to 2020, the Deputy Minister for Infrastructure and Communities from 2016 to 2017 and the Deputy Minister of Transport, Infrastructure and Communities (TIC) from 2015 to 2016.

Before joining the TIC portfolio, he was Deputy Secretary to the Cabinet Operations, Privy Council Office, since April 2013.

Mr. Tremblay spent time at Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada, where he held the positions of Senior Assistant Deputy Minister, Treaties and Aboriginal Government (2012 to 2013) and Senior Assistant Deputy Minister, Policy and Strategic Direction (2010 to 2012). He also worked with the Privy Council Office, serving as Assistant Secretary to the Cabinet, Priorities and Planning (2007 to 2010) and Assistant Deputy Minister in Intergovernmental Operations (2006 and 2007).

Mr. Tremblay joined the federal public service in 2000 as a policy analyst with the Privy Council Office. He holds a Ph.D. in Political Science from Université Laval.

Jean-François Tremblay s'est joint à RNCan à titre de sous-ministre en septembre 2020. Avant cette nomination, M. Tremblay a été sous-ministre des Services aux Autochtones de 2017 à 2020, sous-ministre de l'Infrastructure et des Collectivités de 2016 à 2017 et sous-ministre des Transports, de l'Infrastructure et des Collectivités (TIC) de 2015 à 2016. Avant de se joindre au portefeuille des TIC, M. Tremblay était sous-secrétaire du Cabinet (Opérations) au sein du Bureau du Conseil privé depuis avril 2013.

M. Tremblay a été au ministère des Affaires autochtones et du Développement du Nord Canada où il a occupé le poste de sous-ministre adjoint principal, Traités et gouvernement autochtone (2012 à 2013) et de sous-ministre adjoint principal, Politiques et orientation stratégique (2010 à 2012). Il a travaillé pour le Bureau du Conseil privé à titre de secrétaire adjoint du Cabinet Priorités et planification (2007 à 2010) ainsi que de sous-ministre adjoint, Opérations gouvernementales (2006 et 2007).

M. Tremblay s'est joint à la fonction publique en 2000 en tant qu'analyste des politiques pour le Bureau du Conseil privé. Il possède un doctorat en science politique de l'Université Laval.

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Munisha Tumato
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Munisha Tumato is a journalist, writer, editor, facilitator and communications professional with more than a decade of professional experience. She has worked for local media as a news, council and arts reporter, and internationally as a journalist and researcher. Ms. Tumato is currently Manager, Communications at the Canadian International Resources and Development Institute (CIRDI) and oversees communications for the Supporting the Ministry of Mines (SUMM) Ethiopia project. She holds a BA (honours) in Communications from the University of Calgary and a Masters in Journalism from UBC's School of Journalism.

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**Gilles de Vignemont, Founder and Partner
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With extensive experience as a tax attorney and deep expertise in international taxation, Gilles de Vignemont has built an accomplished career by creating tax-efficient business solutions for multinational companies investing in Africa. He leverages comprehensive understanding of the tax laws and regulations in Africa to advise companies on the tax implications of investing in Africa, assist them for tax planning, tax audits, due diligence, and holding company analysis. He is recognized for his ability to identify business opportunities ahead of the competition, and for his strength in navigating complex economic and regulatory infrastructures with foresight and tenacity.

Most recently, Gilles was a Tax Partner and Leader of the African Tax Group at PwC, which he built into a multimillion-dollar practice supported in Africa by ~400 partners and 9,000+ employees in 34 countries.

As an industry expert, Gilles has been a Board Member of the Corporate Council on Africa. He also is an Advisor at the Africa Business Portal and a frequent speaker and panelist at events hosted by industry and professional organizations.

Gilles is admitted to the French Bar Association. He earned a Master's degree in International Corporate Law and a Master's degree in European Law.
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**Joe Walsh
Managing Director
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Mr. Walsh is a resources industry executive, mining engineer and geophysicist with over 25 years' experience working for mining companies and investment banks in mining related roles. Joe was the General Manager Corporate Development with PanAust and was instrumental in the evolution of PanAust from an explorer in 2004 to a US\$2+ billion, ASX 100 multi-mine copper and gold company. Joe also has extensive equity capital market experience and has been involved with the technical and economic evaluation of many mining assets and companies around the world.

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**Greg Winch
Chief Operating Officer
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Greg is a geologist with 33 years of experience in the exploration and mining industry out of which 24 years experience is in Africa. Greg attended university in Perth Western Australia and worked in the Yilgarn Goldfields for 6 years. Greg worked as the Chief Exploration Geologist for Centamin in Ethiopia and Egypt. Prior to this Greg was involved in the exploration and development of the Lumwana Copper Project for Equinox in Zambia for 10 years. He has also been involved in the development and construction and management of the Golden Pride Gold Project for Resolute in Tanzania for almost 5 years.

Greg is currently the Chief Operating Officer of Allied Gold and has been with Allied from 2012.

