

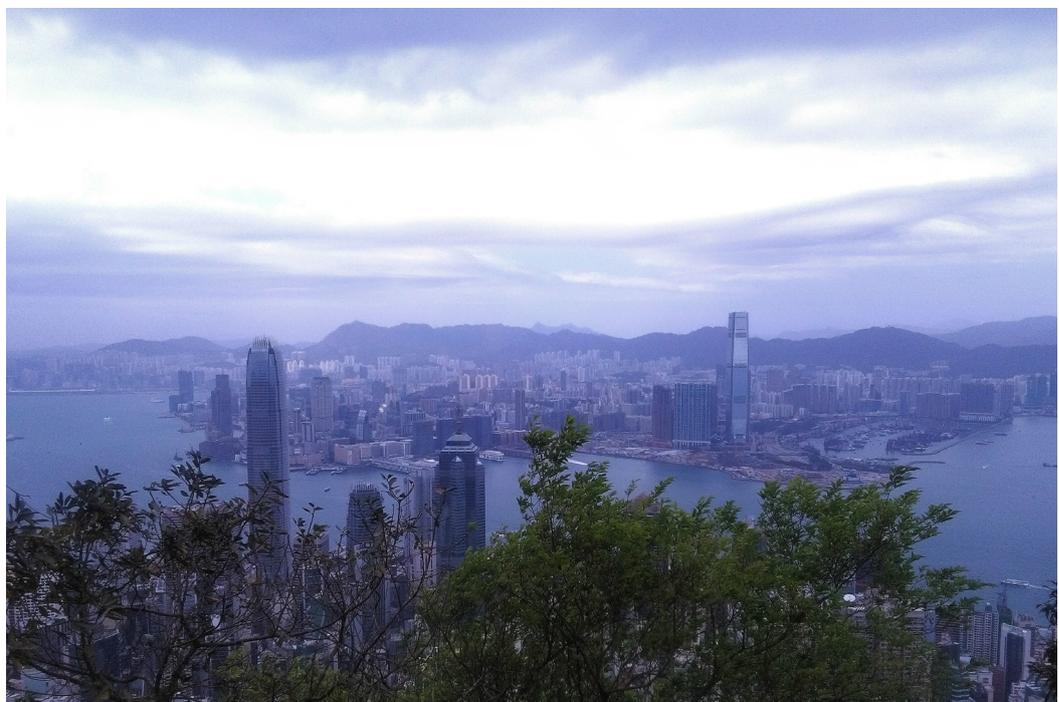


Wool for Future Markets

Pre-Congress Day: Sunday, 13 May 2018

Venue: Kowloon Shangri-La, Hong Kong

Time	Specialty Meetings	Location
14.00 – 17.00	Registration	TBC
09.00 – 13.00	Executive Committee Meeting (ExCom Members only)	Kowloon Room II
10.30 – 11.45	Product Wellness Working Group (IWTO Members only)	Kowloon Room I
12.00 – 13.15	Wool Trade Biosecurity Working Group (IWTO Members only)	Kowloon Room I
12.00 – 13.15	Wool Sheep Welfare Working Group (IWTO Members only)	TBC
13.30 – 14.45	Sustainable Practices Working Group (IWTO Members only)	Kowloon Room I
13.30 – 14.45	Contracts and Specifications Working Group & C&S Steering Committee Meeting (C&S Committee only)	Kowloon Room II
15.00 – 16.15	Licensing Panel Meeting (Licensing Panel Members only)	Kowloon Room II
15.00 – 16.15	Growers Meeting (by invitation only)	Kowloon Room I
16.30 – 17.30	Heads of Delegation Council Meeting (HOD only – voting)	Kowloon Room I
18.00 – 19.30	Happy Hour (all delegates and partners)	Ballroom Foyer
20.00 – 22.00	Young Professionals Dinner (Young Professionals, Mentors and Invited Guests only)	TBC



