**INVITATION**

Nominations are called for the

**Fibre Processing & Manufacturing SETA International Leadership Development Programme 2016/2017**

***Creating new leaders through cutting-edge thinking, design and innovation***

An invitation is hereby extended to the FP&M SETA constituencies and stakeholders in the following FP&M industry sub-sectors: Clothing, Textiles, Footwear, Leather, Forestry, Furniture, Wood products, General Goods, Packaging, Printing, Print Media, Publishing and Pulp and Paper. Candidates with at least 5 years middle management experience leading to at least 3-5 years senior executive experience in the area of their expertise including excellent all-level interpersonal, communication skills, as well as developed leadership ability with an entrepreneurial outlook.

The invitation is to nominate candidates for the FP&M SETA's International Leadership Development Programme which will give opportunities to 25 candidates from Historically Disadvantaged Groups as articulated in the B-BBEE Act, Section 9(4). Candidates are to be capacitated in the areas of entrepreneurship, leadership, manufacturing processes design and innovation.

This intensive programme will be facilitated by senior faculty from the Gordon Institute of Business Science (GIBS) in South Africa as well as ESMT in the Germany and CKGSB in China. It will be executed in South Africa (20 days) and with different groups travelling to either Germany or China for the international immersion component (10 days approximately).

The programme overview, selection criteria and nomination forms can be downloaded from [**www.fpmseta.org.za**](http://www.fpmseta.org.za)**. The following information must be provided to be considered:** (1) Nomination letter (2) Detailed CV (3) Certified and clearly legible copies of ID and passport (4) Written motivation letter by the prospective candidate (5) Motivation letter by Manager (6) Application form (7) Proof of qualifications.

**Please send all above quoting REF:ILDP 02/2016 to e-mail:** **recruitment@fpmseta.org.za** **or post applications to: The HR Manager, FP&M SETA, P. O. Box 31276, Braamfontein, 2017**

**The closing date for applications is 15 June 2016.**

It must be noted that space is limited to the FP&M SETA subsectors and stakeholders/constituencies are not allowed to nominate more than two (2) candidates

The candidate’s interviews are anticipated to take place from the last week of July 2016

For further information or queries, contact Ms. Sophie Tiro, HR Division at (011) 403 1700. Shortlisted candidates must ensure that they have a valid South African Identity Document and Passport. They must also be willing to avail themselves for selection procedures on a date, venue and time identified by FP&M SETA and GIBS.