

Die US laat volhoubaarheid nou by al sy kernfunksies inskakel

Volhoubaarheid geïntegreerd aangepak

Om 'n volhoubare omgewing te bevorder, val onder een van die vyf ontwikkelingstemas van die Universiteit se Hoop Projek – maar dit raak elke faset van die US se operasionele omgewing – nie net dié projek se akademiese inisiatiewe en talle ander navorsingsprojekte op kampus nie.

“Die Universiteit is verbind tot volhoubaarheid,” sê prof Russel Botman, die Rektor en Visekanselier. “Die Institusionele Beplanningsforum, saamgestel uit die US se leierskorps, het volhoubaarheid ook bevestig as een van ons fokusareas vir die volgende paar jaar.

“Ons sien volhoubaarheid as 'n integrale deel van al die Universiteit se kernfunksies. Dit is dus nie net om ‘groen’ te wees nie, maar ook oor hoe volhoubaarheid reflekteer binne leer en onderrig, binne navorsing en binne gemeenskapsinteraksie. Ons is uiteraard ook sensitief vir die voetspoor wat ons aktiwiteite – byvoorbeeld geboue, proefplase en tuine – op die omgewing laat.”

Daar is reeds 'n verskeidenheid aksies rondom volhoubaarheid op die kampus. Op akademiese vlak is daar onder meer die Sentrum vir Hernubare en Volhoubare Energiestudies, die Sentrum van Uitnemendheid vir In-dringerbiologie en die Universiteit Stellenbosch Waterinstituut.

Ook ander programme en talle modules hou direk verband met volhoubaarheid. “Ons uitdaging is egter om nou te begin om dié aksies en inisiatiewe te koördineer, en ook om doeltreffend daarvoor te kommunikeer,” sê dr Barbara Pool, Direkteur:

Projekte, wat verantwoordelik is vir die oorkoepelende koördinering van volhoubaarheid by die Universiteit. Fasiliteits-

bestuur is een van die Universiteit se afdelings wat praktiese uitvoering gee aan volhoubaarheid. “Ons is verbind tot die skep en instandhouding van dié toonaangewende kampusomgewing in Suid-Afrika en een van ons strategiese drywers wat hieruit volg, is om volhoubaarheid in vennootskap met ander belanghebbers in die Stellenbosch-omgewing te bevorder,” sê Chris Munnik, Hoofdirekteur: Fasiliteitsbestuur.

Fasiliteitsbestuur behartig nou onder meer die volgende volhoubaarheidsinisiatiewe:

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Wees bakgat vir die hartstaal, sê sanger

David Kramer en sy kitaar toe hy onlangs by die Woordeboek van die Afrikaanse Taal (WAT) se Woordprent opgetree het. By hom is die WAT se direkteur, dr Willem Botha, wat 'n eksemplaar van die Elektroniese WAT aan die sanger oorhandig het.

Kramer het hom verbind as ondersteuner aan die nuwe WAT-projek, Borg 'n Woord. “Afrikaans is die taal van my hart,” sê hy. “Dit sal bakgat wees as almal deelneem aan Borg 'n Woord! Kom ons help die WAT om dié hartstaal, wat so 'n groot deel van ons menswees vorm, te verewig.”

R20 000 kan gewen word met Borg 'n Woord – wat op Internasionale Woordeboekdag, 16 Oktober, begin. Kry inligting hieroor by 021 8873113 of wat@sun.ac.za of gaan na www.wat.co.za

Op 15 Oktober tree Charlene Truter by vanjaar se laaste Woordprent op. Bespreek plek by die telefoonnommer hier bo.

Gerekende navorser word dekaan by Tygerberg

'n Internasionaal erkende navorser in gesondheidswetenskappe, prof Jimmy Volmink (foto), word in Januarie dekaan van Gesondheidswetenskappe.

Hy het in 2006 hier as Visedekaan: Navorsing aangesluit. Onder sy leiding was daar onder meer 'n 30% groei in publikasies in geakkrediteerde vaktydskrifte, navorsingsbefondsing het versesdubbel, 'n internasionaal erkende M-graad in kliniese navorsing is ingestel en 'n nagraadse kantoor is gevestig.

Volmink het in Kaapstad gestudeer en as huisarts en distriksgeneesheer in die Mitchells Plain-omgewing gewerk. Daarna het hy by Harvard

(VSA) verder gestudeer, 'n doktorsgraad by Oxford behaal en spesialisnavorsingsposisies beklee, onder meer in die VSA.

Naas vier boeke en 'n opleidingshandleiding het hy 94 wetenskaplike artikels in geakkrediteerde vaktydskrifte gepubliseer en hy dien in die Academy of Science of SA se raad.

Hy het diens gelewer aan vele internasionale organisasies – soos die Wêreld Gesondheidsorganisasie en 'n wêreldprogram vir navorsing en



opleiding in tropiese siektes.

In 2005 was hy gasredakteur van die British Medical Journal se spesiale uitgawe oor Afrika.

Dean becomes water envoy for Africa



Dean of Science Prof Eugene Cloete (photo) is the only representative from Africa to be inducted into the new Fellows Programme of the International Water Association (IWA).

The IWA is the largest international association for water professionals. Its Fellows Programme recognises unusual and outstanding distinction in the water profession.

This microbiologist recently made national and international headlines as the inventor of a teabag water filter, which ensured invaluable interest in research done at SU.

The new Fellows Programme was launched during the IWA World Water Conference in Montreal, Canada. The group of 34 fellows includes researchers, water resource managers, inventors and academics from all over the world, including Japan, the USA, Britain, Mexico, Germany, Spain and the Netherlands.

Election to IWA Fellow grade one is one of the

highest honours the Association can bestow on an individual.

“It is conferred by the IWA Board of Directors on a person with an extraordinary record of accomplishments that has contributed importantly to the advancement of application of water science and technology and that has brought the realisation of significant value to society,” according to the IWA.

Cloete serves on the IWA Biofilm Specialist Group, and is a past vice-president and IWA board member. He is a member of the Coca-Cola World Water expert panel and chairs the Academy of Science of South Africa committee on poverty and technology.

He is the driving force behind the new Stellenbosch University Water Institute. This NRF B1 rated scientist holds nine patents and has published 122 scientific papers.

– ENGELA DUVENAGE

Drie kry eregrade

Die US ken binnekort eredoktorsgrade toe aan 'n Afrika-sakeleier, mnr Whitey Basson, die internasionaal gevierde visuele kunstenaar Marlene Dumas en mnr Tito Mboweni, gewese SA Reserwebankvoorsitter.

Basson staan aan die hoof van die grootste voedsel-kleinhandelonderneming in Afrika. Hy is besturende direkteur en hoof uitvoerende beampte van Shoprite Holdings Bpk – Afrika se grootste voedsel-kleinhandelsgroep.

Dumas het in Stellenbosch grootgeword, in Kaapstad gestudeer en in 1975 in Nederland gaan woon. Van haar werke is in voorste internasionale versamelings en sy is van die hoogs betaalde lewende vroulike kunstenaars ter wêreld.

