

HEFMA 2026 CONFERENCE

Preliminary Programme



12 – 15 OCTOBER 2026 | UNIVERSITY OF BOTSWANA | GABORONE, BOTSWANA

THEME: MATURITY OF FACILITIES MANAGEMENT IN HIGHER EDUCATION

SUNDAY 11 OCTOBER 2026	MONDAY 12 OCTOBER 2026	TUESDAY 13 OCTOBER 2026	WEDNESDAY 14 OCTOBER 2026	THURSDAY 15 OCTOBER 2026
DAILY FOCUS THEME INSTITUTIONAL LEADERSHIP & GOVERNANCE	DAILY FOCUS THEME STRATEGY, GOVERNANCE AND PROFESSIONALISATION	DAILY FOCUS THEME PEOPLE, OPERATIONS, SAFETY & CAMPUS EXPERIENCE, INFRASTRUCTURE, ASSET & LIFECYCLE MANAGEMENT	DAILY FOCUS THEME DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION, SMART CAMPUS INNOVATION, SUSTAINABILITY, CLIMATE & RESOURCE EFFICIENCY, INFRASTRUCTURE ASSET & LIFECYCLE MANAGEMENT	DAILY FOCUS THEME INFRASTRUCTURE EXCELLENCE & HEFMA GOVERNANCE
All Day HEFMA Executive Committee Meeting	07:00 – 08:15 Registration	08:00 – 08:30 Arrival	08:00 – 08:30 Arrival	08:00 – 08:30 Arrival
17:00 – 19:00 Institutional Members Forum (IMF) and Executive Meeting	08:30 – 17:00 Technical Conference Sessions <i>Strategy, Governance and Professionalisation</i>	08:30 – 17:00 Technical Conference Sessions <i>People, Operations, Safety & Campus Experience, Infrastructure, Asset & Lifecycle Management</i>	08:30 – 15:30 Technical Conference Sessions <i>Digital Transformation, Smart Campus Innovation, Sustainability, Climate & Resource Efficiency, Infrastructure Asset & Lifecycle Management</i>	08:30 – 14:00 Technical Conference Sessions <i>Infrastructure Excellence & HEFMA Governance</i>
	18:30 – 20:00 Welcome Cocktail Function <i>(All Delegates)</i>	18:30 – 21:00 Stakeholders Dinner <i>(Institutional Members, International Delegates, Sponsors, Business Partners & DHET)</i>	15:30 – 16:30 Campus Tour & Official Group Photograph	14:00 – 16:00 Annual General Meeting <i>(Institutional Members & HEFMA EXCO)</i>
			18:00 – 22:00 Conference Braai <i>(All Delegates)</i>	18:00 – 00:00 Gala Dinner <i>(All Delegates, Sponsors, International Delegates & Business Partners)</i>
				