



## Trade & Industrial Policy Strategies (TIPS) and the Green Economy Coalition (GEC)

invite you to a Development Dialogue on:

### Water and Industrial Development

Tuesday 21 August 2018

9:30 – 13:00

9:30 – 9:45 Opening and Welcome, Chantal Ramcharan-Kotze (WRC)

9:45 – 12:00 Presentation and discussion of research findings

- **Global water and sanitation market dynamics: Implications for South Africa's industrial development**, Gaylor Montmasson-Clair (TIPS)
- **Desalination in South Africa: Panacea or peril for industrial development?**, Muhammed Patel (TIPS)

Tea break

- **Opportunities and constraints for next generation sanitation and industrial development in South Africa**, Shakespear Mudombi (TIPS)
- **Protection and unlocking job creation through water stewardship**, Mike Ward (CSV)

12:00 – 13:00 Discussion, facilitated by Chantal Ramcharan-Kotze (WRC)

13:00: Lunch

#### Background

Water is considered the most precious and, at the same time, the most wasted natural resource. From a trade and industry perspective, water and sanitation are intertwined with technology, industrial and economic development. Water security and access to modern water and sanitation services rely on technology and industrial development, while industrial development, and more broadly, economic development, depend on water security and modern water and sanitation services. The centrality of water and sanitation drives a spectrum of activities to provide safe, affordable and modern access to water and sanitation services to all. This Development Dialogue aims to discuss the interplay between South Africa's industrial development and water management, looking at water and sanitation issues in the country as both a potential inhibitor and driver of industrial development, employment creation and sustainable development.

**Date:** Tuesday 21 August 2018

**Time:** 09h30 – 13h00

**Venue:** TIPS Boardroom, 234 Lange Street, Nieuw Muckleneuk, Pretoria

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**About the Development Dialogue Seminar Series:** The objective of the seminar series is to provide a platform to share views and ideas on development and policy issues. These seminars are geared towards individuals that are involved in the policy development process. To access the presentations of seminars which have already taken place, visit the TIPS website under [events](#).

