



## 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Educational Conference

**R 2000 for the 2 days**  
**Virtual conference**

To be held **Virtually** on MS Teams

On 4 & 5 March 2021

**CET and CPD points**  
**will be awarded**

**!! Registration closes on 21 February 2021 !!**

### Day 1

Opening & Welcome	<i>Ernest Grunewald – SARWA President</i>	09:00
<b>Keynote Address</b> What is the current situation, what predictions are there about the future and what needs to be done to sustain the land & rights profession	<i>Dawie Roodt - Chief Economist of the Efficient Group</i>	09:15
Renewables and its Future in the Energy Sector	<i>Rebecca Thomas - Senior Development Manager, Mainstream Renewable Power South Africa</i>	10:15
Annual General Meeting		11:30
How the 4th industrial revolution affects rights of way practitioners and the work we do	<i>Professor Tshilidzi Marwala Vice- Chancellor and Principal from University of JHB</i>	12:45
Practical steps how to expropriate for Eskom land and rights	<i>Liza Brown – Eskom Corporate Specialist (Legal and Compliance)</i>	14:45
Wrap up day 1	<i>Ernest Grunewald</i>	15:45



**Day 2**

Survey and Engineering using a drone and the process how to apply for drone operation	<i>Bronwyn McClement - Optron</i>	08:30
SPLUMA practical steps for applications in the JHB Metro and how is the Metro's allowing for future services	<i>Sabelo Goniwe Mahlangu</i>	09:30
Impact of Covid -19 in the work of right of way practitioner	<i>Busi Buthelezi</i>	10:45
Should Valuers be involved in negotiations and what different valuation methods can be applied for the acquisition of land & rights	<i>Lourens Nel – MD and partner Uniqueco</i>	12:00
How to deal with Relocations and Resettlements, especially of informal settlements in both rural and urban areas	<i>Annah Kawadza – Senior Environmental Advisor - Eskom</i>	13:15
Wrap up day 2		14:15





### Notice:

- A. In the event that Papers or Presenters should change SARWA will ensure that they are replaced with a similar important educational paper and presenter.**
- B. CPD and CET continuous development credits will be awarded to conference attendees who are registered at the SACPVP and SAGC.**
- C. The virtual conference fee of R2000 for the two days includes one year's membership with SARWA. Delegates will receive an email with a link to join the MSTeams Virtual Conference.**
- D. The annual membership fees for the International Rights of Way Association (IRWA) are not included in the conference fee. Delegates who wish to be or continue to be IRWA members can pay these fees in two ways:**
  - 1. Add \$107.75 at the present exchange rates to the R2000 conference fee so that SARWA can do your payment to IRWA or,**
  - 2. Delegates can visit [www.irwaonline.org](http://www.irwaonline.org) and then follow links to pay the \$107.75 directly to the IRWA**

Please send any questions for clarity to [info@sarwa.co.za](mailto:info@sarwa.co.za)

### Who Are We

The South African Rights of Way Association (SARWA) is a professional member organization comprised of public service infrastructure land & rights practitioners. Since its inception as a not-for-profit association in 1998, SARWA served professionals who acquire, manage and transfer the land & rights needed for infrastructure. SARWA is also affiliated as a Regional Partner of the International Right of Way Association (IRWA) where together there are nearly 10,000 members that hail from over 15 countries around the world. These members are united by their profession and their commitment to pursuing training and professional development through courses, chapter meetings, seminars and the annual education conference.

SARWA is a volunteer-driven organization comprised of multi-disciplined professionals employed by private industry and government departments such as:

- Land and Rights acquisition practitioners
- Valuers
- Asset managers
- Engineers
- Environmental specialists
- Lawyers
- Project managers surveyors

- Deed registration experts

We are considered the unsurpassed source of land and rights educational programs, providing education and networking opportunities to differentiate our members in the professional marketplace.

Our industry-specific education and advanced curriculum allows for professional continuous development training which covers Electricity Utilities, Public Departments, Oil & Gas Pipelines and Transportation.

SARWA is in the process to be accredited by SAQA to create industry-wide recognition of our designations and certifications, and to elevate the role of right of way professionals by strengthening their industry relevance.

SARWA is a Voluntary Association of the South African Geomatics Council.

SARWA would like to make a difference in

- the quality standards and ethics throughout the industry and around the globe
- representing projects, landowners and taxpayers to ensure that landowners are treated fairly, equitably and uniformly while completing projects on time and within the budget constraints
- enhancing the quality of lives in the communities we work in, with better and more accessible transportation, energy and utility systems.

**For more information please visit [ww.sarwa.co.za](http://ww.sarwa.co.za)**

**The registration form is a separate attachment**