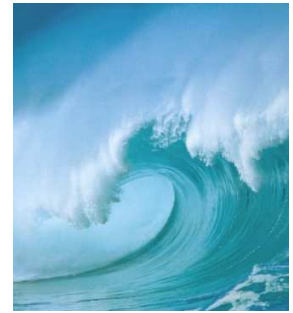


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08:00 – 09:00	Registration
09:00 – 09:10	Opening and Welcome Wikus van Niekerk (Director of the Centre for Renewable and Sustainable Energy Studies, Stellenbosch University)
09:10 – 09:40	Opportunities offered by the IEA implementation agreements for ocean energy to South African research organisation and developers. Thembakazi Mali (Senior Manager Clean Energy, SANERI)
09:40 – 10:10	Financing ocean energy projects. Speaker to be announced (Evolution investment management)
10:10 – 10:40	The importance of being patented – Patents and the role they play in the commercialisation of ocean energy devices. Rowan Joseph (Von Seidels Intellectual Property Attorneys)
10:40 – 11:00	Tea/Coffee
11:00 – 11:30	Ocean energy in South Africa. Deon Retief (Coastal engineering consultant)
11:30 – 12:00	CSIR's role in wave energy development in South Africa. Marius Rossouw (Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, Built Environment)
12:00 – 12:30	The role of the coastal engineering consultant in harnessing ocean energy in South Africa Geoff Smith (Associate of WSP Africa Coastal Engineers)
12:30 – 13:00	Scotrenewables tidal turbine: A case study of developer/institutional collaboration within the Scottish Marine Renewable energy policy framework. Rhydar Harris (Prestedge Retief Dresner Wijnberg Pty Ltd)
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 14:30	Axial flow turbines for ocean current and wave power systems. Theo von Backström (Professor at Stellenbosch University)
14:30 – 15:00	Recent developments in wave energy along the coast of southern Africa James Joubert (Doctoral student at Stellenbosch University)
15:00 – 15:30	Tea/Coffee
15:30 – 16:00	A novel wave pump wave energy converter Edmund Swart (Inventor)
16:00 – 17:00	General discussion and way forward
17:00	Networking with drinks & snacks



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