



# Global Pharmaceutical Manufacturing and Supply Chain and its Role towards Economic Growth: Lessons for Namibia

## INDUSTRY BREAKFAST

Join us for an interactive session that will cover the following topics:

- Importance of Access to Health (WHO Sustainable Development Goal No.3 and key factors influencing access and the role of local private sector)
- Importance of healthcare for development (society and economy)
- Burden of diseases for the economy and WHO 2030 Goals
- Holistic view on healthcare structure development
- Development of all players in healthcare system (doctors, nurses, pharmacists, manufacturing, wholesalers, distributors, health insurance)
- Role of government
- Experiences with recent local projects and proposals on how to start and organise projects
- WHO ideas for building up local pharmaceutical structures
- The role of universities in healthcare sustainability

### Who should attend?

Government official, private Sector representative, doctors, pharmacists, transport and logistic organisations, the public in general.

### The Presenter

#### Dr Manfred Bruch

Born in 1955 in Germany, with a PhD in Pharmaceutical Technology (University of Bonn, Germany), Dr Bruch has over 34 years experience in Pharmaceuticals. The following are some of his career achievements: Built and started up successfully new antibiotics filling plant in Switzerland, headed Roche manufacturing plant in Spain (Madrid) and integrated local company which was acquired.

- Lead technical integration of two companies acquired by Roche on a global scale and was responsible for technical aspects of spin-off of OTC activities of Roche.
- Managed about 100 technical transfers of production.
- Successfully led several product divestment projects and now coordinates the contractual, technical, logistical and GMP aspects of about 40 partner companies worldwide.
- Most lately he became strongly involved in the project to improve Supply Chains in Africa.



**Date:** Wednesday, 13 September 2017

**Time:** 8:00 - 11:00

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**Fee:** N\$250 per person Or N\$ 2 000 per table sitting 10

**Venue:** Hotel School, Namibia University of Science and Technology

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