

TRADE EVENTS

AGRICULTURE, FOOD & BEVERAGES

Rockhampton, Australia May 1-7, 2006

If beef is your business then the steaks are high at **Beef Australia 2006**, the country's blue ribbon bovine event that includes a seminar, conference and even a national carcass competition.

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Rosario, Argentina June 27-30, 2006

The **Mercosur Soya Congress** will set the stage for the presentation of scientific papers for industry professionals involved in any aspect of the soya industry in the Mercosur (a trading zone established in 1991 between Brazil, Argentina, Uruguay, and Paraguay) and around the world.

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BUILDING PRODUCTS

Tripoli, Libya May 8-11, 2006

Don't miss **Libya Build 2006**, the 3rd International Building and Construction Exhibition. Opportunities in this sector range from single and multiple-unit housing, new hotels, the renovation of existing hotels, hospitals, schools and infrastructure.

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ENVIRONMENTAL INDUSTRIES

Jönköping, Sweden May 30-June 1, 2006

Be part of the Canadian pavilion at the **World Bioenergy Conference and Exhibition**. This year's event is organised in conjunction with the Pellets Conference, a densified biomass fuels event, and the Waste & Recycling trade show.

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HEALTH INDUSTRIES

Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam October 11-15, 2006

The 2006 **Ho Chi Minh City Medical & Pharmaceutical Expo** will gather international exhibitors of medical, dental, pharmaceutical, health food, exercise equipment and health care products to tap into the potential of Vietnam's medical market.

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METALS, MINERALS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT

Chihuahua, Mexico April 26-28, 2006

The gold rush has returned to the mountains of Chihuahua so take part in the **2006 International Mining Conference**, one of the largest mining shows in Mexico.

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Santiago, Chile May 23-27, 2006

Expomin is Latin America's largest mining exhibition and features the latest machinery, equipment, technology, supplies and services from around the world.

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MULTI-SECTOR

Nicosia, Cyprus May 26 - June 4, 2006

Attend the **31st Cyprus International Fair** and take advantage of this unique opportunity to meet 130,000 visitors. Cypriot manufacturers and more than 350 exhibitors from 30 countries will be there to promote consumer products, building materials, furniture, plastic products, industrial equipment and telecommunication equipment.

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OCEAN TECHNOLOGIES

Athens, Greece June 5-9, 2006

The **Posidonia International Shipping Exhibition** is one of the world's leading maritime exhibitions. This event will feature the latest developments in technology affecting all sectors of international shipping and coincides with the Maritime Policy Forum on June 7.

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