

Geological Society of Zimbabwe





ZIMBABWE MINERAL RESOURCES CONFERENCE 2020

VENUE: SANGO CONFERENCE CENTRE, CRESTA LODGE, HARARE

Pre-conference Field Trip 23 June 2020 **Conference (Harare)** : 24- 25 June 2020 Post -conference Field trip : 26 June 2020

SECOND CIRCULAR AND FINAL CALL FOR PAPERS

Conference Objectives

The 2020 Zimbabwe Mineral Resources Conference and associated field trips will:-

- Highlight the exploration and mining potential in the country.
- Bring together geologists working in research, exploration projects and operational mines to share ideas for more effective exploration.
- Foster the interest of young geologists.

Oral & Poster Presentations

Twenty minutes will be allowed for each oral presentation including five minutes for questions and discussion.

Posters can cover any subject on geology, mining or exploration and be up to AO in size. Students at both local and international universities are encouraged to participate.

Short and Extended Abstracts

Abstracts for oral and or poster presentation are invited from interested contributors.

The abstract should be submitted in Microsoft Word initially, then PDF for final version and up to one single A4 page long. The main text, like the author names should use Times New Roman font, 14 point for the Author names and 12 point for the remainder of the abstract. Paragraphs are justified (straight-edged) on both left and right. Use single-line spacing and leave a line gap between paragraphs. Authors will be advised of the status of their abstracts by the 15 February 2020.

Extended abstracts will be required for all papers and posters accepted for presentation to be published in the Conference Proceedings.

There is no fee for the submission of an abstract, but if you do not register and pay the outstanding registration fee in full by the deadline of 15 March 2020, the abstract will not appear in the programme.

Conference Advertising and Exhibition

Limited exhibition space will be available through out the conference to suppliers and service providers to the mining industry and exploration.

Important Dates

Important Dates to note:

- 30 November 2019 2nd Circular and final call for papers
- 31 January 2020 Submission of abstracts and end of early registration
- 31 March 2020 Notification of acceptance of papers/posters
- 31 April 2020 Third and Final Circular



Registration for Conference

Membership Category	Early Registration Before 31 January 2020	After 31 January 2020
G.S.Z members	ZWL\$3000	ZWL\$3750
Non- Members	ZWL\$3750	ZWL\$4500
Students	ZWL\$750	ZWL\$900
Foreigners	US\$200	US\$250

Field Trips

Two field trips are currently being planned subject to sufficient interest being expressed.

Timing	Dates	Trip	Cost (Locals)	Cost (Foreigners)
1 Day Pre-Confer- ence Platinum	23 June 2020	1 day trip to the Great Dyke, including Zimplats operations – (Hartley Complex) and interesting outcrops	ZWL750	US\$50
1 day Post Confer- ence Lithium	26 June 2020	1 day trip to a Lithium Project (Arcadia Lithium Project) and surrounding geology	ZWL750	US\$50

Please note all fees are subject to change depending on economic developments in the country at the time. The fees include all teas and lunches.

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Banking Details

Geological society of Zimbabwe **First Capital Bank** Kurima House Branch Account Number 2157-6533195 Swift Code BARCZWHX

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Organising Sub-committee

The Geological Society of Zimbabwe 2020 Conference organising sub – committee consists of the following people:

Chairman: Ellah Muchemwa

Secretary, Treasurer and venue Julie Kuhn Sponsorship and advertising Kudzai Musiwa Papers, abstracts, publications Houda Bouammar

Fieldtrips & Website Andrew du Toit and Steve Duma

EX- Officio (Current GSZ Chairman) **Nevison Chikandiwa**

Interested contributors and/or participants are requested to submit abstracts of their proposed papers and/or any enquiries to the Chairman of the Organising Committee at ellah.muchemwa@outlook.com or geol.soc.zimbabwe@gmail.com