

# 2018 Conference Programme

Engaged Universities: Comprehensive internationalisation – a dialogue between local and global realities.

## WEDNESDAY, 22 AUGUST 2018 IEASA CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

07:30 – 08:30	Registration and Welcome Tea		
VENUE	LARACHE	FEZORATI	EL JADIDA
08:30 – 10:00	<b>Workshop 1</b>	<b>Workshop 2</b>	<b>Workshop 3</b>
	<b>The New Draft Policy Framework for Internationalisation of Higher Education in South Africa</b>	<b>Immigration Pertaining to Higher Education Constituents</b>	<b>Funding Opportunities and Proposal Writing</b>
	<p>Jointly hosted by the Department of Higher Education and Training (DHET) and IEASA, this Workshop will conduct an in-depth analysis of the new policy framework for internationalisation and its subsequent implementation/roll-out within the sector. It will also allow institutions to gain valuable insight into the formulation of their own institutional policy on internationalisation.</p> <p>Mr Mahlubi Mabizela, Chief Director: University Education Policy and Development</p> <p>Dr Nico Jooste, Nelson Mandela University</p> <p>Mr Cornelius Hagenmeier, University of the Free State</p> <p>Mr Leolyn Jackson, Central University of Technology</p> <p>Ms Orla Quinlan, Rhodes University</p> <p>Mr Wiseman Jack, Vaal University of Technology</p> <p>Dr Lavern Sameuls, Durban University of Technology</p>	<p>A collaborative venture between the national Department of Home Affairs (DHA) and IEASA, that will serve to update internationalisation practitioners/other interested parties on the current developments in immigration issues, and the impact on the Higher Education sector in particular. This Workshop will also provide practical assistance to immigration practitioners working within the HE sectors around visas and compliance.</p> <p>Mr Phindiwe Mbhele, Department of Home Affairs</p> <p>Ms Ndileka Cola, Department of Home Affairs</p> <p>Mr Lebethe Malefo, University of Johannesburg</p> <p>Ms Divinia Jithoo, Nelson Mandela University</p> <p>Ms Jade Bailey, IEASA</p>	<p>Presenters hosting this Workshop have extensive experience in all aspects of funding and scholarship/ fellowship applications, including Proposal Writing. Participants will be provided with valuable tools necessary for the writing and submission of comprehensive funding proposals. This Workshop is aimed primarily at faculty members/ researchers who wish to source funding and global opportunities for their respective research projects.</p> <p>Mr Varkey George, Gateway Education, IMPALA, ERASMUS+</p> <p>Dr Olesegun Obadire, University of Venda University, IMPALA, ERASMUS+</p> <p>Ms Marija Mitic, Academic Corporation Association, IMPALA, ERASMUS+</p> <p>Ms Caroline Kukubo, University of Fort Hare, IMPALA, ERASMUS+</p> <p>Ms Merle McOmbring-Hodges, IMPALA, ERASMUS+</p> <p>Ms Inge Caenen, Antwerp Uty, IMPALA, ERASMUS+</p>
10:00 – 10:20	<b>Tea Break</b>		
10:25 – 12:00	Workshop 1: Continued	Workshop 2: Continued	Workshop 3: Continued
12:00 – 13:00	<b>Lunch (Zagora Grill Room)</b>		
13:00 – 15:00	Workshop 1: Continued	Workshop 2: Continued	Workshop 3: Continued
15:00 – 15:20	<b>Tea Break</b>		
15:20 – 17:00	Workshop 1: Continued	Workshop 1: Continued	Workshop 1: Continued