Mboweni het 'n leiersrol in Suid-Afrika se ekonomiese beleid gespeel – onder meer as voorsitter van die transformasiekomitee van die ANC se nasionale uitvoerende komitee, arbeidsminister in die Mandela-kabinet en Reserwebankvoorsitter.

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Sustainability is more than just a buzz word. Worldwide, it is a foregone conclusion that the sustainability of our planet is at stake.

This also affects the environment where one works – and at Stellenbosch University we are fortunate to have very pleasant surroundings, our beautifully maintained and scenic campus.

The lead story in this issue of *Kampusnuus* tells about the University's wide-reaching efforts to incorporate sustainability into all facets of the institution's activities. This ongoing process is something to be really proud of.

In an inspiring new South African leadership development initiative, the public executive development and training company of the University of Stellenbosch Business School has joined forces with the world renowned Stanford University in America to address some of the most urgent challenges facing South Africa by providing a series of executive programmes for the next generation of South African leaders.

Another American university, in Los Angeles, is partnering to present an adapted version of a prestigious US ethics competition to students in accounting at Stellenbosch – to give them a taste of business ethics in the "real world."

Stellenbosch and five other SA higher education institutions have entered into a student and staff mobility agreement with eight European universities – made possible by a substantial award from Europe.

A 27-year old mathematics associate professor has won a prestigious medal for his research excellence, and his dean has been elected as the only representative from Africa to be inducted into the new Fellows Programme of the International Water Association.

An important conference on campus recently reflected about the state of democracy in Africa over the last decade – a reflection that did not present an entirely rosey picture, despite many redeeming activities occurring on our continent.

At a conference elsewhere in South Africa, eight members from the School for Security and Africa Studies at the Faculty of Military Science at Saldanha attended a military history conference where they delivered ten papers – on subjects that ranged from our country's first battles to commemorating military milestones in Southern African military history.

On the Stellenbosch campus, an historian fused her passion with her work in writing about another breed of colonisers – the horses that "helped those who did the trampling" and were themselves "key to the colonial economies in southern Africa".

Read on the back page about the University's proactive measures to maintain our buildings and infrastructure. And on the centre-spread pages there's a story about ten million rand to be invested over five years to safeguard campus buildings from unwanted intruders.

There is more to read about in this issue of *Kampusnuus*. Sustainability may not be a buzz word, but on campus there is a lot of buzzing going on.

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OPPIE ROOIPLEIN!



Postdocs need effective support network

The period in an academic's career between completing a doctorate and obtaining tenure – a more or less permanent job – in a research institute or university is typically characterised by a number of short term contracts or independent research grants as Postdoctoral Research Fellows, commonly known as 'postdocs'. This is a period of exceptionally high productivity.

Already working at the cutting edge of their individual fields, but yet to be bogged down with a heavy teaching load, postdocs have the opportunity to broaden their experience in different institutions, to concentrate on publishing high quality research, and to interact with diverse collaborators and students.

This is however also a period of relative insecurity. Postdoc contracts are short, and the chances of obtaining further funding or a permanent position are dependent on performance: that means publish, or perish. Whilst academically stimulating, moving between research institutes – and even between countries – is also challenging and sometimes stressful. The importance of an effective support network for postdocs cannot be underestimated.

The Postdoctoral Society (PDS) at Stellenbosch University (SU) is just that: a network of researchers backed by the knowledge and experience of the University's International Office and the Department for Research and Development which seeks to address issues common to postdocs and to act as a focus for academic and social activity for the postdoctoral community.

There are plenty of excellent reasons to do a postdoc in South Africa, but not

everything runs as might be hoped, and it is a further function of the PDS to bring critique to the ears of those in a position to improve matters.

The concept of the postdoc in South Africa is still in its infancy. Whilst postdocs form the backbone of many overseas research groups, there are relatively few at SU – only 134 last year, compared with approximately 700 permanent research staff.

Perhaps because of these relatively low numbers, postdocs in South Africa are still placed in the same tax category with undergraduate and graduate students. Tax free status means that experienced researchers can be employed at effectively half the real cost, but this comes with a raft of drawbacks.

The most serious of these is the lack of social provisions such as health, unemployment, and pension schemes. Such employment benefits are standard for postdocs overseas (and often also for PhD students) but in South Africa would represent a violation of the conditions for tax exemption.

Further disadvantages are restricted access to facilities and funding earmarked exclusively either for permanent staff or for students, and no formal recognition for supervision of students.

The stubborn persistence of the parochial phrase 'postdoctoral student' (a contradiction in terms anywhere else in the world) can feel like 'insult to injury' to the ears of a career researcher whose vocational training (up to a decade or longer in higher education) may already be a number of postdoc contracts. These issues reduce the competitiveness of postdoc research

positions in South Africa, which inevitably impacts on the quality of research.

This is all the more reason for a prominent role of the PDS in increasing awareness and providing support for postdocs. A good example of the kind of academic events organised by the PDS is last year's Postdoc Symposium, which included a number of short talks by postdocs and plenty of opportunity to build networks across research fields. This year the event (on 28 October) will include contributions from postdocs from UCT, UWC and CPUT.

The PDS addresses further practical issues relating to research, both in its monthly general meetings, to which guest speakers are regularly invited, and in special seminars.

An example of a special seminar is last year's meeting on South African National Research Fund rating – a formal assessment of a researcher's past record and future promise which can open up opportunities for funding through the NRF, and postdocs with good CVs are strongly encouraged to apply.

As well as providing professional support, the PDS organises social events and it is actively engaged in environmental and social issues.

■ Read more about the society on: <http://www.sun.ac.za/postdocsoc> and blog <http://blogs.sun.ac.za/pds/>

– DR JAMES J MEIRING
Chairperson, Postdoc Society,
Stellenbosch University

Kampusnuus wil graag 'n platform skep vir gesprekvoering op die kampus. Menings in artikels, briewe en Kampusklets oppie Rooiplein! is dié van die betrokke individu en nie noodwendig die standpunt van die Kampusnuus-redaksie of die Universiteit Stellenbosch nie.

NMG NewsFlash / NMG NuusFlits

Graag stel ons u in kennis dat die medieseskema-inligtingsessies vanjaar op die volgende datums sal plaasvind (navrae: Chantel Smith, tel: 021 808 4827):

Datum	Tyd		
	09:00 – 11:00	11:00 – 13:h00	14:00 – 16:00
Maandag 25 Okt 2010	Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek	Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek	Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek
Woensdag 27 Okt 2010	Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek	Pensioenarisse Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek	English Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek
Donderdag 28 Okt 2010	Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek	Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek	Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek
Vrydag 29 Okt 2010	Tygerbergkampus Lesingsaal 8 Onderwysgebou	Bellvilleparkkampus Kamer 103 Van Der Horstgebou	
Dinsdag 2 Nov 2010	Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek	Pensioenarisse Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek	Ouditorium, JS Gericke Biblioteek

We would like to advise that this year's medical scheme information sessions will take place on the following dates (enquiries: Chantel Smith, tel: 021 808 4827):

Date	Time		
	09:00 – 11:00	11:00 – 13:h00	14:00 – 16:00
Monday 25 Oct 2010	Auditorium, JS Gericke Library	Auditorium, JS Gericke Library	Auditorium, JS Gericke Library
Wednesday 27 Oct 2010	Auditorium, JS Gericke Library	Pensioners Auditorium, JS Gericke Library	English Auditorium, JS Gericke Library
Thursday 28 Oct 2010	Auditorium, JS Gericke Library	Auditorium, JS Gericke Library	Auditorium, JS Gericke Library
Friday 29 Oct 2010	Tygerberg Campus Lecture Hall 8 Teaching Wing	Bellvillepark Campus Room 103 Van Der Horst Building	
Tuesday 2 Nov 2010	Auditorium, JS Gericke Library	Pensioners Auditorium, JS Gericke Library	Auditorium, JS Gericke Library

Democracy in Africa 'not a rosy picture'

Reflecting on democracy in Africa over the last decade, does not present a very rosy picture, said Prof Amanda Gouws, Vice-President of the South African Association of Political Studies, following its recent bi-annual conference that was hosted by the Political Science Department at Stellenbosch.