As part of Allied's African Gold project Mr. Greg is in charge of overseeing the Bonikro Gold Mine in Cote d'Ivoire ; the Sadiola Gold Project in Mali and the Dish Mountain Project in Ethiopia . The Dish Mountain project has been operating since 2012 in gold and base metal exploration and development.

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Allied Gold Corp / ASCOM Precious Metals Mining, S.A.E., (APM)

(AIM: AGLD, TSX: ALG, ASX: ALLD)

ASCOM Precious Metals Mining S.A.E (APM) is a subsidiary of ASEC Company for Mining S.A.E (ASCOM). APM was established in 2009 in order to pursue specific mining opportunities of precious metals and base metals within the under explored, mineral rich Eastern and North African region of the Arabian-Nubian Shield. APM's asset base currently consists of 1 gold and one gold/base-metals concession in western Ethiopia, totaling more than 180km².

ASCOM recently entered into a shareholders' agreement for the sale of 64.46% of its Ethiopian mining arm, APM Ethiopia (BVI), to Allied Gold Corp (Allied) at a deal value equivalent to USD 14.5 million. The full proceeds will be used to finalize and complete all remaining feasibility study works and drilling. Allied will be granted full management control of the Company going forward.

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Angola, Ministry of Mineral Resources, Oil and Gas

Angola is sub-Saharan Africa's 3rd largest economy and one of Africa's richest states in terms of natural resources. It is the 2nd largest crude oil producer in Africa since 2016. As of 2018, Angola boasts 384 billion c. m. of proven natural gas reserves while its gross production in that same year stood at 13.94 billion m³. Increasing access to electric power is a high priority for the government of Angola, which has set targets of 10 gigawatts (GW) of installed generation capacity and a 60 percent electrification rate by 2025.

www.governo.gov.ao/ao/



Antler Gold Inc. (TSX.V: ANTL)

Antler Gold Inc. is a Canadian gold exploration company, focused on projects in Namibia. Our Erongo Central and Western Gold Project is comprised of seven exclusive prospecting licenses (EPL's) which are located within the South-Central Zone (SCZ) of Namibia's prospective Damara gold belt. Both projects share similar geology to the known Namibian Gold mines (QKR's Navachab ~80kozpa and B2 Golds' Otjikoto ~170kozpa) as well as Osino's recent Twin Hills discovery.

The Erongo Gold Project is located approximately 130 km north-west of Windhoek, Namibia's capital city and is accessible by a paved highway. Namibia is considered in the mining industry to be mining-friendly and is politically and socially stable.

Antler continues to evaluate new opportunities and ground with a view to adding to its Namibian portfolio.

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B2Gold Corp. (TSX: BTO, NYSE: BTG)

B2Gold Corp. is a low-cost international senior gold producer headquartered in Vancouver, Canada. Founded in 2007, today, B2Gold has three operating gold mines and numerous development and exploration projects in various countries including Mali, the Philippines, Namibia, Colombia, Finland and Uzbekistan. This year, B2Gold forecasts gold production to be 970,000 – 1,030,000 ounces.

Following another very successful year of exploration in 2020, B2Gold is planning a year of aggressive exploration in 2021 with a budget of approximately \$66 million, including a record \$25 million allocated to the Company's ongoing grassroots exploration programs.

As a responsible mining company, B2Gold's commitment to Health & Safety and Environment Social & Governance continues to result in exceptional outcomes at the Company's operations around the world.

For more information regarding B2Gold's 2021 guidance and budget, please reference the news release and accompanying cautionary statement disseminated on January 20, 2021, at:
www.B2Gold.com/news



Barrick Gold Corporation (TSX: ABX, NYSE: GOLD)

Barrick Gold Corporation has mining operations and projects in 13 countries, including Mali, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of Congo, Zambia, Argentina, Canada, Chile, Dominican Republic, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Saudi Arabia, and the United States.

Barrick's shares trade on the New York Stock Exchange (symbol GOLD) and on the Toronto Stock Exchange (symbol ABX).

Our portfolio is primarily focused on high-margin, long-life gold operations and projects clustered in the world's most prospective gold districts, supported by a robust copper business. Barrick operates six of the top Tier 1 assets in the world including the Nevada Gold Mines JV (Barrick 61.5%; Newmont 38.5%), the biggest gold mining complex in the world.

Barrick has one of the deepest project pipelines in the gold industry, including brown-fields projects near existing operations, greenfield exploration discoveries and some of the largest undeveloped gold deposits in the world, providing significant optionality and leverage to gold prices.

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Botswana, Ministry of Mineral Resources, Green Technology & Energy Security

The Ministry's mandate is to coordinate and oversee the development of the minerals sector, to promote the use of green technology which relates to, amongst others, the use of renewable energy and cleaner technologies for sustainable development, and to promote the use of a mix of alternative energy sources that will ensure energy security.

Our vision is to be the international benchmark in the development of mineral and energy resources for national prosperity.

