

SASEC2026

SOUTHERN AFRICAN SUSTAINABLE ENERGY CONFERENCE

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SASEC 2026: Letter from the Chair

Dear Colleagues

I am pleased to invite you to the Southern African Sustainable Energy Conference (SASEC). In 2026, the SASEC community will gather at Skukuza in South Africa, located in the Kruger National Park, one of the world's most diverse and abundant nature and game reserves.

SASEC focuses on research, development, and deployment of methodologies, technologies, and systems within the Southern African context and beyond, related to sustainable energy. The conference offers researchers, engineers, practitioners, decision-makers, and policymakers an opportunity to share and discuss recent developments in the field.



The SASEC 2026 Proceedings will be published in *Springer Proceedings in Energy*. Please use the [full paper template](#) available on the website when preparing your paper, which will be **due on 16 March 2026**. The most common types of papers are full papers (12-15 pages) and short papers (6-11 pages). All papers will undergo a thorough peer-review process.

SASEC 2026 will take place at the stunning Skukuza Conference Centre, from 24-26 June 2026. A pre-conference workshop on technology commercialisation is scheduled for 23 June 2026. Skukuza conveniently has its own domestic airport, with direct flights to and from Johannesburg and Cape Town.

Since Skukuza is a very popular holiday destination, hotel rooms in the Skukuza Safari Lodge have already been reserved well in advance by the SASEC Organising Committee, together with multiple bungalows in the Skukuza Rest Camp. It is **strongly recommended** that you only make use of these reserved accommodation options listed on the SASEC 2026 website and that you [book your accommodation via the website](#) as soon as possible. Because of the distances between camps and the gate times (restrictions on travel outside the camp after dark), it will not be practical to use accommodation anywhere else. You will not want to miss the evening networking events at the Kruger Station Restaurant, the Welcoming Function overlooking the Sabie River, and the Gala Bush Dinner.

We look forward to welcoming you as a speaker, participant, or sponsor at SASEC 2026 in Skukuza – see you from 23-26 June 2026!

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