Gouws, a professor in this department, says human rights violations are still commonplace in many African countries, where democracies are backsliding to authoritarian states. "Of course there are also many redeeming activities occurring in Africa such as examples of countries where regular elections are organised and where there is a genuine attempt to implement democratic governments."

The conference, early in September, focused on *Democracy in the first decade of the 21st century*. It touched on issues such as conflict and security in Africa, the quality of democracy, xenophobia and gender based violence, South Africa's international relations and comparative democratic institutions and electoral behaviour.

The Association (SAAPS) is the official body of the disciplines of Political Science and International Relations in South Africa. Its primary

international affiliations are the International Political Science Association (IPSA) and the World International Studies Committee (WISC).

A highlight of the conference was a keynote panel discussion which focused on *The State of Democracy in South Africa* – featuring scholars and social commentators such as the independent political analyst Max du Preez, Prof Shireen Hassim (Wits University), Prof Robert Mattes (UCT) and Ms Judith February, an IDASA political analyst.

Gouws said Mattes "demonstrated by using statistics how, despite the African National Congress always taking the lead in national elections, the percentage of voters participating in the elections was in fact declining." Hassim focused on "how the misogynistic discourse of the ANC Youth League undermines gender equality while Judith February focused on the

importance of institutions and how they have been undermined over the last ten years." Du Preez offered "a thought-provoking analysis of the Zuma government, how it has undermined freedom of speech and the increasing allegations of corruption within government circles.

It was the first time that the conference was held at Stellenbosch University in 23 years. The association provided travel grants to ten delegates from India and elsewhere in Africa to attend. The conference also attracted international delegates and participants from as far afield as Australia and the United Kingdom. Gouws was re-elected as Vice-President of SAAPS for a second term.

She said it is important for the University to be involved in political science conferences of this nature and to be represented within associations like SAAPS, "because it brings to-



Prof Amanda Gouws with Prof Dirk Berg-Schlusser of Marburg, Germany, who presented the main session at the SAAPS conference, and Prof Heidi Hudson, President of SAAPS.

gether a global academic community of political scientists to discuss groundbreaking research and build up national and international networks. The conference delegates were extremely impressed with the facilities at the Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced Study (STIAS) where they met resident researchers. "This exposure was very good for the reputation of

the Political Science Department and the university."

The delegates issued a press release reflecting their concerns about the Protection of Information Bill and the impact that it might have on research at higher education institutions on for example misadministration, corruption, political and foreign policies or security.

Prof Wieland Gevers (links), 'n voormalige president van die Academy of Science of South Africa, was die gasspreker by 'n ont-haal waar US-navorsers erkenning gekry het en vir hul bydraes bedank is. Hy het gepraat oor hoe 'n universiteit 'n dinamiese intellektuele kultuur kan bevorder. By hom is dr Therina Theron, senior direkteur van Navorsing en Innovasie, en prof Arnold van Zyl, Viserektor: Navorsing. Die US gee gereeld vir topnavorsers op kampus toekennings en pryse. In die afgelope twee jaar is sowat 40 toekennings aan US navorsers gemaak – van prestasie-ryke nasionale tot internasionale erkennings.



Business in Africa under the spotlight

USB Executive Development (USB-ED), public executive development and training company of the University's Business School, hosts a workshop in Gauteng on 23-24 November about the potential and pitfalls of doing business in Africa, and on how obstacles can be bridged. The workshop is aimed at individuals, consultants or organizations that do business elsewhere in Africa, or want to do so. Representatives of two of South Africa's leading trading nations, Kenya and Ghana, will do presentations on what they need from investors and how best to approach business in these countries. Locally listed companies will do presentations on what worked or didn't work during their entry into Africa. See www.usb-ed.com or contact Anne Engelbrecht at 021 918 4482 or anne.engelbrecht@usb-ed.com for more information.

Volhoubaarheid by US nou geïntegreerd aangepak

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■ *Installering van energiemeters en draadlose modems*

In die eerste fase van dié projek word 90 meters en 66 modems geïnstalleer sodat energieverbruik in die onderskeie geboue regoor kampus gemeet kan word en inligting dan deur die modems na Fasiliteitsbestuur: Eien-domsdienste gestuur kan word. Die PowerWatch-program monitor dan die inligting om afwykings te identifiseer en beter energiebenutting te bestuur.

■ *Energie-oudits*

'n Reeks energie-oudits is al op sekere energie-intensiewe kampusgeboue gedoen om die besparingspotensiaal te ondersoek. 'n Warmwaterondersoek word ook nou by die Goldfields-koshuis gedoen.

■ *Stortkoppe*

Alle stortkoppe by universiteitskoshuise is vervang – vir energieverbruik en wesenlike waterbesparing.

■ *Geboubestuurstelsel*

Uitgediende geboubeheerstelsels word met 'n moderne bedryfs- en bestuur-stelsel vervang om voorsiening te maak vir die sentrale beheer en bestuur van lugversorgingstelsels, die beheer van noodkragopwekkers en 'n

lasbeheerstelsel. 'n Uitvoerbaarheidsstudie word tans vir dié projek gedoen..

■ *Alternatiewe energiebronne*

Nege sonwaterverwarmers is in 2009 by die Bellvista Lodge-anneks in Bellville geïnstalleer. Sonwaterverwarmers gaan moontlik ook met aanstaande jaar se opknaping van die elektiewe behuisingwoningstelsel in Tygerberg en by die beplande Ukwanda Landelike Kliniese Skool op Worcester gebruik word. Weens die voortdurende styging in elektrisiteitskoste – en omdat waterverwarming een van die grootste komponente van energieverbruik in koshuise is – kan dié projekte lei tot groot besparings en volhoubaarheidsinisiatiewe. Die Universiteit het meer as twintig jaar gelede al in die meeste koshuise hittepompe vir waterverwarming geïnstalleer – wat drie eenhede krag opwek vir elke eenheid elektrisiteit wat gebruik word.