Our mission is to create opportunities and an enabling environment for the mineral and energy sectors to ensure the sustainable socio-economic development and opportunities for Botswana.

Core Values include safety, timely delivery, team and diligence.

www.gov.bw/ministries/ministry-mineral-resources-green-technology-and-energy-security-mmge

The Canada-Africa
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Chambre commerciale
Canada-Afrique

The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business

The Canada-Africa Chamber of Business is a dynamic and influential business organization dedicated to accelerating trade, business and investment between Canada and Africa through world-class networking and information sharing opportunities.

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Canadian International Resources and Development Institute (CIRDI)

CIRDI is an independent centre of expertise in natural resource-led development. CIRDI's head office is located in Vancouver, and it is a part of the Canadian Executive Services Organization (CESO). CIRDI also maintains an office in Addis Ababa where it's team implements the 'Supporting the Ministry of Mines' (SUMM) in Ethiopia project, funded by Global Affairs Canada.

With Canadian and international partners, CIRDI provides leading-practice advice, technical support, training and applied research as well as a platform for innovative thinking, knowledge mobilization and shared learning on sustainable and inclusive natural resource governance. CIRDI's value proposition to partners is based on three factors: proven technical excellence in natural resource governance; needs-based and partnership-driven programming; and results-based program management.

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The Canadian Trade Commissioner Service (TCS)

The Canadian Trade Commissioner Service (TCS) helps companies navigate the complexities of international markets and make better business decisions. The TCS is on the ground in more than 160 cities worldwide, gaining market intelligence, uncovering opportunities for Canadian companies and helping reduce business costs and risks. The TCS is a free service of the Government of Canada, helping companies prepare for international markets, assess market potential, find qualified contacts and resolve business problems. Our network of international contacts is unbeatable. As part of Global Affairs Canada and of Canada's network of embassies, the TCS has access to local governments and key business leaders and decision makers. We can help increase the credibility of Canadian companies in foreign markets, helping them gain access to local contacts not readily available to outside businesses.

www.tradecommissioner.gc.ca



Centric Mining Systems

Centric Mining Systems is a suite of tools engineered to work together, to help you track and control the entire flow of your mining operations – from the point of extraction to the point of transport all from a single screen.

In today's mining industry, information and data management is an important tool for operational excellence. The value of a digital mine lies in the wealth of data available across the entire value chain to provide integrated, end-to-end visibility and the insights to understand decisions that will affect the short-term and long-term future of your operations.

By connecting people, equipment, data and insights across your mines, plant, rail and ports, operators gain a whole new world of intelligence and predictive analytics to enable faster, smarter decision-making for better outcomes.

We accomplish this by providing a mining-specific knowledge ecosystem that incorporates data acquisition, systems integration, data warehousing, knowledge generation, and decision-support into a single turn-key solution tailored to the mining industry. Manage your operations with confidence using Centric.

We're adept problem-solvers that understand your business and can drive results.

We ensure that your investment in technology creates real opportunities to improve your business with a better understanding of the past and a predictable future.

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The Chamber of Mines of Namibia

The Chamber of Mines of Namibia (CoM) was formed in 1969, with the sole mandate to protect the interests of its members while promoting sustainable growth of mining and exploration so as to maximise the economic gain from this sector for the Namibian nation at large.

The not-for-profit organisation acts as an advocacy body, in which it acts as a voice for the industry to government and other institutions. Through its influence and deliberation on policies affecting the sector, the Chamber works towards sustaining and maintain-

ing a regulatory environment which attracts investment and promotes the growth of the Namibian mining industry.

The CoM is a self-regulating body which is governed by a prudent Code of Conduct and Ethics that gives the organisation the right to expel members who are non-compliant. Within the Chamber structure, various committees have been formed to deliberate on areas of importance such as safety, human resources and environmental issues.
www.chamberofmines.org.na



Democratic Republic of Congo, Ministry of Mines

The Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) is, by area, the largest country in sub-Saharan Africa, and the second-largest in all of Africa. With a population of 110 million, it is the third most populous country in Africa. DRC is the world's largest producer of cobalt ore, and a major producer of copper and diamonds.



Dundee Precious Metals Inc. (TSX: DSM)

Dundee Precious Metals Inc. is a Canadian based, international gold mining company engaged in the acquisition of mineral properties, exploration, development, mining and processing of precious metals. The Company's operating assets include the Chelopech operation, which produces a gold-copper concentrate containing gold, copper and silver and a pyrite concentrate containing gold, located east of Sofia, Bulgaria; the Ada Tepe operations, which produces a gold concentrate containing gold and silver, located in southern Bulgaria; and the Tsumeb smelter, a complex copper concentrate processing facility located in Namibia. DPM also holds interests in a number of developing gold and exploration properties located in Canada, Serbia and Ecuador, including its 10.4% interest in Sabina Gold & Silver Corp. and its 19.5% interest in INV Metals Inc.
www.dundeeprecious.com



ENDIAMA E.P.

