

SATIS 2026 Guest Speaker



Martin L. Kingston |
Executive Chairman,
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Martin Kingston is currently the Executive Chairman, Rothschild Co South Africa (Ltd and Partner of the Rothschild Co Group with responsibility for Africa Prior to joining Rothschild Co in 2007 Martin worked at Morgan Grenfell, advancing to Executive Chairman and Head of Global Banking, Deutsche Bank, South Africa

Martin has over four decades of global experience in Investment Banking and Capital Markets across a number of key economic sectors with a particular focus on Corporate Finance in the private and public sector His geographical experience includes responsibility for activities in Latin America the former Soviet Union Africa (with a particular focus on South Africa and Southern Africa) and the UK In addition, he has advised on several transactions in North America, Australasia, the Far East, the Indian sub-continent and Western Europe.

Outside of investment banking, Martin has been and continues to be extensively involved in organised business and its interface with Government In this capacity Martin is currently the Chair of Steering Committee of Business for SA, Chair of the Resource Mobilisation Fund and a Board Member of the Localisation Support Fund and was special adviser to the Solidarity Fund, established to address South Africa's response to Covid 19 Martin previously served on the Boards of Business Unity South Africa, the Financial Sector Charter Council, where he chaired the Co ordinating Committee and the International Bankers Association, which he chaired

KEY AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Investment banking, capital markets and corporate finance across public and private sectors.
- Global transaction advisory experience across Africa, Europe, the Americas, Asia and Australasia.
- Business leadership, government interface and resource mobilisation for national economic priorities.

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Martin Kingston brings a strategic investment and business-government perspective on how capital mobilisation, corporate finance and cross-sector collaboration can support tourism-led growth and economic resilience.