

WDSC 2012



11th WORLD DOWN SYNDROME CONGRESS
CAPE TOWN SOUTH AFRICA

Cape Town International Convention Centre South Africa

15-17th August 2012



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VENUE

- Cape Town International Conference Centre (CTICC)
www.capetownconvention.com
- Cape Town is considered to be one of the most beautiful cities in the world. (Recently voted No 1 - the most beautiful city in the world by Tripadvisor) www.tripadvisor.com



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PRE CONFERENCE INDABA – 14TH AUGUST 2012

- INDABA is an African Zulu word meaning “A council at which people meet to discuss important issues”
- 1 day workshop for adults with Down syndrome;
- UN Special Rapporteur invited to participate and feedback to main congress;
- If registered for main congress participation in the INDABA is free (only for people with Down syndrome);
- Purpose of INDABA is to give participants an opportunity to discuss issues that relate to them and to meet their peers from all over the world



THEME - "BIG 5"

- **RIGHTS** - promoting, protecting and ensuring the full and equal enjoyment of all human rights and fundamental freedom.
- **EDUCATION** - Ensuring that all disabled children and young people can fully participate in an inclusive education system.
- **EMPLOYMENT** -promoting the right to work, on an equal basis with others, including the rights to gain a living by work freely chosen or accepted.
- **SOCIAL PARTICIPATION** - Removing attitudes and environmental barriers that hinder full and effective participation in society.
- **HEALTH** - promoting access to the same range, quality and standards of free or affordable healthcare as provided to other persons.

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TOURS FOR ACCOMPANYING PERSONS PROGRAMME

- There will be tours available for persons not participating in the conference.

Such as trip to Robben Island, Table Mountain, Wine Farms, Citi hop on, hop off bus tours...etc

- Also pre and post conference tours available for all.

In addition to the above there will also be options for Safari's etc...