ENDIAMA E.P., founded on 15 January 1981, is a national company dedicated to the prospecting, exploration and marketing of diamonds. It operates in the national territory as exclusive operator and concessionaire in the management of the diamond sub-sector value chain. As an Angolan public company, ENDIAMA experiences the same climate of transparency and reform as the rest of our country. The focal points of reforms in Angola's diamond sector are oriented towards the initiation of new prospecting projects, the implementation of the new diamond trading policy, the development of infrastructure projects, as well as the energy and agricultural industries that support mining.
endiama.co.ao



Ethiopia Ministry of Mines and Petroleum

The Ministry of Mines and Petroleum (MoMP) was re-established by the Proclamation 1097/2018 as a regulatory organ of Ethiopia's mines and petroleum sector, with the responsibility of granting exploration and mining licenses. The MoMP includes two autonomous institutions. The Geological Survey of Ethiopia (GSE) focuses on strengthening the generation and dissemination of geoscience data, drilling and laboratory analysis; the Ethiopian Mineral, Petroleum and Biofuel Corporations (EMPBC) is directly engaged in the commercial activities of the mining, petroleum and bio-fuel sectors.

As one of the priority sectors outlined in Ethiopia's homegrown economic reform agenda, the MoMP is encouraging private sector investment, streamlining bureaucratic and regulatory procedures, updating policies, and building institutional capacity through the introduction of a digital mining cadastre system - the first of its kind in Africa.

The MoMP's aim is to ensure Ethiopia is a priority destination for international mining and petroleum investors through promotion of its strategic minerals such as petroleum, gold, gemstones (mainly opal), tantalum, lithium, potash, iron ore, and various industrial,

energy and construction minerals. Through its corporation, The MOMP is promoting a joint venture in the PPP modality to establish a centralized laboratory and drilling service provision.

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Headquartered in Vancouver, Canada, the Fraser Institute has regional offices in Calgary, Toronto and Montreal. We produce research about government actions in areas that deeply affect Canadians' quality of life such as taxation, health care, aboriginal issues, education, economic freedom, energy, natural resources and the environment.

Measurement is the foundation for all our work. Careful, accurate, rigorous measurement. "If it matters, measure it" is a slogan you will see around our office. Things that are measured can be talked about. Things that are talked about in the public arena eventually become part of the climate of opinion. That is how measurement can change the climate of opinion. Sometimes, our research recommends public policy solutions that some people feel are controversial. We work to ensure that people become more knowledgeable about the outcomes of various public policies and can then make more informed decisions. Our research is peer-reviewed and overseen by an Editorial Advisory Board of leading international scholars. The Fraser Institute promotes transparency in research – in other words, our methodology is open and clearly explained, and others can replicate our conclusions. In addition, the source of our data is always provided.

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Global Affairs Canada

We define, shape and advance Canada's interests and values in a complex global environment. We manage diplomatic relations, promote international trade and provide consular support. We lead international development, humanitarian, and peace and security assistance efforts. We also contribute to national security and the development of international law.

www.international.gc.ca

Ghana Ministry of Lands and Natural Resources

The Ministry was established under Section 11 of Ghana's Civil Service Law, 1993 (PNDCL 327), and is mandated to ensure the sustainable management and utilization of the nation's lands, forests and wildlife resources as well as the efficient management of the mineral resources for socio-economic growth and development.

This it does through three subsector Commissions, set up under the 1992 Constitution of the Republic of Ghana, viz, Lands Commission, Forestry Commission and Minerals Commission.

GOAL - Address the degradation of natural resources and ensure the effective and efficient management of these resources for sustainable development

VISION - Excel in the management of land, forest, wildlife and mineral resources through the delivery of client-oriented services.

MISSION - To ensure the sustainable management and utilization of Ghana's lands, forests, wildlife and mineral resources for socio-economic growth and development

FUNCTIONS

- Ensuring the efficient formulation, Implementation, Co-ordination, Monitoring and Evaluation of policies and programmes;



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- Ensuring efficient and equitable land delivery services
- Facilitating the promotion of sustainable forest and wildlife resource management and utilisation;
- Ensuring efficient management of mineral resources to catalyse sustainable development;
- Coordination of protecting the country's boundaries.

<http://mlnr.gov.gh/>



Guinea Ministry of Mines and Geology

The Ministry of Mines and Geology is responsible for the design, development, and implementation and monitoring of the Government's mining policy. The Ministry manages in a sustainable development approach, the Guinean mining sector which is recognized for the diversity and quality of its world-class ores. To this end, the Ministry operates strategic choices to make the Guinean mining sector a privileged destination for investors.

www.mines.gov.gn



Hatch

Hatch is passionately committed to the pursuit of a better world through positive change. A global multidisciplinary management, engineering, and development consultancy to the metals, energy, and infrastructure sectors, our corporate roots extend more than one hundred years. We deliver comprehensive technical and strategic services covering the whole project lifecycle, from concept development through design stages to full construction supervision and handover.

