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Dear SAIRAC Members & Industry Associates,

You are invited to our Cape Town Centre Technical Talk on Monday, 18 May 2026.

TOPIC: Dehumidifiers – Types of dehumidifiers & selection for applications – presented by Ralph Raad



Ralph Raad is a Mechanical Engineer & Director at CFW and application engineer for fans and dehumidifiers and has more than 25 years of experience with dehumidification applications. His career spans roles in design of environmental control systems, industrial ventilation and various drying applications. He brings knowledge of dehumidification applications and considerations for the choice of dehumidifier and value engineering aspects related to dehumidification design. Ralph has been holding a Pr Eng since 1997.

Ralph is driven by a passion for engineered performance and value engineering.

Who Should Attend

- HVAC Engineers / HVAC Consultants
- Facility / Plant Engineers (Cold Stores, Food & Beverage, Pharma, etc.)
- HVAC-R Contractors & System Integrators

Attendees Will Gain

- Clear understanding of dehumidification options
- Insight into criteria used for selecting the appropriate dehumidifier for an application
- Improved understanding of the value engineering aspects associated with dehumidifier selection
- Awareness of equipment limitations
- Reliability considerations
- Confidence in specifying an appropriate dehumidifier

Venue: Parow Golf Club – Frans Conradie Road - Parow

Date & Time: 18 May 2026 @ 18h00 for 18h30

Snacks will be provided, and Cash Bar facility will be available

Please send **RSVP** to: capetownsecretary@sairac.co.za on/by **15th May 2026** before **12h00**

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