**WEDNESDAY, 22 AUGUST 2018**  
**ISASA STUDENT CONFERENCE**  
**PARALLEL SESSION WITH WORKSHOPS 1, 2 AND 3**

07:30 – 08:30	Registration
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VENUE	BONDEV
08:30 – 08:45	<b>Opening &amp; Welcome:</b> Mr Kwena Moloto, University of Pretoria SRC President and Ms Hazel Sekeso, ISASA President
08:45 – 09:00	<b>Program Overview:</b> Mr Shawn T Mandoza, Vice President, ISASA
09:00 – 10:00	<b>The Draft Policy and the Immigration Laws in respect of current, past and future International Students:</b> Mr Phindiwe Mbhele, Department of Home Affairs <b>Chairperson:</b> Mr Clever Chigavazira, Secretary-General, ISASA
10:00 – 10:20	<b>Tea break</b>
10:25 – 10:45	<b>SAUS Presentation on developing communication channels with ISASA</b>
10:45 – 12:00	<b>UNASA and its role within Higher Education in linking the global with the local:</b> Mr Buntu Mnyaka and Mr Asanda Cana, Nelson Mandela University <b>Chairperson:</b> Ms Jodie Chikowi, Treasurer, ISASA
12:00 – 13:00	<b>Lunch (Zagora Grill Room)</b>
13:00 – 13:30	<b>Leading Legends: How to Build an Effective Student Organisation:</b> Ms Vinay Rajah, Marketing, Communications and Special Projects, IEASA <b>Chairperson:</b> Ms Jodie Chikowi, Treasurer, ISASA
13:30 – 14:45	<b>Panel Discussion: International student payment challenges and the Introduction of Modern payment methods:</b> Student Representatives from the University of Fort Hare, University of Cape Town, University of Pretoria and Mr Munya Chiura, Head of Middle East and Africa Payments, Flywire <b>Chairperson:</b> Mr Simon Read, Flywire
14:45 – 15:00	<b>Q &amp; A</b>
15:00 – 15:20	<b>Tea Break</b>
15:30 – 16:00	Finalization of the ISASA Constitution, new committee and mandate going forward <b>Chairperson:</b> Mr Shawn T Mandoza, Vice President, ISASA
16:00 – 16:15	<b>Closing Remarks:</b> ISASA 2019 President

18:00 – 22:00	<b>OPENING COCKTAIL RECEPTION</b> <b>Poolside Deck, Royal Elephant Hotel</b> <b>Sponsored and Hosted by the University of Johannesburg</b>	
	18:30 – 18:45	<b>Welcome Address by IEASA President:</b> Mr Leolyn Jackson, President: IEASA, Director: International Office, Central University of Technology
	18:45 – 19:30	<b>Address:</b> Dr Oscar van Heerden, Senior Director: Division for Internationalisation, University of Johannesburg
	19:30 – 22:00	<b>Networking</b>
	Entertainment	<b>University of Pretoria Jazz Quartet</b>