We embrace your visions as our own and partner with you to develop ideas that are smarter, more efficient, and innovative. Our global network of 9,000 professionals work on the world's toughest challenges. We draw upon our experience spanning over 150 countries.

We are employee-owned and independent—free to bring our best thinking to your business. Our exceptional, diverse teams combine vast engineering and business knowledge, working in partnership with our clients to develop market strategies, manage and optimize production, develop new game-changing technologies, and design and deliver complex capital projects.

We work closely with the communities in which we serve to ensure that our solutions optimize environmental protection, economic prosperity, social justice, and cultural vibrancy. We want their businesses, ecosystems, and communities to thrive, both now and into the future.

www.hatch.com



IAMGOLD Corporation (TSX: IMG, NYSE: IAG)

IAMGOLD is a mid-tier mining company with three gold mines on three continents, including the Essakane mine in Burkina Faso, the Rosebel mine in Suriname, and the Westwood mine in Canada. A solid base of strategic assets is complemented by the Côte Gold construction project in Canada, the Boto Gold development project in Senegal, as well as greenfield and brownfield exploration projects in various countries located in West Africa and the Americas.

As it brings its fourth mine, Côte Gold, located in Canada, online by 2024, IAMGOLD aims to become a million-ounce gold producer, supported by a robust financial position and a workforce of 5,000 people strong. IAMGOLD is committed to maintaining its culture of accountable mining through high standards of Environmental, Social and Governance (“ESG”) practices embedded in our Zero Harm® vision in every aspect of its business. IAMGOLD is one of the companies on the JSI index and is listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange (trading symbol “IMG”) and the New York Stock Exchange (trading symbol “IAG”).

www.iamgold.com

Ivanhoe Mines Ltd. (TSX: IVN; OTCQX: IVPAF)

Ivanhoe Mines is a Canadian mining company focused on advancing its three principal, joint-venture projects in Southern Africa: the development of new mines at the Kamoa-Kakula copper discovery in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) and the Platreef platinum-palladium-nickel-copper-gold discovery in South Africa; and the extensive redevelopment and upgrading of the historic Kipushi zinc-copper-germanium-silver mine, also in the DRC. The company also is exploring for new copper discoveries on its wholly-owned Western Foreland exploration licences, adjacent to the Kamoa-Kakula mining licence.

www.ivanhoemines.com



KEFI Gold and Copper plc (LON: KEFI)

KEFI is focused primarily on the advanced Tulu Kapi Gold Project development project in Ethiopia, along with its pipeline of other projects within the highly prospective Arabian-Nubian Shield. KEFI targets that production at Tulu Kapi generates cash flows for capital repayments, further exploration and expansion as warranted and, when appropriate, dividends to shareholders.

KEFI in Ethiopia: Ethiopia is currently undergoing a remarkable transformation both politically and economically. The Tulu Kapi gold project in western Ethiopia is being progressed towards development, following a grant of a Mining Licence in April 2015. The Company has now refined contractual terms for project construction and operation, together with assembling the full funding consortium and set the conditional terms for the development funding package of c.US\$221 million.

KEFI in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia: In 2009, KEFI formed Gold & Minerals Limited (“G&M”) in Saudi Arabia with local Saudi partner, ARTAR, to explore for gold and associated metals in the Arabian-Nubian Shield. KEFI has a 34% interest in G&M and is the operating partner. ARTAR, on behalf of G&M, holds over 16 Exploration Licence (ELA) applications pending the introduction of the new Mining Law. ELs are renewable for up to three years and bestow the exclusive right to explore and to obtain a 30-year exploitation (mining) lease within the area.

www.kefi-minerals.com



Kenmare Resources (LSE: KMR, ISEQ: KMR)

Kenmare Resources plc is an established mining company, which operates the Moma Titanium Minerals Mine, located on the north-east coast of Mozambique. Listed on the London Stock Exchange and the Euronext Dublin, Kenmare has been in production for 13-years and has a long-term commitment to being a responsible corporate citizen.

We are proud of our low environmental impact, over 90% of our power requirements are generated by renewable hydro-electricity sources and we do not use any chemicals in our mining or processing. Once separated into final products, we transport to our customers from our dedicated port facility.

We are one of the world’s largest producers of mineral sands products, key raw materials ultimately consumed in everyday “quality-of-life” items such as paints, plastics, and ceramic tiles.

Between 2018 and 2020 the Group invested in three growth projects to increase production of ilmenite, Kenmare’s primary product, to 1.2 million tonnes per annum on a sustainable basis. At this expanded rate, Kenmare will produce ~10% of global supply and has sufficient resource to last 100+ years.

www.kenmareresources.com



Lepidico Ltd. (ASX: LPD)

Lepidico is focused on exploration, development and production of lithium chemicals. It owns the L-Max® hydrometallurgical technology that converts lithium-rich mica and phosphate minerals, including lepidolite and zinnwaldite, to lithium carbonate and a series of by-products including caesium and rubidium. More recently the LOH-Max® technology was developed, which produces lithium hydroxide from lithium sulphate without by-product sodium sulphate.