Day 1: Monday, 14 May 2018

Venue: Grand Ballroom, Kowloon Shangri-La, Hong Kong

Time	Session
06.30 – 07.30	Optional: Kowloon Run-Walk-Tai Chi on the Promenade Meet in the hotel lobby
08.30 – 17.00	Registration & Enquiries
09.00 – 10.30	Formal Opening Session 1. Liezel Van Der Westhuizen, Moderator 2. Peter Ackroyd, President, IWTO 3. Keynote Speaker TBC
10.30 – 11.00	Morning Tea/Coffee
11.00 – 13.00	Market Intelligence Forum: Outlook and Trends in Wool (Organised by the Market Intelligence Committee) 1. Chris Wilcox, Market Intelligence Committee Chair Speakers TBC 2. Panel Discussion with Q&A Offering insight into wool production trends and the drivers of demand along the wool pipeline, the Market Intelligence Forum explores the highlights of the 2016/17 season.
13.00 – 14.00	Networking Lunch
14.00 – 15.00	Contracts and Specifications Committee & Technical Groups (Part I) (Organised by the C & S Committee – technical submission required) Committee Chair: Michael Jackson, Managing Director, AWTA Committee Secretary: David Crowe, Research & Technical Manager, AWTA The Contracts & Specifications Committee reviews proposed changes to IWTO test methods for the measurement of wool fibre, yarn and fabric properties, IWTO regulations concerning sampling and certification procedures, and the IWTO arbitration agreement. The Raw Material Group and the Product Group report to this Committee. Innovations & Technology Forum This forum explores the latest advances in wool technology from around the world, through presentations of wool – related academic research and technological developments.
15.00 – 15.30	Afternoon Tea/Coffee
15.00 – 15.30	Young Professionals Afternoon Tea with the President

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15.30 – 16.30	Contracts and Specifications Committee & Technical Groups (Part II) Raw Materials Group Committee Chair: Wian Heath, Managing Director, WTBSA, South Africa Product Group Committee Chair: Wian Heath, Managing Director, WTBSA, South Africa
19.00-22.00	Free Evening

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Day 2: Tuesday, 15 May 2018

Venue: Grand Ballroom, Kowloon Shangri-La, Hong Kong

Time	Session
06.30 – 07.30	Optional: Kowloon Run-Walk-Tai Chi on the Promenade Meet in the hotel lobby
08.30 – 17.00	Registration & Enquiries
09.30-10.30	Made in Hong Kong – Wool fashion trends for young designers
10.30 – 11.00	Morning Tea/Coffee
11.00-12.30	Sustainability through Wool Textiles
12.30-13.30	Networking Lunch
13.30-14.30	Wool in Future Markets – Retail and fashion trends
14.30-15.00	Afternoon Tea/Coffee
15.00-16.10	Wool in Future Markets, Continued
16.10-16.45	Campaign for Wool Update Peter Ackroyd, COO, Campaign for Wool
19.00-22.00	Formal Dinner

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Day 3: Wednesday, 16 May 2018

Venue: Grand Ballroom, Kowloon Shangri-La, Hong Kong

Time	Session
06.30 – 07.30	Optional: Kowloon Run-Walk-Tai Chi on the Promenade Meet in the hotel lobby
08.30-09.00	Contracts & Specifications Committee (Voting)
09.00-10.00	IWTO General Assembly (Voting)
10.00-11.00	Health & Wellness
11.00-11.30	Morning Tea/Coffee
11.30-12.30	Wool Interiors
12.30 – 13.15	Closing Session Congress 2019 Preview Closing words from IWTO President
13.30-14.45	Networking Lunch
15.00-18.00	Free Afternoon
18.30-22.00	Optional - Informal evening at the Happy Valley Racecourse

Optional: Thursday, 17 May 2018

Dragon's Back Hike

Time	Session
09.00-15.00	Hike the Dragon's Back with a local guide. Medium level of fitness required: total length 5.5 km, some hills. Coach, lunch, and English-speaking guide provided. Hiking shoes/boots required.