



# AT AICE 2022



Factories Corporation of Jamaica Limited was on display at the World Free Zone Organisation, Annual International Conference and Exhibition (AICE) in Montego Bay, St. James.

The global event, a first to be held in Jamaica, brought approximately 1500 attendees to the Montego Bay Convention Centre in Montego Bay, St. James. It was held from June 13-17, 2022.

World class speakers, senior policy makers, global business leaders from multilateral organisations and representatives from international free zones came together to share best practices and foster public awareness of free zones and the opportunities they create for economic growth.

Jamaica Special Economic Zone Authority (JSEZ) hosted the 3 day event, which included exhibition booths, panel discussions, tours of Jamaica's free zones, B2B meetings and various networking opportunities.

Attendees to the event garnered vast knowledge on the benefits of free zones and how they contribute to trade and investment. Some of the benefits business operators in these zones receive; are the facilitation of foreign trade through relief from custom duty, income tax, import and export tax.

FCJ was an exhibitor and sponsor at the event. The team lead by Chairman Mr. Lyttleton 'Tanny' Shirley, included other representatives of FCJ's Board of Directors, Senior Management and Staff.

FCJ's decision to participate in AICE 2022 was in an effort to showcase our projects, meet with key stakeholders and potential clients with interest in space, network with attendees to build relationships, develop in-depth understanding specific to key sectors of interest, gain insight in Jamaica's overall economic plans and importantly further support the Government of Jamaica' mandate.

Sixty-seven (67) on-the-spot B2B meetings with various business interests locally and internationally were conducted. Twenty four (2) of which generated serious leads with interest in the major projects.

FCJ is now working to acquire JSEZ status for all our locations.





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