



CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

Date: Thursday, 27 January 2022
Venue: Cape Town Hotel School, Granger Bay, Cape Town + **Virtual Conferencing**
Programme Director: Mr Ryan Ravens, CEO: Accelerate Cape Town

Time	Topics/discussions	Presenters/facilitators
08:45–09:30 (45 min)	Health protocols Registration Refreshments	
09:30–09:45 (15 min)	<i>Introduction by Programme Director</i>	Mr Ryan Ravens CEO: Accelerate Cape Town
09:45–10:00 (15 min)	<i>Welcome and opening address</i>	Prof Chris Nhlapo Vice-Chancellor: Cape Peninsula University of Technology (CPUT)
10:00–10:30 (30 min)	<i>Keynote address:</i> The context of the DHEP in the post-school skills development agenda of the Western Cape	Mr Solly Fourie HoD: Department of Economic Development and Tourism (DEDAT), Western Cape <i>(On behalf of the Premier of the Western Cape)</i>
10:30–10:40 (10 min)	<i>Pledge of support (1)</i>	Prof Dr Arnold van Zyl President: Duale Hochschule Baden-Württemberg
10:40–10:50 (10 min)	<i>Pledge of support (2)</i>	Prof Dr Wolfgang Arens-Fischer Head: Institute for Dual Study Programmes, Hochschule Osnabrück
10:50–11:05 (15 min)	Refreshments Short break	
11:05–11:45 (40 min)	<i>Project status and progress</i>	Dr Antoinette Smith-Tolken Project Director: DHEP Dr Sharman Wickham Research Coordinator: DHEP
11:45–12:00 (15 min)	<i>Discussion</i>	Mr Ryan Ravens CEO: Accelerate Cape Town
12:00–12:15 (15 min)	<i>Online survey</i>	Mr Estian Behrens Stakeholder Relations Coordinator: DHEP
12:15–12:30 (15 min)	Refreshments Short break	
12:30–13:30 (1 hour)	Breakaway session (1): <i>Employers (Industry)</i> (with inputs by German and South African industries)	<u>Lead:</u> Prof Dr Josef Gochermann Hochschule Osnabrück
	Breakaway session (2): <i>Universities (Teaching and learning + Leadership)</i> (with inputs by German and South African faculties)	<u>Lead:</u> Dr Sharman Wickham Research Coordinator: DHEP
13:30–14:15 (45 min)	Lunch break	
14:15–14:45 (30 min)	<i>Feedback from breakaway sessions</i>	Mr Ryan Ravens CEO: Accelerate Cape Town + Breakaway leaders
14:45–14:55 (10 min)	<i>Final summary</i>	Mr Ryan Ravens CEO: Accelerate Cape Town
14:55–15:00 (5 min)	<i>Acknowledgements and vote of thanks</i>	Prof Martin Oosthuizen CEO: Cape Higher Education Consortium (CHEC)