■ *Kampus-vervoerplan*

Die Universiteit oorweeg die ontwikkeling van verskeie fietsstasies en veilige fietsstoorareas as deel van die landskapmeesterplan. Die eerste stasie is reeds langs die Neelsie opgerig. Dit sal studente en personeellede aan-

moedig om eerder fiets te ry sodat minder uitlaatgasse in die atmosfeer vrygestel word. 'n Geïntegreerde vervoermeesterplan is ook reeds in 'n gevorderde stadium van ontwikkeling en behoort in die eerste semester aanstaande jaar geïmplementeer te word. Die oogmerk is om meer parke- ring buite die sentrale kampus te voorsien, die gebruik van motors op die sentrale kampus te ontmoedig en dit met pendeldienste en fiets te vervang.

■ *Waterfontein*

Die getal plastiekwaterbottels wat op kampus gebruik word, kan drasties verminder word met die oprigting van waterfontein – 'n projek wat nog in die kosteramings stadium is.

■ *Bukashi-kombuisafvalprojek*

Die Bukashi-kombuisafvalprojek word nou na nog kampuskombuise uitgebrei om die kombuisafval wat na stortingssterreine geneem moet word met die helfte te verminder. Die Bukashi-stelsel gebruik mikrobes wat die afval afbreek tot 'n produk wat op komposhoop gebruik kan word. Kombuisafvalstowwe word twee keer per week verwyder. Tabel 1 (links onder) toon die huidige statistieke.

■ *Koshuisafvalstowwe*

Nat en droë afvalstowwe word by koshuise geskei voordat die munisipaliteit dit verwyder en die droë afvalstowwe herwin word. Dié projek het al verhoed dat sowat 51 000 kg afvalstowwe op stortingssterreine beland. Tabel 2 (regs onder) toon die maandelikse statistieke hiervoor.

■ *Kompos*

Die Universiteit het reeds 300m³ kompos uit US-tuine benut. Dié projek bevorder waterbehoud en grondstruktuur en lei tot beter groei in tuine.

■ *Uile*

Saam met die plaaslike munisipaliteit en die Spier-wynlandgoed installeer die Universiteit uilhuise om uile te lok en knaagdiere só te beheer.

■ *Roofvoëls*

Die gebruik van roofvoëls, voëlnette en ultrasoniese toestelle word nou ondersoek, vir die doeltreffende beheer van skadelike voëlspesies op die kampus. Die projek is al suksesvol by die Bellvillepark-kampus toegepas en voëls wat gevang is, is in Ceres vrygelaat.

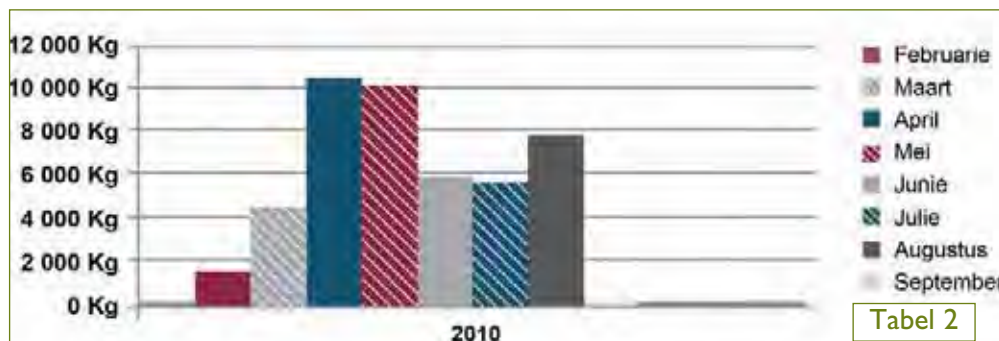
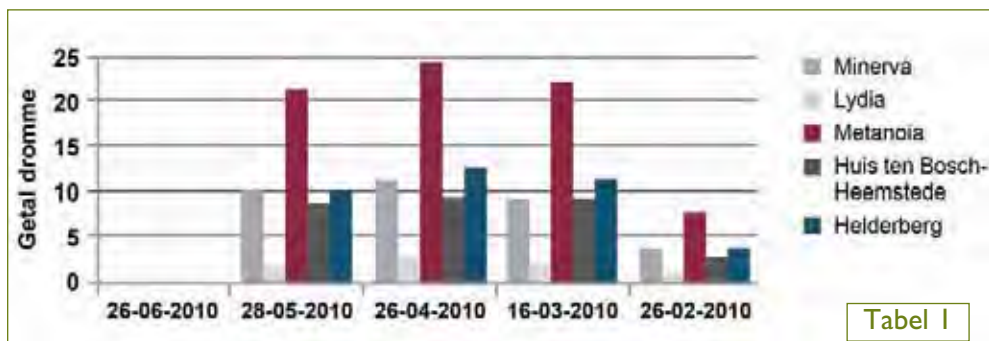
■ *Bewaring van berggronde*

Die paaië en geërodeerde gebiede op berggronde word nou gerehabiliteer en as gevolg daarvan word reënwater na damme gekanaliseer. Verouderde bome en takke word ook in bloekomplantasies uitgedun en gebruik om wandelpaaië en bergfietsroetes te herstel. Die bewaring van due US se bergterreine word in vennootskap met die Departement Bos- en Houtkunde bestuur.

■ *Boomplantprojek*

Die Tygerbergkampus het vanjaar reeds dertig bome uit die kusfynbos- en strandveld-biome, wat goed in die sanderige streek aard, aangeplant. 'n Soortgelyke inisiatief is ook by die Stellenbosch-arboretum begin.

Hoewel Fasiliteitsbestuur op 'n verantwoordelike wyse besig is om volhoubaarheid binne die operasionele omgewing te integreer, is energiebesparing hoog op hul lys van verantwoordelikhede. Hulle beplan dus om voor die einde van hierdie semester met 'n aktiewe veldtog vir die bevordering van energiebesparingsbewustheid op die Universiteit se kampusse te begin.



Tegnologie gaan sorg vir veiliger geboue

Nie net studente, personeel en kontrakteurs beskou die Matie-kampusse as hul werkplek nie. Etlieke ongemagtigde betreders, en selfs rowers, teiken Matieland as hul daaglikse (en nagtelike) “brood en botter”!

Maar die dae wat Jan Alleman “ongesiens” toegang kon verkry tot US-geboue is amper verby. Die kampusse word in die volgende paar maande toegerus met gevorderde toegangsbeheer-tegnologie om geboue veiliger te maak.

Verskeie afdelings, waaronder Fasiliteitsbestuur, Informatietegnologie en RGA-bestuurders, het kennis en ervaring gepoel om 'n geïntegreerde toegangsbeheerstelsel te kies wat geboue toeganklik gaan maak vir gemagtigde US-gebruikers – maar ontoeganklik vir kriminele.

Die US-bestuur het onlangs die groen lig gegee vir die eerste fase om geïntegreerde toegangsbeheer by US-geboue in werking te stel. Die projek, met 'n beraamde koste van R10 miljoen, gaan oor vyf jaar inskop en

80% van die toegange sal binne drie jaar al beveilig wees.

Bestaande kaartleser-toegangsbeheer word aangevul met kringtelevisie en interkomstelsels. Geboue hoef dus nie meer bedags oop te staan om toegang aan besoekers – én kriminele – te bied nie. Omgewingsbestuurders sal dus hul voordeure bedags kan toehou. Studente en personeel sal deur hul toegangskaarte in geboue kan ingaan, terwyl besoekers deur kringtelevisie sal aanmeld en uitgeklaar word voordat toegang aan hulle verleen word.