## THURSDAY, 23 AUGUST 2018

07:30 – 17:00	Registration
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VENUE	BONDEV HOUSE PLENARY		
08:30 – 10:30	<b>Plenary 1: Chairperson: Ms Orla Quinlan, Deputy President: IEASA and Conference Committee Chair, Director of Internationalisation, Rhodes University</b>		
08:30 – 08:40	<b>Welcome:</b> Mr Leolyn Jackson, President: IEASA, Director: International Office, Central University of Technology		
08:40 – 09:00	<b>Navigating Conference Proceedings and Introduction of Keynote Speaker:</b> Ms Orla Quinlan, Deputy President: IEASA and Conference Committee Chair, Director of Internationalisation, Rhodes University		
09:00 – 10:00	<b>Keynote Address: Global Climate Change and Transformative Learning: Spaces for Situated Dialogues within Global-local Realities</b> Professor Heila Lotz-Sisitka: Chair SARCHI Global Change and Social Learning Systems, Rhodes University		
10:00 – 10:20	Tea Break		
10:20 – 13:00	PARALLEL SESSION 1: MASTER CLASSES		
VENUE	BONDEV HOUSE PLENARY	BONDEV THATCH	
Chairperson	Dr Olesegun Obadire, University of Venda	Ms Merle McOmbring-Hodges, IMPALA	
	Masterclass I	Masterclass II	
10:20 – 13:00	<b>Building and Supporting Transnational Education in South Africa: A Workshop in International Programme and Provider Mobility (IPPM)</b>  Ms Anisa Khan, British Council South Africa Dr Denyse Webbstock, Council of Higher Education	<b>Academic Administration for International Students at a South African University: Case of Nelson Mandela University</b>  Ms Asanda Tele, Nelson Mandela University Ms Natasha September, Nelson Mandela University Ms Megan Connelly, Nelson Mandela University	
10:20 – 10:50	PARALLEL SESSION		
VENUE	FEZORATI		
Chairperson	Ms Huba Boshoff, Nuffic's Netherlands Support Office (Neso)		
10:20 – 10:50	<b>Developing Academic Collaboration Through Informal Networks:</b> Mr Cornelius Hagenmeier, University of the Free State and Dr Nico Jooste, Nelson Mandela University		
13:00 – 14:20	Lunch (Zagora Grill Room)		
14:30 – 15:30	Plenary 2: Chairperson: Mr Lebethe Malefo, University of Johannesburg		
14:30 – 15:00	<b>Keynote Address: Universities: International by Nature?</b> Prof Cheryl M de la Rey, Vice-Chancellor and Principal, University of Pretoria		
15:10 – 15:40	PARALLEL SESSION 2		
VENUE	BONDEV HOUSE PLENARY	FEZORATI	BONDEV THATCH
Chairperson	Mr Leolyn Jackson, Central University of Technology	Ms Quinter Onyango, University of Fort Hare	Mr Danny Bokaba, Central University of Technology
15:10 – 15:40	<b>South Africa-Sweden University Forum (SASUF): Strengthening Ties between Sweden and South Africa in Research, Education and Innovation.</b>  Mr Mathias Persson, Malmö University	<b>South Africa-France Collaboration</b> Dr Jean-Paul Toutain, Attaché Science and Technology, Embassy of France Ms Narine van den Berg, Campus France, South Africa	<b>International Student Recruitment: A Case For Cultural Segmentation</b>  Ms Carlien Jooste, Nelson Mandela University Prof Margaret Cullen, Nelson Mandela University Dr Andre Calitz, Nelson Mandela University

15:40 – 15:55	Tea Break		
15:55 – 17:00	PARALLEL SESSION 3		
Chairperson	Ms Martina Moss, Central University of Technology	Ms Tasmeeera Singh, University of KwaZulu-Natal	Mr Lebethe Malefo, University of Technology
15:55 – 16:25	<b>POSTER SESSIONS</b> Mr Sakhile Phiri, Nelson Mandela University Mr Mukupa Nsenduluka, Zambia Ms Refilwe Moleyane, Central University of Technology Mr Ishmael Obeko Iwara, University of Venda Mr Goldmarks Makumure, University of KwaZulu-Natal Mr Nombuso Mtshali, University of KwaZulu-Natal	<b>Local and Global Internationalisation: A Call for Inclusion of Rural Communities in the Internationalisation Process</b> Mr Cornelius Hagenmeier, University of the Free State Professor Joseph Francis, University of Venda Ms Pertina Nyamukondiwa, University of Venda Ms Dumisani Shoko, University of Venda	<b>Internationalising Universities: Embedding Strategies, Skills and Practice Across and In-depth: Case Study of IMPALA</b> Ms Annelien Dewinter, IMPALA Ms Merle McOmbring-Hodges, IMPALA Ms Inge Caenen, IMPALA
16:30 – 17:00	<b>Recent Experiences of International Collaborations from the Perspectives of Previously Disadvantaged Universities</b> Ms Tabea M Mokhele, University of Venda Mr M Mashau, University of Venda Ms O.O. Onipe, University of Venda Prof I.O.J. Afam, University of Venda	<b>Comprehensive Internationalisation in the Era of Decolonisation of HE in SA: An Afrocentric Perspective</b> Mr Kanego Mokgosi, University of the Free State Mr Zenzele Mdletshe, University of the Free State	<b>Impalas Are More Than Animals: The Value Of Partnerships in Developing Capacity at CPUT</b> Ms Zinzi Nkalitshana, Cape Peninsula University of Technology Mr Matome Mokoena, Cape Peninsula University of Technology
	Free Evening		

