







2nd INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS CONFERENCE

4-6 February 2025, Paramaribo Assuria Event Center



WELCOME

IBC moves to Suriname for its 2nd edition, taking place from the 4-6 February 2025 in Paramaribo.

Hosted by the Suriname-Guyana Chamber of Commerce, IBC 2025 Suriname focuses on key themes of policy and trade to supercharge local and regional businesses and key topics of energy, infrastructure, manufacturing, agribusiness, finance and technology to unlock economic development. Serving the dual role of strengthening business and partnerships between Suriname and Guyana and connecting the region to the world, IBC ensures both local and international investors and businesses can benefit from the ongoing growth surge and drive sustainable economic growth and long-term prosperity.

The International Business Conference serves as a platform for companies and private and public sector leaders from developing industries to connect and exchange business ideas, promote trade and investment opportunities and build strong partnerships, allowing them to capitalize on the emerging opportunities in both Suriname and Guyana, building a roadmap for the sustainable and resilient transformation of their economies.

The summit is shaped to provide access to market insights, exclusive information and an unmatched network of Surinamese, Guyanese &, regional and international players, to promote and support new investments into these countries and facilitate the ease of doing business by identifying the risks and obstacles that might emerge in these markets, introducing solutions to transform them into thriving economic ecosystems.

Suriname is rapidly becoming an attractive destination for investors due to its burgeoning economy and rich natural resources. The country's diverse emerging sectors, together with its strategic location and favorable trade agreements, position Suriname as a gateway for regional business expansion. With ongoing efforts to build a diversified and resilient economy and improve its infrastructure to support growth, the country is working towards forging a sustainable and stable legacy for generations to come.



WHAT TO EXPECT

The International Business Conference, Suriname is set to deliver a private sector led B2B conference, with three days of key informative and educational sessions covering a range of opportunities and sectors including energy, infrastructure, manufacturing, agribusiness, finance and technology. The event will also host a dedicated business matching area where B2B meetings can be booked in advance by all delegates via the official event app and a private meeting room will be available for partners and sponsors to hire. IBC 2025 also aims to work with bilateral chambers and serve their members and international trade delegations by providing a cross-sector industry conference catering to their needs and objectives.

IBC 2025 IN NUMBERS

IBC 2025, Suriname is designed to serve as the ideal space for Suriname and Guyana to strengthen partnerships, conduct business and close deals, while connecting the region to the world. Delegates will gain access to a unique and essential platform for learning and networking across key arising industries in the region.



REASONS TO ATTEND

Develop

Strategic alliances with stakeholders.

Strengthen

Commercial and diplomatic ties for mutual prosperity.

Participate

In capacity-building Initiatives.

Generate

New leads and exceptional ROI.

Collaborate

With industry leaders.

Unique

Platform for Surinamese and Guyanese firms.

Exchange

Knowledge and ideas.

Gain

Regional and global exposure.

Promote

Trade and investment opportunities.

Conduct

Business Transactions.

Gather

Market intelligence on potential opportunities.

Enjoy

Face to face networking with industry peers.

SECTORS REPRESENTED



Trade



Infrastructure



Agribusiness



Government Services



Manufacturing



Technology



Energy



Financial Services



Legal

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3 days dedicated to market insights and intelligence, networking and deal-making

The three-day executive conference offers a wealth of content for commercially minded companies looking to capitalise on investment, development, and project opportunities in Suriname, Guyana and the region, covering topics and industries such as:

DAY 1

Trade, Policy, Ease of Doing Business & Regional Collaboration

Suriname and Guyana can be their own solution for prosperity. IBC will provide the space to find and explore the roads to attract international investments and trade agreements, enhance regional connectivity, modernize the laws for doing business and map risks and opportunities in an era of economic transformation for the region.

DAY 2

Energy, Infrastructure & the Role of the Public and Private Sectors

Development of the energy sector is crucial to support the transition to sustainable and resilient industries, and the energy procurement process in Suriname is a key element in the functioning of the nation's supply chain. IBC will explore opportunities, projects and challenges in the sector, together with the infrastructure required to support growth and allow reliability and efficiency in the supply chain, while exploring the roles of the public and private sectors in creating value and enhancing economic growth.

