

TRADE EVENTS

AGRICULTURE, FOOD & BEVERAGE

Sao Paulo, Brazil

September 12-14, 2006

Food Ingredients South America is the world's fourth-largest food ingredients show and the leading trade fair for new trends, solutions and technology for the food industry.

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ELECTRIC POWER EQUIPMENT AND SERVICES

Belo Horizonte, Brazil

August 21-25, 2006

The **National Seminar on Distribution of Electric Power** is the most important show in Brazil in the power distribution sector.

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FOREST INDUSTRIES

Sao Paulo, Brazil

October 16-19, 2006

The **Pulp & Paper International Congress & Exhibition** will attract the most important players in the pulp and paper industry.

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ICT

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

September 3-6, 2006

The **International Council for Open and Distance Education's Conference** theme is "Promoting Quality in Distance, Flexible and ICT-based Education."

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Florianopolis, Brazil

October 2-5, 2006

FUTURECOM 2006 is the main ICT trade show held in South America. With the presence of the major mobile and fixed-line operators, equipment and service providers, this event is ideal for Canadian companies wishing to expand their network.

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MINING

Ouro Preto, Brazil

August 22-25, 2006

EQUIPO is the second-largest mining trade show in Brazil, providing opportunities to display advanced equipment, technologies and services to Brazilian companies.

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OIL AND GAS

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

September 11-14, 2006

The **Rio Oil & Gas Expo and Conference** is one of the most important trade shows of the Latin American petroleum industry.

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RAIL AND URBAN TRANSIT

Sao Paulo, Brazil

November 7-9, 2006

The **Business on Rails Show** attracts suppliers from both freight and passenger railroads as well as urban transit.

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SECURITY PRODUCTS

Sao Paulo, Brazil

August 23-25, 2006

FISP, FISSP and the Fire Show will feature security, fire and safety products. With over 40,000 visitors and 450 exhibiting companies, it is Brazil's largest annual security event.

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