## FRIDAY, 24 AUGUST 2018

08:00 – 08:45	Registration		
<b>VENUE</b>	<b>BONDEV HOUSE PLENARY</b>		
	<b>Plenary 3: Chairperson: Dr Lavern Samuels, Durban University of Technology</b>		
08:45 – 09:00	Welcome and Introduction: Dr Lavern Samuels, Durban University of Technology		
09:00 – 10:00	<b>Keynote Address:</b> Dr Imtiaz Sooliman, Gift of the Givers		
10:00 – 11:00	<b>Panel Discussion: Global Engagement</b>		
	<b>Global/Local Organisations Seeking Opportunities to Partner with Higher Education in South Africa</b>		
	• <b>DAAD:</b> Dr Anja Hallacker, Director and Mr Jaco Herbst, Programme Advisor		
	• <b>Nuffic Neso:</b> Mr Mervin Bakker, Regional Director for Southern Africa, Nuffic's Netherlands Support Office (Neso)		
	• <b>EU Delegation to SA:</b> Dr Jozet Muller, Programme Manager, Governance and Higher Education		
	• <b>Chinese Perspectives:</b> Mr Wang Dayou, Embassy of the People's Republic of China, Pretoria		
	• <b>New Zealand Aid:</b> Ms Kealeboga Letlhaku, Programme Manager		
	• <b>Fulbright:</b> Ms Kerri Spindler-Ranta and Ms Carol Wilson, US Embassy		
11:00 – 11:20	Tea Break		
11:30 – 13:20	PARALLEL SESSION 4		
<b>VENUE</b>	<b>BONDEV HOUSE PLENARY</b>	<b>FEZORATI</b>	<b>BONDEV THATCH</b>
Chairperson	Ms Asanda Tele, Nelson Mandela University	Mr Wiseman Jack, Vaal University of Technology	Ms Divinia Jithoo, Nelson Mandela University

11:30 – 12:00	<b>POSTER SESSIONS</b> Mr Matome Mokoena, Central University of Technology Mr Wiseman Ndlovu, University of Venda Ms Anna Chuene, University of Limpopo Ms Siyanda Ntlabathi, University of Fort Hare Mr Mbeko Mnyatheli, University of Fort Hare	<b>Decolonisation through ‘Critical’ Internationalisation of the Curriculum: Towards a Conceptual Framework for Policy and Practice</b>  Prof Heidi Hudson, University of the Free State	<b>Study in Europe Project: Lessons Learned and Partnership Opportunities in Europe and South Africa</b>  Ms Marija Mitic, Academic Cooperation Association, Belgium
<b>Chairperson</b>	<b>Mr Moses Pieterse, University of Witwatersrand</b>	<b>Ms Refilwe Moleyane, Central University of Technology</b>	<b>Mr Charlton Esterhuizen, University of Cape Town</b>
12:10 – 12:40	<b>Finding the Balance: Creating Mutual Benefit in International Co-operation</b>  Dr Priscilla Mensah, National Research Foundation Mr Mervyn Bakker, Nuffic’s Netherlands Support Office (Neso)	<b>Reporting on Internationalisation - a Test Case of the University of the Free State</b>  Ms Chevon Jacobs, University of the Free State Mr Cornelius Hagenmeier, University of the Free State	<b>The Teacher our World Needs</b>  Dr Laura Alfonzo Urbina, Universidad Autónoma de Chiapas Mexico
12:50 – 13:20	<b>Sharing Narratives across a Global Life-world: Digital Storytelling in Communities and Higher Education</b>  Dr Sharli Paphitis, Rhodes University	<b>The Potential Impact and Influence of Private Higher Education Institutions in the Internationalisation of Higher Education in South Africa</b>  Dr Prem Ramlachan, MANCOSA	<b>Assessing Buddy Programmes as a Driver for Social Cohesion among University Students</b>  Dr Olesegun Obadire, University of Venda Mr Ishmael Obeko Iwara, University of Venda
13:30 – 14:30	<b>Lunch (Zagora Grill Room)</b>		
14:30 – 15:40	<b>PARALLEL SESSION 5</b>		
<b>VENUE</b>	<b>BONDEV HOUSE PLENARY</b>	<b>FEZORATI</b>	<b>BONDEV THATCH</b>
<b>Chairperson</b>	<b>Dr Prem Ramlachan, MANCOSA</b>	<b>Ms Huba Boshoff, Nuffic’s Netherlands Support Office (Neso)</b>	<b>Ms Tasmeeera Singh, University of KwaZulu-Natal</b>
14:30 – 15:00	<b>Internationalisation of Higher Education: Creating a Favourable Environment for Cross-Border Partnerships</b>  Mr Mandla Higa, RUCC Ministries	<b>Engaging with the Rankings Systems from the Perspective of a Small Scale University</b>  Dr Remigius Nnadozie, Rhodes University Ms Orla Quinlan, Rhodes University	<b>Harmonisation of Higher Education in Africa: Divergence in Dialogue and Reality</b>  Mr Charlton Esterhuizen, University of Cape Town
15:10 – 15:40	<b>Skills Session: Benchmarking Study Abroad and the Impact Of International Students in Our Classrooms</b>  Ms Debra Lamson, University of the Western Cape Ms Melikaya Ntshingwa, Marquette University, Milwaukee, USA	<b>Enactus and the Internationalisation of the Higher Education Agenda in South Africa</b>  Prof Richard Shambare, University of Venda	<b>Recent Trends in International Student Mobility: A Cross-Border Perspective</b>  Mr Simon Read, Flywire Dr Munya Chiura, Flywire
15:40 – 15:55	<b>Tea Break</b>		