Die projek se eerste fase behels die installasie van kringteleviseiekameras by al die koshuise. Die beplanning en voorbereiding vir die installasies het verlede jaar al begin en die resultate hiervan gaan binnekort sigbaar wees.



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'n Multidissiplinêre projekspan van Fasiliteitsbestuur se afdeling Risiko en Beskermingsdiens (R&BD), Kommerciële Dienste, Koshuisadministrasie en Informatietegnologie het die afgelope winterreses al die nagenoeg 30 US-koshuise besoek om bestaande toegangsbeheer-infrastruktuur en -prosedures te laat inskakel met die nuwe toerusting wat bygevoeg gaan word.

Kommerciële Dienste het reeds sowat R2,7m bewillig vir die nage-

noeg 120 kameras wat by die koshuise geïnstalleer gaan word. Volgens die projekplan behoort die kameras teen die einde van vanjaar al 'n wakende oog oor koshuise se voordeure te hou.

Die beelde gaan nie net op hardeskyf opgeneem word nie – die R&BD kringtelevisie moniteringskamer is reeds operasioneel en gebruik groot plasmaskerms om beelde van die straatkameras 24 uur per dag dop te hou. Die kameras wat by die koshuise

geïnstalleer word, gaan ook aan die moniteringsfasiliteit gekoppel word.

Na voltooiing van die projek se eerste fase by die koshuise volg die akademiese en administrasiegeboue.

Ongemagtigdes wat tot dusver vrylik in universiteitsgeboue kon ingaan, word dus binnekort uitgehou. Die oogmerk is dat die kampusgemeenskap hul fasiliteite sal ervaar as 'n veilige onderrig-, werk- en woonplek.

– PRISCILLA BOOYSEN

Amerikaners help met program oor leierskap

USB Bestuursontwikkeling (USB-BO), die US se publieke bestuursontwikkeling- en opleidingsmaatskappy, en Stanford Universiteit in Amerika bied 'n inspirerende Suid-Afrikaanse leierskap-ontwikkelingsprogram aan – onderskryf deur internasionaal beproefde onderrig- en navorsingsvaardighede.

Dit behels hulp van die Silicon Valley-gebaseerde *Stanford Center for Professional Development* (SCPD), wat van die grootste uitdagings in Suid-Afrika sal aanspreek – deur 'n reeks bestuursprogramme vir die volgende geslag SA leiers.

Die program, *Innovative Futures*, wil die kritiese gaping in bestuursvaardighede wat die SA ekonomie ondermyn, oorbrug – deur beproefde internasionale metodes in probleemoplossing en die ontwikkeling van vooruitsiendheid-vaardighede wat deur die Universiteit Stanford ontwikkel is.

Die program is gemik op senior bestuurders in openbare beleid, inter-

nasionale aangeleenthede en verwante saketerreine, én op loopbaanpraktisyns en staatsamptenare verantwoordelik vir nasionale-, streeks- en plaaslike innoverende inisiatiewe.

Deelnemers aan die vierdag-program kry 'n sertifikaat van beide die Stanford Sentrum vir Professionele Ontwikkeling en die US. Dit word in Oktober aangebied, by die US se Sakeskool in Bellville en daarna in Johannesburg.

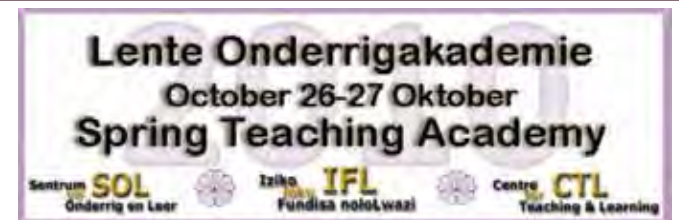
Stanford is 'n rolspeler in die opkoms van Silicon Valley, tuis van die wêreld se grootste tegnologie-maatskappye, waaronder Apple, Adobe, Google, Yahoo, Facebook, Intel, Cisco en HP, om maar



enkele te noem.

USB-BO se uitvoerende hoof, Frik Landman (foto), sê die inisiatief met Stanford is 'n “belangrike coup vir 'n Suid-Afrikaanse sakeskool. Suid-Afrika se jong leiers het geweldige potensiaal, maar toegang tot die regte opleidingsgeleenthede kortwiek hulle dikwels.”

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Die lente bring nuwe energie en inspirasie – ook vir onderrig aan die US! Op 26-27 Oktober bied die Sentrum vir Onderrig en Leer (SOL) die jaarlikse Lente Onderrigakademie aan.

In drie parallelle sessies op dié twee dae is daar 'n reeks werksinkels oor professionele onderrig. Elkeen duur van twee en 'n half uur tot 'n hele dag, oor 'n wye spektrum onderwerpe.

Vanjaar se Onderrigakademie sluit tien nuwe werksinkels in – oor onder meer die benutting van assessering om studente te rig, hoe om navorsing oor onderrig gepubliseer te kry, 'n praktiese benadering tot onderrig binne die T-opsie, onderrig in groot klasse ('n waarderende benadering tot diversiteit en getalle), die gebruik van vermengde leer (“blended learning”) vir meer doeltreffende onderrig en leer, hoe studente gerig kan word om verantwoordelikheid vir hul eie leer te aanvaar, en die gebruik van vroeë assessering om studentesukses te fasiliteer.

Volgens die 2009-Onderrigakademie se terugvoer was die werksinkels 'n waardevolle ervaring vir die deelnemers. “Die Lente-akademie het my die geleentheid en ‘thinking tools’ gegee om te reflekteer oor my huidige onderrigpraktieke en idees om dit te verbeter,” het een dosent gesê, en verskeie ander deelnemers het opgemerk dat die werksinkels se praktiese aard baie nuttig was.

Kry die volledige 2010-program, opsommings van die werksinkels en 'n inskrywingsvorm by http://www.sun.ac.za/sotl/Lente_Akademie/index.html en registreer so gou as moontlik. Dr Karin Cattell by kcattell@sun.ac.za of 021 808 3074 kan meer inligting verskaf.

Educating leaders to offer skills to others

As a Muslim woman Shamim Omar at times found it quite difficult to engage in public discussions around sexual matters. But a Stellenbosch University (SU) short course, Leadership beyond South Africa, equipped her with a variety of skills that she can take back to Kenya, her home country in East Africa.

“Discussions between the course leader and students were very frank. The students came from different backgrounds and the course forced all of us to discuss issues that are not necessarily addressed in our own communities,” says Shamim who is doing her doctorate in electronic engineering at SU.

The programme for postgraduate students, which ended at the end of September, was introduced for the first time this year by SU's Office for Institutional HIV Co-ordination (OIHC), in association with the University's Postgraduate and International Office.

It was presented over ten sessions of two hours each. The students were mainly from foreign African countries with a few from Europe, the Americas and South Africa. They are all studying at SU.