The Company has completed a Definitive Feasibility Study for a nominal 5,000 tonne per annum Lithium Hydroxide Phase 1 chemical plant, targeting commercial production for 2023. The Project incorporates the Company's proprietary L-Max® and LOH-Max® technologies into the chemical conversion plant design. Feed to the Phase 1 Plant is planned to be sourced from the Karibib Project in Namibia, 80% owned by Lepidico, where a predominantly Measured and Indicated Mineral Resource of 11.24 Mt grading 0.43% Li₂O, (including Measured Resources of 2.20 Mt @ 0.57% Li₂O, Indicated Resources of 6.66 Mt @ 0.38% Li₂O and Inferred Resources of 2.37 Mt @ 0.43%, at a 0.15% Li₂O cut-off) is estimated. Ore Reserves total 6.72 Mt @ 0.46% Li₂O, 2.26% rubidium, 2.02% potassium and 320ppm caesium.

www.lepidico.com



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With a twenty-seven year track record of assisting and advising clients in Africa, LEX Africa effectively covers the entire African continent and provides a valuable resource for businessmen and investors in Africa. More than six hundred lawyers form part of the Pan African legal team providing cross-border and local African legal solutions for clients. Apart from its Band 1 Chambers and Partners ranking, LEX Africa won the African Legal Award for African Network/Alliance of the Year in 2020.

LEX Africa's management office is situated at the offices of the South African member, Werksmans Attorneys. LEX Africa also publishes popular business, mining and other specialist guides and African news on its website.

www.lexafrica.com



Mali Mines, Energy, Water Minister

Mali Mines, Energy and Water Minister missions are the:

- Promotion research, exploitation of mineral and fossil substances.
- design and implementation of measures aimed at ensuring the development of mineral and energy resources.
- promotion and development of the production, operation and distribution of conventional, new and renewable energies in order to ensure the country's energy supply under the best conditions of safety and cost.
- development and control of the application of mining and water regulations.
- development of water resources with a view in particular to meeting the country's drinking water needs.
- Carrying out studies and works to develop watercourses, with the exception of hydro-agricultural developments.

<http://mines.gouv.ml>



MineAfrica

MineAfrica has been promoting mining investment in Africa for 20 years. We provide the premier platform for African governments, mining companies, advisors to the mining industry, and service providers to promote themselves to a senior level, Africa focussed audience of financial institutions, analysts, mining executives, service providers and media. We offer similar services for Latin America under “mineLatinAmerica”. We provide educational, training & leadership development & custom courses under our MASTER-MINING brand, and in partnership with Schulich Executive Education Centre at Schulich School of Business. Our principals are Bruce Shapiro and Wayne Floreani.
www.mineafrica.com



Mintek

MINTEK, founded in 1934, is South Africa’s premier national mineral research organisation and it is one of the world’s leading technology organisation specialising in mineral processing, extractive metallurgical, mineralogical analysis and testing, process control and advanced materials. Working closely with industry and other R&D institutions, Mintek provides process development and optimisation, service testwork, consulting, and innovative products and services to clients worldwide.

MINTEK hosts one of the largest mineral processing and metallurgical test facilities in the world.

We can execute all scales of testwork to support scale-up studies and techno-economic evaluations – from early-stage, small scale exploratory research to very large, continuous pilot demonstration scale. We have facilities and top-rated researchers in Mineral Processing, Hydrometallurgy, Pyrometallurgy, Biotechnology, Mineralogical Assay and Characterisation, Process Control and Optimisation, Mineralogy, Nanotechnology, Advanced Materials and Testing.

www.mintek.co.za



Namibia Ministry of Mines and Energy

The Ministry of Mines and Energy (MME) is the State’s lead agency in attracting private investment in resources exploration and development through the provision of geoscientific information on minerals and energy resources, and management of an equitable and secure titles systems for the mining, petroleum and geothermal industries.

It also carries prime responsibility for regulating these extractive industries and dangerous goods in the country, including the collection of royalties, and ensuring that safety; health and environmental standards are consistent with the relevant State and Commonwealth legislation, regulations and policies.

mme.gov.na



Natural Resources Canada

Natural Resources Canada develops policies and programs that enhance the contribution of the natural resources sector to the economy, improve the quality of life for all Canadians and conduct innovative science in facilities across Canada to generate ideas and transfer technologies. We are an established leader in the fields of:

- energy sources and distribution
- forests and forestry
- minerals and mining
- earth sciences
- energy efficiency
- science and data

We also represent Canada at the international level to meet the country’s global commitments related to the sustainable development of natural resources.

Our Vision: Improving the quality of life of Canadians by creating a sustainable resource advantage.

