



2ND ANNUAL IRAN MINING TECHNOLOGY SUMMIT 2018

Upcoming Developments in Exploration, Extraction, Regulations and Financing

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EVENT OVERVIEW

Iran is becoming one of the most preferred trade partner in mining sector post the easing of sanctions in January 2016. It is regarded as one of the booming industry contributing to economic development of Iran due to availability of its vast mining resource in Iran. According to exploratory studies, Iran has 37 billion tons of proven mineral reserves worth \$770 billion. Iran has already attracted over \$5.5 billion in industry and mining. With new development goals by the government plans to attract more \$50 billion foreign investment for the mining sector by 2022 within the framework of its Sixth Five-Year Development Plan (2017-22) which brings increasing potential in mining industry and various regulatory and technological challenges to overcome.

After the success of our inaugural event White Paper Summits is proud to announce the **2nd Annual Iran Mining Technology Summit (IMT)**, scheduled to be held on **6 & 7 May 2018 in Kish Island, Iran**. It aims to bring together various stakeholders like ministries, research institutions and industry specialists to focus on sharing the current market trends, technological advancements and future challenges in mines and mineral exploration sector and create a platform:

	TO REVIEW the current policies and regulations for the mining industry in Iran		TO EVALUATE strategies for adopting and integration of new technologies with existing technologies
	TO ADDRESS the potential and current challenges faced in bringing advanced technologies from foreign countries		TO STUDY the upcoming technology developments in extraction and exploration of minerals
	TO DISCUSS private and foreign funding opportunities		TO FIND partners/business matchmaking and local investment opportunities

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

Mining and mineral exploration policies and regulations	Upcoming mining projects and foreign direct investment (FDI)	Licensing, partnership and joint ventures initiatives	Adoption, integration and implementation of advanced technologies	Mine planning and development	New and advanced technologies for the exploration and extraction of minerals
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WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

ATTENDEE PROFILE

- ✓ **Heads of State, Heads of Government, Ministers and Public-Sector Policy Makers**
- ✓ **Exploration and Mining companies, Financial Institutions and Investors**
- ✓ **Industry Leaders, Decision Makers, Entrepreneurs, Investors and Industry Professionals**
- ✓ **Researchers and Innovators**

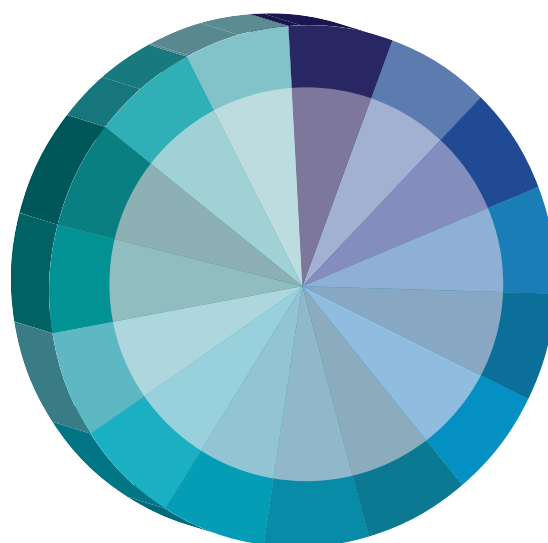
BY FUNCTION:

- Mining and Mining Engineering
- Mineral Exploration
- Mine Development
- Geoscience
- Metallurgy
- Environment and Safety
- Facilities Engineering
- Resources Development
- Functional Materials
- Financial/ Investment Consultants
- Drilling and Excavation
- Research and Development
- Technology Developers and Consultants
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- Water Management, Equipment and Services



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DAY - 1

6 May 2018

08:00 REGISTRATION

08:45 WELCOME NOTE FROM WHITE PAPER SUMMITS

08:55 OPENING REMARKS FROM THE CHAIRPERSON

09:00 KEYNOTE: Evaluating future growth plans and prospects of the mining industry in Iran

09:20 Solution Provider Presentation, please contact Harsh Chhabra harsh@wpsummits.com for further details.

09:40 PANEL DISCUSSION: Analysis of the regulatory environment and policies in the mining industry



- Developing legal and compliance policies for Mining in Iran
- Licensing, partnership and joint ventures initiatives
- Tax free window and exemptions to new mining investments

10:10 COFFEE BREAK AND NETWORKING

10:40 Solution Provider Presentation, please contact Harsh Chhabra harsh@wpsummits.com for further details.

11:00 Reviewing the regulatory perspective of the mining industry for trade relations and engagement with other countries

11:20 Solution Provider Presentation, please contact Harsh Chhabra harsh@wpsummits.com for further details.

11:40 Understanding the role of the mining industry in improving Iran's economy

12:00 PANEL DISCUSSION: Investment models and partnership options for mining sector in Iran



- Private and Foreign Funding Opportunities
- Global financing models for different mining projects
- How can Iranian Mining Companies join the global markets?

12:30 PRAYER BREAK AND NETWORKING COFFEE

13:00 Opportunities and challenges in attracting new private capital to the mining industry

13:20 Solution Provider Presentation, please contact Harsh Chhabra harsh@wpsummits.com for further details.

13:40 Role of Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) in future growth and development of the mining industry in Iran

14:00 Analyzing and evaluating innovative financing and right financial framework for Iran's mining market

14:20 CLOSING REMARKS BY CHAIRPERSON

14:25 NETWORKING LUNCH

END OF DAY 1

DAY - 2

7 May 2018

08:30 REGISTRATION

08:45 WELCOME NOTE FROM WHITE PAPER SUMMITS

08:55 OPENING REMARKS FROM THE CHAIRPERSON

09:00 KEYNOTE: Assessing key technological challenges and opportunities in Iran mining industry

09:20 Solution Provider Presentation, please contact Harsh Chhabra harsh@wpsummits.com for further details.

09:40 PANEL DISCUSSION: Implementation and adoption of advanced technologies into the mining industry



- Identifying key technology requirements of Iranian Mining
- Introducing efficient technologies for improving productivity
- Analyzing new and advanced technologies for the exploration and extraction

10:10 COFFEE BREAK AND NETWORKING

10:40 Discuss the challenges and potential in integrating existing technologies with upcoming technologies in mining

11:00 Solution Provider Presentation, please contact Harsh Chhabra harsh@wpsummits.com for further details.

11:20 Developing risk management framework, methods and tools for identifying, assessing, mitigating, monitoring various operational risks

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12:00 PANEL DISCUSSION: Importance of mine planning and development



- Developing best practice methods
- Mine planning and mining methods for efficient exploration and extraction of resources
- Next generation optimization methods

12:30 PRAYER BREAK AND NETWORKING COFFEE

13:00 Solution Provider Presentation, please contact Harsh Chhabra harsh@wpsummits.com for further details.

13:20 Emerging mine planning concepts and strategic resource development, resource and reserves estimation

13:40 Strategic mine planning processes and the next generation optimization methods

14:00 Integration of IT, telecommunication and automation in Mining for increasing the productivity

14:20 CLOSING REMARKS BY CHAIRPERSON

14:25 NETWORKING LUNCH

END OF CONFERENCE