“There is a great demand from students to participate in peer education programmes,” explains Monica du Toit, OIHC Manager. “It ties in with the University's HOPE Project, which is aimed at making SU more relevant to society by addressing pressing problems experienced by people in South Africa and elsewhere on the continent.”

There is “a huge foreign student population right here on campus,” she says. “It made sense to present the programme at SU. We want to empower our students to initiate HIV education programmes once they are back in their own countries and communities. They are leaders who can make a huge impact in educating others about HIV/Aids.”

The course is intense, with students learning not only biomedical facts about HIV and how the virus is spread, but also about the politics surrounding

HIV/Aids, as well as sexuality and gender issues.

Shamim explains that HIV/Aids is a big problem in areas such as Kibera, the most densely populated slum in Africa. It is part of the Kenyan capital, Nairobi. “The overcrowding, poverty and lack of services bring about a host of socio-economic and health problems, and HIV infection is a major issue. I hope to start an education programme in Kibera once I am back in my country,” she says.

“Most young people in Kenya are alienated from awareness programmes because of ineffective ways of communicating the message. Young people are bored by boring people conveying the same things over and over. To capture the attention of the youth, music and interesting speakers have to be incorporated in educational programmes.”



Alain Useni, a student from the Democratic Republic of the Congo presenting a paper on HIV research he did as part of the HIV Peer Education for Postgraduate Students short course. Listening attentively are Mike Leslie from the United States, Monica du Toit (manager of the Office for Institutional HIV Coordination) and Bridget Matinga-Katundu, a postgraduate student from Malawi.

Josephat Rwyeyemamu, a postgraduate missiology student from Tanzania, says he thought he knew a lot about HIV/Aids, but that he realised during the course that there was still much to learn.

“There is so much disinformation out there about the disease and this leads to fear. As a preacher I have a duty to share my knowledge with my

community. Only by speaking openly about HIV/Aids in public forums, can one address stigmatisation.”

■ See www.sun.ac.za/international and www.sun.ac.za/hiv for more information on the offerings of the Postgraduate and International Office or the University's HIV initiatives.

– STEPHANIE NIEUWOUT

Collaboration fosters EU links

The Cape Higher Education Consortium (CHEC) and Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University has received a prestigious student and staff mobility award with eight European universities. The award, one of three to SA universities, exceeds €1,6 million and was made under the Erasmus Mundus initiative of the European Union (EU) – to foster EU-SA co-operation through student and academic exchanges. Altogether 106 South Africans may benefit from scholarships for up to 35 months at an EU university – in Leuven,

Belgium; Berlin, Germany; Paris, France; Stockholm, Sweden; Brno, Czech Republic; Granada, Spain; Amsterdam, the Netherlands; and Antwerp, Belgium. CHEC members – UCT, CPUT, Stellenbosch and UWC – hosted a visit to the region by Joachim Fronia (photo, right) of the Education, Audiovisual and Cultural Executive Agency (EACEA) that implements Erasmus Mundus programmes worldwide. With Fronia are SU's Robert Kotze, Merle Hodges (CPUT) and Matt Tips of Leuven. A Western Cape university delegation will visit Leuven to finalise programme details.



Young maths professor wins prestigious medal

Prof Stephan Wagner (picture), 27-year old mathematics associate professor who is described by his students as “a brilliant teacher”, has been honoured with the prestigious Meiring Naudé Medal of the Royal Society of South Africa for his research excellence.

This annual award celebrates the scientific achievement of young scientists under the age of 35 years.

Despite his relatively short academic career, the Austrian-born Prof Wagner has already published nearly 50 peer-reviewed articles in numerous journals, and is a regular reviewer and referee for various mathematical journals.

After completing his doctoral studies at the Graz University of Technology in Austria in 2006, he joined the Department of Mathematical Sciences as lecturer four years ago.

He has since moved quickly through the academic ranks thanks to his prolific publication record and impressive research abilities in the

fields of combinatorics, number theory and graph theory. This keen chess player was promoted to an associated professor at the beginning of 2010 while still an extremely youthful 27 years of age.

Wagner describes the field of combinatorics as being involved with “various counting problems”. “Such problems are of a purely mathematical interest,” he says, “but they also arise quite frequently in mathematical models stemming from physics and chemistry.”

While at school in Austria, Stephan Wagner won two silver medals at the International Mathematical Olympiad. Since moving to South Africa, he has become involved in local Olympiad



activities as a member of the South African Mathematics Olympiad, which he sees as “the natural thing to do”. He is also organiser of the annual Stellenbosch mathematics training camp at Stellenbosch University, which helps to prepare South African high school learners for the annual Olympiads.

■ In 2008 Prof Wagner's colleague in the Department of Mathematical Sciences, Prof Florian Breuer, also received the award. It was not presented in 2009.

– ENGELA DUVENAGE

School for Security and Africa Studies Eight from Saldanha deliver ten conference papers

Eight members from the School for Security and Africa Studies at the Faculty of Military Science at Saldanha attended this year's biennial conference of the Historical Association of South Africa (HASA) at Potchefstroom, where they delivered ten conference papers, and three of them served as chairpersons on some of the panels.

Five of these participants are postgraduate students – a milestone in the history of the Military Academy. Two researchers of the Centre for Military Studies, Cmdr (Prof) Tiaan Potgieter and Dr Ian Liebenberg, also attended the conference, with Liebenberg chairing a panel.

The conference theme was Milestones: Commemorating Southern African History. Three of the faculty's members delivered papers on South Africa's first battles, and the rest

focused on the commemoration of military milestones in Southern African Military History.

The papers on South Africa's first battles were the *Union Defence Force and the suppression of internal unrest* (Mr Andries Fokkens) and *Encounter in the desert: Disaster for South Africa at Sidi Rezegh, November 1941* (Capt Gustav Bentz). Bentz delivered a second fascinating paper, *Exploring South African wartime experiences, 1939-1945: Johannes Hendrik Harm-*



Eight of the ten conference attendees from the Saldanha campus: Andries Fokkens, Herman Warden, Evert Kleynhans, Ian Van der Waag, Calvin Manganyi, Ian Liebenberg, Gustav Bentz and Tjaart Barnard.

and Gerhardus Cornelius de Waal.

Lt Col (Prof) Ian Van der Waag's paper on South Africa's first battles was entitled *Military muddles: South Africa's first battles of the Great War*. He delivered a second intriguing paper, *Life in a South African household: changing patterns in leisure and servitude*.

Lt Col (Prof) Deon Visser intro-

duced the topic of commemorating military milestones with *Defining and celebrating military milestones in South Africa's contested past: an introduction*. Lt Evert Kleynhans and Lt Herman Warden delivered captivating papers on, respectively, *Commemorating Blood River: from nation-building to reconciliation and Remembering South Africa's parti-*

cipation in World War I: the Battle of Delville Wood and the sinking of the SS Mendi.

S/Lt Calvin Manganyi enlightened the conference attendees with *The Soweto uprising: honouring the youth in the liberation struggle* and Lt Tjaart Barnard followed suit with *Cuito Cuanavale: A dialogue on commemoration*.