DAY 3

Finance, Technology and Local Economies

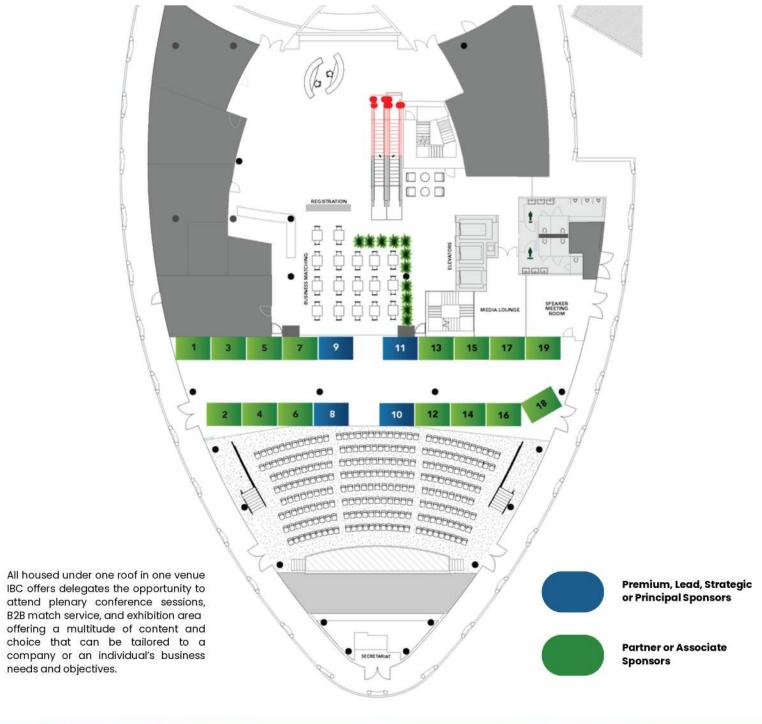
How to attract capital and to link local suppliers with international investors are key to unlock the potential of Suriname and the region. IBC will explore the available resources, together with the later developments in technology and digitalization to enhance the ease of doing business, for both local and international players. This day will also explore projects and opportunities in emerging industries such as renewable energy, agribusiness and manufacturing, key for growth and diversification of the economy.

SPEAKER OPPORTUNITIES

For further information on speaker opportunities at IBC 2025, Suriname, please contact mperez@gep-events.com

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Host & Organisers



Hosted by:

The Suriname-Guyana Chamber of Commerce (SGCC) is your gateway to unlocking growth and opportunities in the dynamic economies of Suriname and Guyana. Founded in 2023, SGCC is dedicated to strengthening economic ties through trade missions, business forums, and networking events. With over 50 members, we offer comprehensive business support services to foster regional cooperation and drive economic growth. Our mission is to facilitate collaboration, promote investment, and create strategic alliances. Join SGCC to enhance your business visibility, access market intelligence, and build partnerships that propel your business forward in Suriname and Guyana's burgeoning markets.



Organised by:

ActionINVEST Caribbean Inc. (ACI), an ISO 9001:2015 certified education institution founded in 2014, is rapidly establishing itself as the premier business education provider in the Caribbean. With a strong foundation rooted in Guyanese origins and bolstered by female leadership, ACI is dedicated to fostering professional and organizational growth. Our action-oriented team based in Guyana and Suriname delivers a comprehensive range of business development services, tailored to meet the needs of entrepreneurial individuals and organizations. ACI also organizes transformational B2B events aimed at generating opportunities and connections, further positioning us as the Caribbean's leading solution for professional advancement and business success.



Organised by:

Global Event Partners Itd is a specialist international event organiser in the oil, gas, energy, financial and infrastructure sectors. Operating a market leading portfolio of events across emerging markets and growth economies with a particular focus on the Americas, Africa, and the Middle East we have a proven track history of serving governments and bringing business communities together to drive investment and development of energy and infrastucture markets. Built on a belief of forging partnerships through events and hosting events in partnership with leading organisations and associations globally we deliver local knowledge and understanding combined with an international audience and a global network and marketing reach.

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Sponsorship Opportunities

Packages can be tailored to suit your requirements, whether you are looking to position yourself as an industry expert through thought leadership, create high level exposure and visibility through branding opportunities or engage with existing customers and develop relationships with new ones through a hosted function or networking opportunity.

PACKAGES	Principal Sponsor	Strategic Sponsor	Lead Sponsor	Premium Sponsor	Sponsor Partner	Associate Sponsor	Digital Sponso
Amount (US\$)	\$30,000	\$25.000	\$20.000	\$15.000	\$10.000	\$5.000	\$2.000
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Exclusive company press release							
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Delegate passes (including speakers)	7	6	5	4	3	2	
Discounts of additional delegate passes	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%
Tabletop display area	3x2 sqm	3x2 sqm	3x2 sqm	3x2 sqm	3x2 sqm	3x2 sqm	
Presentation slot or opportunity to host a	(key location)	(key location)	(key focation)	(key location)			
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Who's Who Suriname Business Directory	Website only	Website only	Website only	Website only	Website only	Website only	Website only
n addition, selected sponsor have the ight to choose options from the below to be included	Select 3	Select 2	Select 2	Select 1	Select 1		
Networking & Functions							
Pre-summit cocktail mixer (TBC)							
Welcome cocktail Day 1 (TBC)		(4)					
Official drinks reception Day 2 (Oxygen Resort)							
Lunch host Day 2 or Day 3		*:					
Coffee breaks on Day 2 or Day 3	*				(*)		
Post conference networking tour		080		*	58		
Branding & promotional items							
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Delegate badges							
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*Packages can be tailored to suit budgets, needs and requirements. Please contact us to discuss a package that is right for you and your business.

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