



CAPE TOWN 2006



COLLOQUIUM  
COMITE MARITIME INTERNATIONAL



## CONFERENCE OVERVIEW

The Comité Maritime International (CMI), now in its second century of promoting the development and harmonisation of maritime laws, convenes a full international conference every three to four years. It has found that in the intervening years there are often pressing and interesting issues that could benefit from international debate. From time to time, and regularly for the past decade, the CMI has thus convened a colloquium for one of the years between full conferences.

The most recent colloquia were held in Toledo and Bordeaux, and attracted between 200 and 300 delegates from all over the world. The gatherings of kindred maritime spirits has on both these last occasions sparked great debate on topical issues such as the continuing development of a new regime for the carriage of goods by sea, general average, marine insurance review and reform, the liability of classification societies, piracy and today's most pressing topics – maritime safety and security and the legal situation relating to damaged and distressed ships.

As the colloquia are run more informally than the conferences, much of the debate takes place at workshops conducted with panellists who are international specialists in their fields. There is ample opportunity for audience participation – vital for the success of the colloquium.

The South Africa Maritime Law Association submitted a bid for Cape Town as the venue for the 2006 Colloquium because it is one of the world's most

beautiful and bountiful cities. Its climate (especially in February) is Mediterranean; its new conference facilities are up with the best in the world; its communications infrastructure is without equal in Africa; its scenery is breathtaking; its wine, spellbinding; and most importantly, its people are friendly and cosmopolitan – yet retain the warmth that is Africa.

The topics for the Colloquium have not yet been finalised. They may well include a review of limitation of liability in shipping, as this is an issue that is not particularly well-defined on the African continent. They will undoubtedly include an update on the draft UNCITRAL/CMI transport convention on the carriage of goods by sea. As distressed ships remain a huge problem off the southern African coast, there may well be debate on the IMO and CMI efforts to produce guidelines for coastal states.

On behalf of all African members of the CMI, South Africa is proud to host the Comité Maritime International.

## CONFERENCE DETAILS

<b>WHEN:</b>	13-15 February, 2006	
<b>WHERE:</b>	Cape Town International Convention Centre	
<b>HOSTS:</b>	International: Comité Maritime International    Local: South African Maritime Law Association	
<b>NUMBER OF DELEGATES:</b>	300 (225 delegates and 75 accompanying persons)	
<b>DELEGATE PROFILE:</b>	Lawyers specialising in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Maritime Law</li> <li>● Shipping</li> <li>● Corporate Law</li> <li>● Academics</li> <li>● International Law</li> </ul>	Corporate Representatives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● International Shipping</li> <li>● Insurance and underwriters</li> <li>● Finance</li> </ul>
<b>DELEGATE BREAKDOWN:</b>	International: 50%    National: 30%    Local: 20%	
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## PLATINUM LEVEL R25 000

PLEASE CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

PLENARY SESSIONS	GALA DINNER
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Branding alongside Comité Maritime International and South African Maritime Law Association in main conference venue (branding supplied by sponsor)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Branding of the Gala Dinner venue (branding supplied by sponsor)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recognition in the conference programme and from the podium</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recognition in order of events, menu and from podium (at Gala Dinner)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exhibition space: 3 x 2 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sponsor's logo on VIP invitations</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sponsor's logo on all promotional material (website, conference programme, newsletters, etc)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exhibition space at conference venue: 3 x 2 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Insert in the delegate pack</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sponsor's logo on all promotional material (website, conference programme, newsletters, etc)</li> </ul>
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DELEGATE BAGS & STATIONERY <b>NEW OPTION</b>	PROGRAMME BOOKLET <b>NEW OPTION</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sponsor's logo on the delegate bag &amp; stationery</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Full page, full colour inside cover advertisement and acknowledgement in program booklet (copy and design by sponsor)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Branding at registration area (branding supplied by sponsor)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tag line branding on the program time table and information pages</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exhibition space: 3 x 2 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exhibition space: 3 x 2 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>
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## GOLD LEVEL R15 000

PLEASE CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

WELCOME RECEPTION	WEBSITE <b>NEW OPTION</b>	DELEGATES & PARTNERS EXCURSION LUNCH, TUESDAY 14TH FEBRUARY <b>NEW OPTION</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Branding of the Welcome Reception venue (branding supplied by sponsor)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prominent 'Home' page logo and acknowledgement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Branding of lunch area (branding supplied by sponsor)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sponsor's logo on VIP invitations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Logo and acknowledgement on all web pages as a footer</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information desk and distribution of promotional materials at lunch</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exhibition space at conference venue: 2 x 2 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exhibition space at conference venue: 2 x 2 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exhibition space at conference venue: 2 x 2 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>
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## SILVER LEVEL R10 000

PLEASE CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

LUNCHES (2 CHOICES: DAY 1 OR DAY 3)	COMBINATION PACK	NEW OPTION
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Branding of lunch area (branding supplied by sponsor)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 teas can be combined to create a silver level</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Information desk and distribution of promotional materials at lunch</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Branded information desk in tea area and distribution of promotional materials (branding supplied by sponsor)</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sponsor's logo on all promotional material (website, conference programme, newsletter, etc)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sponsor's logo on all promotional material (website, conference programme, newsletter, etc)</li> </ul>	
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## BRONZE LEVEL R 7 500

PLEASE CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

REGISTRATION AND INFORMATION DESK	DELEGATE EXCURSION	DELEGATE GIFT
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Branding of registration and information desk (branding supplied by sponsor)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Branding of excursion vehicles and site information brochures (branding supplied by sponsor)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gifts or packaging branded with sponsor's logo (branding supplied by sponsor)</li> </ul>
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## COPPER LEVEL R 5 000

TEA BREAKS (5 CHOICES: 3 MORNINGS AND 2 AFTERNOONS)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Branded information desk in tea area and distribution of promotional materials (branding supplied by sponsor)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sponsor's logo on all promotional material (website, conference programme, newsletters, etc)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Insert in the delegate pack</li> </ul>

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