

Urbanization in Africa

Investing in New Cities & Infrastructure

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Lou Casteou Academy, Cote d'Azur, France

Join the world's leading experts on African urban development and finance to debate and help shape the continent's cities for the 21st Century.

Held annually on the Cote d'Azur adjacent to Cannes, Investing in New Cities is the **invitation only** Africa networking event for the international urbanization, construction, real estate, finance and legal communities. The Investing in New Cities Initiative brings together current and future partners looking to create Africa's cities of tomorrow.



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Booking Detail

For enquiries and registration please contact Judy Lane Events at +44 [0]1202 699 488 or office@judylaneconsulting.com

FEF: € 1,650 + VAT [includes transport from Nice or Cannes, champagne reception, gala dinner, lunch and coffee breaks]

EarlyBird Discount: € 1,500 + VAT

Earlybird Group Discount: € 1,300 + VAT per person



« Whilst the West, in particular Europe has become economically stagnant, emerging markets are where 90% of opportunities lie and Africa has the greatest potential of all »

Why this event?

Investing in New Cities offers a unique opportunity for those specifically interested in African development to exchange new ideas, share thoughts on the current opportunities and challenges, and build new business networks. Now is the time to invest in Africa, experts say, as 9 of the 15 countries with the highest 5 year growth rate are in Africa and the continent is urbanizing at a higher rate than India. Africa is becoming too big for investors to ignore.

Format

Investing in New Cities brings together a specially invited audience of senior representatives from corporates, financial institutions and investors, as well as business and legal advisers. Over the day and a half program, participants will share their thoughts and experiences on investments in Africa. Instead of formal speeches, there will be a series of expert briefing sessions within a highly participatory Question & Answer format.

Participants

Investing in New Cities is an invitation only event. The participants from around the world share a common interest in the current opportunities as African Governments look to build new cities and expand current urban centres, be they banks and financial institutions, developers, construction companies or consultants. Representatives from the key new projects will be participating. For those attending with guests, an optional social program will be available which will include local sights such as St. Tropez or Antibes plus attendance at the Gala Dinner.

Venue

Lou Casteou Academy is a groundbreaking new leadership centre close to Cannes on the Cote d'Azur. Until recently a major private residence, set within 5 acres of parkland and with views over the Esterel mountains and the Bay of St. Tropez, the Academy provides the perfect backdrop for business retreats and leadership training for major institutions and international businesses. Since its official opening in 2010 the Academy has attracted participants from across Africa, Asia, Europe and the US.

Host Organisations

Investing in New Cities is being hosted by a consortium of organisations under the Emerging Markets Intelligence umbrella. Each publishes and organises networking events within investment and regulation in emerging markets. Over the last 5 years alone the host organisations have between them organised over 100 seminars and conferences across the major international cities, such as Buenos Aires, Cannes, Chicago, Dublin, London, Lisbon, Madrid, New York, Prague, Rio de Janeiro, Singapore, Vancouver and Washington. Participants have attended from the world's leading business names.