



## **Invitation: Virtual Manager Training Programme**

Eastern Cape Development Corporation (ECDC) invites Eastern Cape business in various sector to participate at The Virtual Manager Training Programme. The Training Manager Programme of the Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy (BMWi) under the slogan 'Fit for Partnership with Germany'. The Manager Training Programme provides the participating managers with possibility to become familiar with the German market and to establish business relations with German companies and build long-term partnerships. The tailored training in Germany strengthens specific management competencies. Specialist discussion on site at German companies impart examples of good business practice. Direct business contact provide access to the German market.

### **Targeted sectors:**

The Programme is targeted at business manager's from South Africa particularly those from small and medium-sized enterprizes, participating managers will receive an 8 week Programme with a training on business competencies and economic cooperation with German companies middle and upper level managers from South African business, which have foreign trade potential and stable management structure. In principle, it is open to all economic sectors.

### **Conditions of Participation**

The participants have an academic degree, several years of work and management experience. They also possess solid business skills and have a good command of English language.

Entities that wish to participate in this training should apply.

Application enquiries should be directed to **Linda Lubengu**, email [llubengu@ecdc.co.za](mailto:llubengu@ecdc.co.za)/**Asisipho Fihlani**, email [afihlani@ecdc.co.za](mailto:afihlani@ecdc.co.za) . The closing date for applications is, **Monday 30 January 2023.**

# Manager Training Programme

of the German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy

## APPLICATION FORM

Please fill out this form in **English** using [only Adobe Reader](#)

### 1. CANDIDATE DATA

#### Personal details

First name *(as written in passport)*

Last name *(as written in passport)*

Date of birth *(dd/mm/yyyy)*

Gender

International passport number

Date of expiry *(dd/mm/yyyy)*

#### Contact Data

Street and Number

Postal code

City

Region

Country

Telephone private

Telephone office

Mobile

Skype

Email private

Email office

#### Education

Name of university

Subject & degree obtained

Years (from-to)

#### Participation in other training programmes

Name of institution

Name of programme

Year

Duration

#### Foreign language skills

English

*basic*

*good*

*fluent*

*none*

German

Other languages

#### Current employment

Position

Department

Responsibilities

Number of direct subordinates

Years of employment

## 2. COMPANY DATA

### Company details

Name of company Year of foundation

Company Address City

Region Company website

### Company description

Type of ownership Private ownership Other (please specify)

State owned company

Mixed form of ownership (private & state)

Legal form Is the company part of a holding?

Yes No

Number of employees Annual turnover (€) Company's share in export (%)

Main type of business Manufacturing Other (please specify)

Trading

Services

### Economic sector

Statistical classification of economic activity

Branch 1

Branch 2 (optional)

Branch 3 (optional)

Products / services and their percentage of company's annual output *Name the main products / services which the company produces / provides*

*Percentage*

%

%

%

### 3. PROGRAMME PARTICIPATION DETAILS

#### Company goals and objectives for your participation in the programme

Please state the form of cooperation, your company is (mainly) planning in Germany (several ticks possible)

import	export	distribution	founding of Joint Venture
subcontracting	licensing	franchising	exhibition/ trade fair

other forms of cooperation, please specify:

Please describe your motivation for applying for the programme and the objectives of your company for economic cooperation with Germany. Refer to the answer(s) given above.

Please describe recent challenges in your field of business

Cooperation project / cooperation aims in Germany

