

# 8th World Copper Conference

31 March to 2 April 2009, Grand Hyatt, Santiago, Chile

CRU's 8th World Copper Conference will take place **31 March - 2 April in Santiago, Chile**. CRU has once again assembled an international faculty of industrialists and economists for two days of intense debate and discussion on the most pertinent issues confronting the global copper industry, including the ramifications of the new macro economic climate.

The Copper industry finds itself in a volatile market with a tough year predicted for 2009. How far will the prices fall, can the industry move back towards a balance and when is this economic downturn likely to end? These are only a few questions industry decision makers have to understand in order to formulate a strategy for survival and/or opportunity.

The conference agenda is now confirmed - with presentations by the following experts in the field:

- Nick Morgan, CEO, CRU Group
- Jorge Bande, Director, CESCO
- Jose Pablo Arellano, President and CEO - Codelco-Chile
- Diego Hernández, President, BHP Billiton
- Robert Friedland, Executive Chairman - Ivanhoe Mines Ltd
- Jon Barnes, Principal Consultant – Copper Fabricating CRU Analysis
- Javier Targhetta, Senior Vice President Marketing and Sales/President - Freeport McMoRan Gold & Copper/ Atlantic Copper
- Carlos Risopatron, Head of Environment and Economics - International Copper Study Group
- Adam Rowley, Executive Director - Commodities Research Macquarie Securities (Europe) Ltd
- Jeremy Goldwyn, Business Developer - Sucden UK Ltd
- Rodrigo Andai, Director – Mincom
- Juan Ignacio Guzman, Senior Consultant - CRU Strategies, Santiago
- Tim Smith, Vice President, Copper - SNC-Lavalin
- Julian Ford, Managing Director - Zambezi Resources
- Ana Zúñiga, Research and Policy Planning Director - Chilean Copper Commission (COCHILCO)
- Jim Southwood, President - CRU I Price Risk Management
- Joanne Peacock, Research Manager - British Sulphur Consultants
- Gianni Kovacevic, Corporate Development - Global Opportunities AG
- Eric Garrison, Commercial Director – Latin America - C. Steinweg (Brasil) Ltda

View the full agenda on the website <http://www.worldcopper09.com>

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## PRESS COVERAGE:

As a journalist, you would be very welcome to attend on a complimentary basis. If you would be interested, please let me know and I will arrange your complimentary registration as an accredited press member. In return for your free place, we ask that you include these dates in your advance

conference diary and any pre- and post-editorial coverage in your publication/website. Please contact <mailto:jenny.barlow@crugroup.com> to enquire about press places at the conference.

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