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INVITE TO TMA SOUTHERN AFRICA MONTHLY TECHNICAL TOPIC:

### **SMALL BUSINESS TURNAROUNDS**

By Colin Bachelor, M.I.Mech. E., B.Sc. (Eng)., Hons., A.C.G.I.

Briefly covers:

There is no shortage of advice and assistance for starting a small business, but what do you do if your established business loses money and starts to get into difficulty? With particular emphasis on the special circumstances of a small business owner. This practical talk will offer advice on how to avoid common mistakes and what to do when faced with an impending crisis.

Highlights from Colin's career:

- Colin is a Chartered Mechanical Engineer with over twenty-five years international business experience. He has been involved in numerous management led turnarounds with small and medium sized businesses. He is a Director of Phetiso Enterprise Development (Pty) Limited, a company that specialises in business development for SME's.

**Date:** Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> Aug 2006

**Time:** Social from 17h30 for Talk from 6.30pm

**Venue:** Wits Business School, 2 St David's Place, Parktown

**Cost:** R50 for TMA members, R100 per person for non-members

Snacks will be served and a cash bar will be available.

Please feel free to forward this invite to colleagues and clients who may be interested in turnarounds.

Please **RSVP** by Monday 28<sup>th</sup> Aug 2006 to [admin@tma-sa.com](mailto:admin@tma-sa.com)

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