SwissCham Southern Africa (SCSA)

"Mobilizing the dormant assets in Southern Africa"

On behalf of the Chairman, Georg C. Umbricht, we are very pleased to invite you, your colleagues and friends to a presentation by

WALTER FUST

Date: **Tuesday, 6th December, 2011**

Time: **11:20 h Registration and Aperitif**
11:50 h Speech followed by Lunch
14:00 h End of the Event

Venue: **Zunfthaus zur Meisen**, Münsterhof 20, 8001 Zurich

Born in 1945, Walter Fust studied at St Gallen University and graduated with a master in political science. He was working in banking and public administration before entering the Swiss Diplomatic service in 1975 where he then got assigned to Geneva, Baghdad and Tokyo. From September 1983 until end of 1984 he served in the integration office (EFTA/EU). During the years 1985 and 1986 he was personal advisor to federal councilor Dr. Kurt Furgler, Minister of Public Economy and President of the Swiss Confederation (1985). End of 1986 he was elected as managing director of the Swiss office for trade promotion (OSEC). From 1990 to 1993, he has served as Secretary General of the Ministry of Interior (science/research, environment, culture, social affairs, public health etc.). During the period of September 1993 and April 2008, Ambassador Walter Fust has been head of the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC). Following this, he served as CEO and Director General of the Global Humanitarian Forum in Geneva until 2010.
Walter Fust is chairman of UNESCO's International Program for the Development of Communication (IPDC) and President of Globethics.net Geneva. He serves as member of the International Forum of Federations (Ottawa) and in the Board of Trustees of the Bibliotheca Alexandrina, the new library of Alexandria/Egypt. He is member of the board of the International Risk Governance Council/Geneva and of philanthropy foundations.

We look forward to welcoming you to this most interesting presentation in Zurich.

Registration: Please register latest by Wednesday**, November 30th 2011** by 14:00 hrs by returning the form below to the SwissCham Southern Africa (SCSA), P.O. Box 2957, 8022 Zurich, or sending it by fax to 041 620 88 03 or by e-mail to scsa@chambersservices.ch. The cost of the event is CHF 120.00 for Chamber members and CHF 150.00 for non-members. You will receive a confirmation after registration. Cancellations will be accepted until **Friday, December 3rd, 2011**, 16.00 p.m.; otherwise a full no-show charge applies.

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