

## Travelport gains training accreditation in South Africa

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Travelport, a leading Travel Commerce Platform providing distribution, technology, payment and other solutions for the \$7 trillion global travel and tourism industry today announced having secured industry accreditation from CATHSSETA (Culture, Arts, Tourism, Hospitality, Sports Sector Education and Training Authority).

This latest accreditation means that travel agents in South Africa will be able to send their consultants for training on Travelport's Travel Commerce Platform, which in turn will help them to meet regulatory requirements for staff training and professional development.

George Harb, Managing Director in South Africa, Zambia and Zimbabwe, commented: "We are immensely proud of this training accreditation as it will have an immediate positive impact on agents and is testament to our commitment to enhancing our services and finding ways to help drive additional value to the industry in South Africa."

He continued: "Our aim is to continue to be a leading provider of technology solutions to the travel industry and we will work closely with our customers, acting as a partner throughout the process, to ensure we are doing all we can to support them in achieving their respective growth plans."

### About Travelport

Travelport is the technology company which makes the experience of buying and managing travel continually better. It operates a travel commerce platform providing distribution, technology, payment and other solutions for the global travel and tourism industry. The company facilitates travel commerce by connecting the world's leading travel providers with online and offline travel buyers in a proprietary business-to-business (B2B) travel platform.

Travelport has a leading position in airline merchandising, hotel content and distribution, car rental, mobile commerce and B2B payment solutions. The company also provides IT services to airlines, such as shopping, ticketing, departure control and other solutions. With net revenue of over \$2.5 billion in 2018, Travelport is headquartered in Langley, U.K., has over 3,700 employees and is represented in approximately 180 countries and territories.

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