Historiografie en identiteitsvorming word deeglik bekyk

Wat het geskiedskrywing met identiteitsvorming te make? Oftewel, wat sê 'n mens se rekonstruksie van die verlede van jou selfverstaan in die hede? Dié vraag was ten grondslag van 'n navorsingsprojek wat geleidelik tot 'n driedaagse interdisiplinêre werkswinkel by die Wallenbergentrum op die kampus.

Omdat die dinamiese verhouding tussen geskiedskrywing en identiteitsvorming moeilik ondersoek word in 'n samelewing waarvan 'n mens deel is, was die projek se klem op 'n antieke gevallestudie, die Bybelse historiografiese literatuur uit die nabalingskapstyd toe Israel onder Persiese imperiale beheer was.

Die uitgangspunt was dat die bestudering van dié antieke gevallestudie besondere insigte kan bied in deesdae se dinamiese verhouding tussen geskiedskrywing en identiteitsvorming.

Die US, die Oppenheimer Memorial Trust en die NNS het die projek gefinansier, met steun van die Alexander von Humboldt Stiftung, Bonn. Daar is gepoog om verskeie dissiplines met mekaar in gesprek te

bring oor hoe die antieke historiografieë bygedra het tot prosesse van identiteitsvorming in Antieke Israel.

Bybelwetenskaplikes het tekste (hoofsaaklik Esra-Nehemia en

Kronieke, maar ook ander kontemporêre literatuur) ondersoek maar insigte uit verwante spesialisvelde soos Persiese geskiedenis, ikonografie en argeologie is ook

in berekening gebring.

US-akademië proff Louis Jonker (Department Ou en Nuwe Testament) en Sakkie Cornelius en Johann Cook (Antieke Studie) asook buitelanders,

proff Ehud ben Zvi (Kanada), Gary Knoppers (VSA), Josef Wiesehöfer (Duitsland) en Oded Lipschits (Israel) het dié verskillende aspekte deur hul referaatbydraes in interaksie gebring.

In 'n volgende fase van die werkswinkel is gepoog om verskillende metodologiese perspektiewe op die verhouding tussen historiografie en identiteitsvorming te open. US-akademië het gereageer op die aanbiedings uit die Bybelwetenskappe en verwante gebiede – prof Albert Grundlingh (algemene historiografie) en dr Robert Vosloo en Desmond Painter (onderskeidelik metodologiese bydraes uit die filosofie van geskiedenis en uit sosiale sielkunde).

In 'n laaste fase het Bybelwetenskaplikes van ander SA instellings getoon hoe die antieke historiografieë in hedendaagse diskoerse funksioneer – om die antieke prosesse van identiteitsvorming met hedendaagse identiteitsdiskoerse in verband te probeer bring.

Die projek en werkswinkel se resultate gaan lei tot 'n gesamentlike publikasie in Duitsland.



Die kernspan navorsers van die projek en onlangse werkswinkel, van links: proff Josef Wiesehöfer, Ehud ben Zvi, Willie van Heerden, Louis Jonker (projekteier), Gary Knoppers, Makhosi Nzimande, Gerrie Snyman, Oded Lipschits en Elelwani Farisani.

Historian 'rides' high with her latest book

Few people can fuse their passion with their work, but that's what Prof Sandra Swart (photo) from the History Department has done with her new book, *Riding High: Horses, Humans and History in South Africa*.

The book – published by Wits University Press and launched first in Cape Town and then in Stellenbosch – is an “attempt to chronicle the effects of an inter-species relationship whose significance was vast and led to major changes in the history of leisure, transportation, trade, warfare, and agriculture in South Africa,” says Sandra, an associate professor who specialises in social and environmental history.

“It is a radical first effort to take the role of animals seriously when it comes to understanding our history. It does this by integrating animal history with human history, focusing on a creature – in this case, the horse – which was pivotal to humans in their exercise of power,” she explains.

As a social historian, she engages with the human oppressed, “those who are trampled underfoot by society”, but in her capacity as an environmental historian, she looks at things

that are literally trampled underfoot: the small organisms, soil, water, and biophysical surroundings.

Sandra explains that “horses helped those who did the trampling and that they were key to the colonial economies of southern Africa”.

“Just as they had done in Europe, Asia, the Americas and North Africa, these equine colonisers not only provided power and transportation but also helped transform their biophysical and social environments,” she adds.

“In their three and a half centuries in southern Africa, horses have in fact managed to leave visible tracks in the social landscape. They were replaced by machines only after a long struggle, and remained significant in sport, subsistence agriculture, and transport in areas such as the Lesotho Highlands for example. Horses have also remained key to certain public

rituals of power, as in military parades, and to intensely personal acts of empowerment such as riding for the disabled.”

Her research background and her writing over the years are reflections of her passion for social and environmental history. She has co-authored and co-edited three books – *Radelose Rebelle* in 2009, with Albert Grundlingh; *Canis Africanis – a dog history of Southern Africa* in 2008, with Lance van Sittert and *Breeds of Empire: The 'invention' of the horse in the Philippines and Southern Africa, 1500-1950* in 2007, with Greg Bankoff.

She has written more than 19 sole-authored journal articles focusing on a range of subjects: social rebellion, Afrikaner identity politics, and some bolder experimental work on, for example, a sensory history of laughter and, of course, on the role of the environment, especially animals, in

human history. In addition, she has presented her research at more than 13 national and 22 international conferences. She serves, amongst others, on the editorial board of the American-based *Agricultural History*, is an assessor for the National Research Foundation and is an editor of the *South African Historical Journal*.

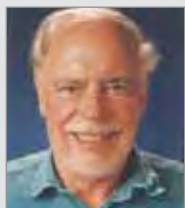
When not busy with her teaching or research, she acts as supervisor to a number of PhD and Masters' students. She received The Rector's Award for Research in 2008 for her extensive research record.

With her current book she hopes to do something radical: expand the “disciplinary vision” that historians (and other humans) have of what counts as history. “I want to reach a wider audience with this book by translating my academic research into literature that is consumable for the broader community,” she adds.



“Taking animals – and the environment more generally – into account when we discuss human history does not just add to the story we tell. It changes it fundamentally.”

– LYNNE RIPPENAAR



Drie van US oorlede

Prof Barnie Barnard (Departement Geografie en Omgewingstudie), prof Gerrie Thiant van Meganiese en Megatroniese Ingenieurswese (M&M) en mnr Butch Lochner, US-direkteur van Sport (1982-'91) is onlangs oorlede.



Kollegas onthou **prof Barnard** (bo), wat in 1960 hier aangestel is, se skerp intellek en geesdrif vir sy vakgebied. Hy was 'n kennisskepper met 'n sterk werks-etiek; 'n mentor en leermeester vir sy studente.



Oud-Matie en oud-Springbokrugbyspeler **Butch Lochner** (middel) was 'n gewilde, gerespekteerde hoof van Sport, 'n rolmodel met 'n onvoorwaardelike vertroue in sy personeel en by uitstek 'n mens-mens.

Prof Thiant (onder) was sedert 1991 by Ingenieurswese en ook by die Militêre Akademie, Saldanha. Hy word onthou vir sy deeglikheid, uitstekende vordering in die akademie, sy toegewydheid en soliede bydrae in M&M, en die verskil wat hy veral in studente se lewens gemaak het.