15:00 – 16:00		PARALLEL SESSION 6		
Chairperson	Mr Moses Pieterse, University of Witwatersrand	Ms Divinia Jithoo, Nelson Mandela University	Ms Hilda Wilson, University of the Western Cape	
15:00 – 15:30	<p><b>#Decolonisation of Curriculum in Institutions of Higher Learning in South Africa: Where does Internationalisation and Globalisation of Education feature?</b></p> <p>Mr Takalani Mashau, University of Venda Dr Fhatuwani Ravhuhali, University of Venda Dr Olesegun Obadire, University of Venda</p>	<p><b>Effective Marketing for International Students: A Case Study at the Durban University of Technology</b></p> <p>Dr Gregory Bass, Durban University of Technology</p>	<p><b>The Need for Active Participation of International Students within Student Governance, University of the Western Cape</b></p> <p>Mr Joseph Nsingi, University of the Western Cape</p>	
15:30 – 16:00	<p><b>POSTER SESSIONS</b></p> <p>Mr Kgalema Mashamaite, University of Limpopo Mr Francis Sibanda, University of Fort Hare Mr Tendai Chiguware, University of Fort Hare Mr Ordnance Makhubela, University of Limpopo Mr Yende Nsizwazonke, University of Venda</p>	<p><b>Skill Session: Creating a LinkedIn Profile to Build your Professional Brand</b></p> <p>Ms Huba Boshoff, Nuffic's Netherlands Support Office (Neso)</p>	<p><b>Hot Topics</b></p> <p>Ms Orla Quinlan, Rhodes University</p>	
16:10 – 16:30		Plenary 3: Closing of IEASA's 21 <sup>st</sup> Annual Conference		
		<b>Reflections on Conference:</b> Mr Leolyn Jackson, President: IEASA, Director: International Office, Central University of Technology		
		<b>Announcement of 2019 Conference:</b> Ms Orla Quinlan, President Elect 2019-2020: IEASA, Director of Internationalisation, Rhodes University		
		<b>Vote of Thanks:</b> Mr Wiseman Jack, Chair Director's Forum, Vaal University of Technology		
19:00	Gala Dinner: Bondev House Plenary			

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