Ressources naturelles Canada élabore des politiques et des programmes qui renforcent

la contribution du secteur des ressources naturelles à l'économie, améliorent la qualité de vie de tous les Canadiens et dirige des travaux scientifiques innovateurs dans tous les coins du pays, pour stimuler les idées et le transfert de technologies.

Nous sommes un chef de file établi dans les domaines suivants:

- sources d'énergie et réseau de distribution
- forêts et foresterie
- minéraux et exploitation minière
- sciences de la Terre
- efficacité énergétique
- science et données

Le Ministère défend les intérêts internationaux du Canada et aide le pays à s'acquitter de ses obligations internationales à l'égard du développement durable des ressources naturelles.

Notre vision : Améliorer la qualité de vie des Canadiens en créant un avantage durable dans le secteur des ressources.

www.nrcan.gc.ca



Osino Resources Corp. (TSX.V: OSI)

Osino is a Canadian gold exploration and development company, focused on growing and advancing our exciting Twin Hills gold discovery in Namibia. Twin Hills is a sediment-hosted, structurally controlled, open-pit gold project located within Namibia's prospective Damara mineral belt, mostly in proximity to and along strike of the producing Navachab and Otjikoto Gold Mines.

Since its discovery in late 2019, Osino spent 2020 advancing the project by through more than 51,000m of resource definition drilling and advanced development studies which should culminate in a maiden resource in Q1 and our first PEA in Q2 2021. Osino's 2021 work program comprises more than 75,000m of drilling aimed at further discoveries and growth of the Twin Hills system plus concluding an advanced feasibility study by the end of 2021.

The Twin Hills project is very favorably located north-west of Namibia's capital city Windhoek. By virtue of its location, the projects benefit significantly from Namibia's well-established infrastructure with paved highways, railway, power and water in close proximity. Namibia is mining-friendly and lauded as one of the continent's most politically and socially stable jurisdictions. Osino continues to evaluate new ground with a view to expanding its Namibian portfolio.

www.osinoresources.com



PLG:NYSE American
PTM:TSX

Platinum Group Metals Ltd. (NYSE: PLG, TSX: PTM)

Platinum Group Metals Ltd. is the operator and majority owner of the Waterberg Project, a bulk underground palladium, platinum, gold and rhodium deposit located in South Africa. The Waterberg Project was discovered by Platinum Group and is being jointly advanced with the shareholders of Waterberg JV Resources (Pty) Ltd. being Platinum Group, Impala Platinum Holdings Ltd., Japan Oil, Gas and Metals National Corporation, Hanwa Co. Ltd. and Mnombo Wethu Consultants (Pty) Ltd. In 2019, the Company founded Lion Battery Technologies Inc. in partnership with Anglo American Platinum Limited to support the use of palladium and platinum in lithium battery applications.

www.platinumgroupmetals.net



Prospector Portal

Founded in 2020 by Global Mining expert Emily King, Prospector Portal is the industry's first AI-powered platform built to modernize the way global mining data is accessed around the world today.

The large amount of information within NI 43-101 reports has provided a challenge for those seeking key information embedded within the report in a time-effective manner. Our mission is to provide the mining industry with a tool that will optimize time, increase investment opportunities, keep you up to date on real-time news articles published, and much more! We strive to continuously adapt with industry trends by creating features and tools that our users find to be most helpful.

www.prospectorportal.com



Satis Partners SCPA (Lex Africa)

Satis Partners SCPA is fully dedicated to Business Law covering all aspects of Corporate and Tax Law. The profile of the lawyers allows us to cover all the stages of a company's life. Our team is composed exclusively of lawyers specialized in various areas of law. This expertise is reinforced by networking with other resource persons in Africa as external consultants, thus offering a varied quality of service.

Our positioning in the legal market is that of a dynamic alternative to the old practices of the sector. It is in this capacity that the firm has played a central role in the handling of major cases in recent years. This confidence is the result of our seriousness, a guarantee of credibility.

Our firm brings its technical and sectorial skills with the support of a solid network to accompany its clients in their development projects: external growth, international expansion, mergers, spin-offs, outsourcing of services.

Thanks to its experience, our firm has sectoral knowledge in the following areas: telecommunications, energy and mining resources, construction, public works, infrastructure, information technology, insurance, banking, distribution and services.

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www.satispartners.com



The Special Economic Zones Authority (SEZA) Botswana

The Special Economic Zones Authority (SEZA) Botswana; is a newly established institution under the Ministry of Investment Trade and Industry, through the Special Economic Zones Act of 2015. SEZA's mandate is to establish, develop and manage special economic zones (SEZ) in Botswana; create a conducive business environment for both local and foreign investors operating within the SEZs and to facilitate expansion of employment and attainment of economic growth targets.

TARGETED INVESTORS AND DEVELOPERS FOR THE SEZs

- Global Industry Leaders (Export 100% of production)
- Companies that have an appetite to invest in both Africa and SEZs;
- Investors ready to empower the locals through joint ventures; business clusters; backward and forward linkages
- Companies that have potential for high growth, job creation, technology transfer and export.

