

# **44<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

**CRESTA MOWANA SAFARI RESORT & SPA**

**KASANE, BOTSWANA, 24 -26 APRIL 2024**



**DRAFT CONFERENCE AGENDA**

**WEDNESDAY, 24 APRIL 2024**

<b>TIME</b>	<b>CONFERENCE ACTIVITY</b>
08:00 - 09:00	Delegates Registration
9:00 - 10:00	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Welcome Industry Remarks and Official Opening</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">-----Group Photo-----</p>
10:00 - 10:30	Morning Networking Coffee & Tea
10:30 - 11:00	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Plenary Session 1</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Self Introductions - All Delegates</li> <li>▪ Adoption of the draft conference agenda</li> </ul>
11:00 - 12:30	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Plenary Session 2</b></p> <p>Identification, assessment, discussion and drafting of conference RECOMMENDATIONS covering and not limited to technology, infrastructure, policy and strategy to address industry needs and challenges.</p>
12:30 - 14:00	Networking Lunch
14:00 - 15:00	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Plenary Session 3</b></p> <p>Identification, assessment, discussion and drafting of conference RECOMMENDATIONS covering and not limited to technology, infrastructure, policy and strategy to address industry needs and challenges.</p>
15:00 - 15:30	Afternoon Networking Coffee & Tea
15:30 - 17:00	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Plenary Session 4</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Review of the Six Year Strategic Plan 2019 – 2024 and extension to 2024 – 2030</b></p> <p>Review how well the approved strategy is still aligned with the vision, mission, and goals, and how well it is performing against indicators and targets. The review of the strategy will include updating, adjusting, or redefining it based on the results of the review and the changes in the industry context.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Review and adoption of the events hosting roster 2024 - 2030</b></p>
18:00 +	<b>Networking Activity to be announced by BoFiNet</b>

## THURSDAY, 25 APRIL 2024

TIME	CONFERENCE ACTIVITY
09:00 - 10:00	<b>Plenary Session 5</b>
	Identification, assessment, discussion and final drafting of conference RECOMMENDATIONS covering and not limited to technology, infrastructure, policy and strategy to address industry needs and challenges.
10:00 - 10:30	Morning Networking Coffee & Tea
10:30 - 12:30	<b>Plenary Session 6</b>
	<b>Your ideas may just change the Industry and the World</b>
	The Future of the Industry is INNOVATION Presentations, demonstrations and discussions
	4 x 30 minutes slots available to speak
12:30 - 14:00	Networking Lunch
14:00 - 15:00	<b>Plenary Session 7</b>
	<b>Your ideas may just change the Industry and the World</b>
	The Future of the Industry is INNOVATION Presentations, demonstrations and discussions
	2 x 30 minutes slots available to speak
15:00 - 15:30	Afternoon Networking Coffee & Tea
15:30 - 17:00	<b>Plenary Session 8</b>

	<p><b>Your ideas may just change the Industry and the World</b></p> <p>The Future of the Industry is INNOVATION Presentations, demonstrations and discussions</p> <p><b>3 x 30 minutes slots available to speak</b></p>
19:00 -+	<b>Networking Activity to be announced by BoFiNet</b>

**FRIDAY, 26 APRIL 2024**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Conference Activity</b>
09:00 - 10:00	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Plenary Session 9</b></p> <p><b>HANDOVER OF THE CHAIRMANSHIP</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Acceptance of the Chairmanship</li> <li>• Chairman's Annual Report</li> <li style="text-align: center;">-----Group Photo-----</li> </ul>
10:00 - 10:30	Morning Networking Coffee & Tea
10:30 - 13:00	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Plenary Session 10</b></p> <p><b>ADOPTION OF THE CONFERENCE FINAL RECOMMENDATIONS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Welcome Remarks by the Chairman</li> <li>▪ Adoption of the CONFERENCE FINAL RECOMMENDATIONS</li> <li>▪ Vote of Thanks</li> <li>▪ Closing Remarks</li> </ul>
13:00 - 14:00	Networking Lunch
14:00 +	<b>Networking Activities to be announced by BoFiNet</b>
	End of Conference