TARGETED SECTORS

- Agro-Business Water Management Energy
- Financial Services Applied ICT
- Health Manufacturing

PROPOSED SEZs SITES AND USE

- Gaborone:
 - International Diamond & Logistics City
 - International Finance & Technology City
- Lobatse: Meat and Leather City
- Selebi-Phikwe: Base Metal Beneficiation City
- Francistown: Mining & Logistics City
- Palapye: Oil & Gas City
- Tuli Block: Agro-polis City
- Pandamatenga: Agro-polis City

www.seza.co.bw



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As the world's leading inspection, verification, testing and certification company, SGS is recognized as the global benchmark for quality and integrity. With more than 94,000 employees, we operate a network of over 2,600 offices and laboratories around the world. We are the leading service provider to the metals and materials industries, host governments, and key end-use sectors, including automotive, electronics and consumer products. Our services are found at every point of the project lifecycle, from exploration, to production and transportation, through to end-use, recycling, and closure. By partnering with SGS, you can trust that our testing and certification services will help to build a more sustainable, trusted, and profitable business.

www.sgs.com/mining



South Africa Ministry of Mineral Resources & Energy

In 2019, the Department Mineral Resources (DMR) and Department of Energy (DoE) were merged to become one department namely, the Department of Mineral Resources and Energy (DMRE). The Department forms part of the Economic Sectors, Investment, Employment and Infrastructure Development (ESIEID) Cluster which focus on creating a conducive environment for investment, growth and job creation as well as provide for State participation and economic transformation of the country.

The mission of the Department is to regulate, transform and promote the minerals and energy sectors, providing sustainable and affordable energy for growth and development, and ensuring that all South Africans derive sustainable benefit from the country's mineral wealth.

The vision of the Department is to be a leader in the transformation of South Africa through economic growth and sustainable development in the mining and energy sectors.

The Department aims to develop a mineral resources and energy sector that promotes economic growth and development, social equity and environmental sustainability.

Growing a globally competitive and transformed mineral and energy resources sector.

www.dmr.gov.za



Schulich Executive Education Centre

SEEC is a strategic business unit within Canada's leading business school, the Schulich School of Business, York University, providing lifelong learning for the development of professionals and executives. It has earned a reputation as a global leader for its innovative programs and services in variety of industries, including natural resources under its Global Mining Academy.

<https://seec.schulich.yorku.ca/>



TANTALEX Resources Corporation

TANTALEX is a mining company engaged in the acquisition, exploration, development and distribution of Lithium, Cobalt, Tantalum and other high-tech mineral properties in Africa. TANTALEX is currently developing its Manono-Kitotolo Lithium Tailings Project in Manono, DRC with a focus on near term industrial production of cassiterite, tantalum and lithium products. The Company is listed on the Canadian Stock Exchange (symbol: TTX) and the Frankfurt Stock Exchange (symbol: 1T0).

www.tantalex.ca



Tanzania Ministry of Minerals

The Ministry of Minerals (MoM) was established under the Presidential Order published Government Notice (GN) No. 432 dated 20th October, 2017.

The Ministry is mandated to administer and regulate all issues concerning the mining sector in Tanzania. In particular, the Ministry is mandated to formulate and monitor the implementation of mining policies; mines, geophysical and geological surveys; Mining Commission affairs; value addition in mining industry; local content in mining industry; Small Scale Mining Development; performance improvement and development of the human resource. The Ministry is also assigned to monitor the performance of extra ministerial departments, Parastatals Organization, Agencies, Programmes and Projects Operating under the Ministry.

The Ministry oversees five institutions: The Mining Commission, The Geological Survey of Tanzania (GST), the State Mining Corporation (STAMICO), Tanzania Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative (TEITI) and Tanzania Gemological Centre (TGC).

Vision: To be a leading and reputable institution in managing mineral resources for contribution to the national economy and wellbeing of Tanzanians.

Mission: To manage mineral resources effectively and efficiently through sound policy and legal frameworks for the benefits of Tanzanians.

www.madini.go.tz



Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX) and TSX Venture Exchange (TSXV)

Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX) and TSX Venture Exchange (TSXV) are home to more mining companies than any other market in the world. Companies benefit by having greater access to capital, visibility of transactions, analyst coverage, specialized indices and tailored listing requirements for all sizes of companies. 47% of the World's Public Mining Companies are Listed on TSX and TSXV.

www.tmx.com



Vignemont Africa & Partners, LLC

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VFX Financial Plc

When VFX Financial started back in 2001, our mission was to provide customers with the specialist knowledge and experience needed to take advantage of today's volatile global markets. Today, we offer a fast, secure and trustworthy service using some of the most robust technology in the industry. Along with an exceptional level of service, we can offer you a better exchange rate than most of the big banks. VFX Financial has a proven track record, our clients include many well-known investment banks, hedge funds and global institutions.

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