Getoets én gelukkig

Met die Welwees Opedae in Julie in die Neelsie kon werknemers die stand van hul gesondheid laat toets – en pryse wen.

Gretchen Arangies, middel, direkteur van Menslike Hulpbronne (Bedryf) is hier by die weners van die gelukkige trekking (van links) Juliete Combrink (pensionaris), Renata del Fava (IWWOUS), Francis Meyer (USB) en Jacquin Flandorp (Finansies: Debiteure).



Lezi Scholtz



Zanelle van Zyl en Hendri Bruwer (links voor) by paneelbeoordeelaars dr Leanne Seeliger en prof Johan Hattingh met (agter) paneelbeoordeelaars dr Coeni van Beek en Prof Pieter von Wielligh by WH van Tonder, Hansie Vermooten en JJ van de Vyver.

Studente kry smakie van sake-etiek

Danksy 'n samewerkingsprojek tussen die Universiteit Stellenbosch (US), die Loyola Marymount-universiteit (LMU) in Los Angeles en PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) kan rekeningkunde-studente by die US hul kennis van sake-etiekteorie in die “rêrige wêreld” toepas.

Die LMU en die Vereniging vir Etiek- en Voldoeningsbeamptes (ECO) se interkollege-kompetisie vir sake-etiekgevallestudies – Amerika se oudste en mees gerekende sake-etiekkompetisie, wat onlangs in 'n effens aangepaste vorm by die US

aangebied is – het dit moontlik gemaak, die eerste keer in Suid-Afrika.

Die LMU-sentrum, PwC en die US se Eenheid vir Sake-etiek en Openbare Integriteit by die Sentrum vir Toegepaste Etiek (Departement Filosofie) wil hê rekeningkunde-studente wat sake-etiek by die US studeer, moet met hul eweknieë oorsee kan meeding, sê prof Johan Hattingh, Visedekaan: Sosiale Wetenskappe.

Vier spanne het aan vanjaar se SA afdeling van die kompetisie deelgeneem en self gekies watter gevalle

hulle wou bestudeer – die sensuur op Google in China, die Tiger Brands-broodkartel, Pioneer Foods-broodkartel en Saambou Bank-skandaal.

As weners het Hendri Bruwer, JJ van de Vyver, WH van Tonder, Zanelle van Zyl en Hansie Vermooten – wat die sensuur op Google bestuurde – R7 500 gekry en die drie naasweners elkeen R2 000.

PwC het die eerste prys geborg en die Eenheid vir Sake-etiek en Openbare Integriteit (US) die naasweners s'n.

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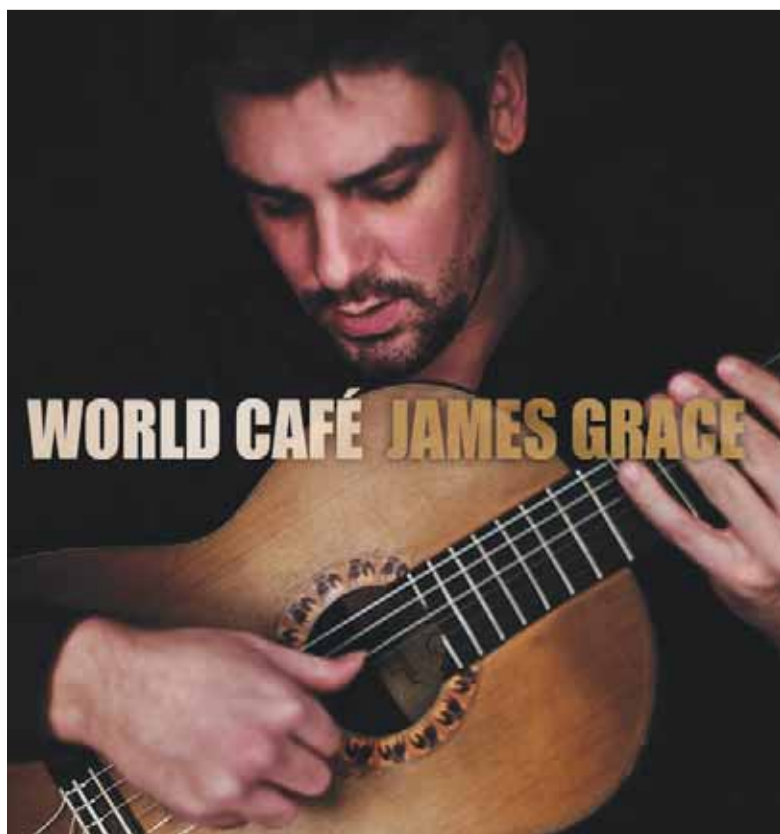
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James Grace to launch CD at Endler concert

Kanna Award winner at the 2010 ABSA KKNK, James Grace, will be launching his new CD, *World Café*, with a concert tour throughout South Africa and Zimbabwe, beginning in the Endler Hall in Stellenbosch on Sunday 7 November.

World Café (released under his own record label, Stringwise Records) is Grace's fifth solo album, which he describes as a celebration of the guitar's diversity.

'In most musical genres', says Grace, 'the guitar is almost always a primary instrument. From classical to jazz, pop to rock, flamenco to blues or folk, the guitar is always present. So I thought a global tour, in which I included musical styles from several countries, would be an ideal way to showcase the versatility of the instrument'.

Featuring music from countries including America, Australia, Turkey, Spain, France, Scotland, England and of course South Africa, *World Café* does indeed showcase the guitar in a variety of styles.

Grace's previous two albums (*Sevilla – Music of Spain II* and *Café Latino*) have both topped the Classic FM Top 20 Charts, and earned Grace SAMA nominations for Best Popular Classical Album and Best Instrumental Album respectively.

This year Grace's concert schedule has taken him throughout South Africa, the UAE and Zimbabwe. He was the soloist in Rodrigo's *Concierto de Aranjuez* with the Cape Philharmonic Orchestra and Pieter Daniel at Kirstenbosch's Summer Concert Series, and recently Grace joined forces with Jonathan Crossley to give the South African premiere of Rodrigo's *Concierto Madrigal* for two guitars with the Johannesburg Philharmonic Orchestra and Alessandro Crudele.

Grace is Head of Guitar Studies at the South African College of Music at UCT, and is currently in the final stages of setting up the Stringwise Young Artist's Trust, with the aim of providing financial assistance to graduates wanting to record their own albums.

The Endler Hall concert on 7 November starts at 16.00. Ticket prices: R90/60. Book at 021 808 2345. Visit www.jamesgrace.co.za for more information.

US lewer vyfde keer in nege jaar ATKV-Muzik se wenner

Vir die vyfde keer in die nege jaar wat die ATKV-Muzik-kompetisie aangebied word, het 'n Matie dit gewen. Orrelstudent Winand Grundlingh (foto) het R43 000 aan prysgeld losgeslaan in dié landwye kompetisie vir klassieke musiek wat onlangs in die Endlersaal op Stellenbosch gehou is. Hy het naas die eerste prys van R36 000 ook R7 000 in die kompetisie se orrelkategorie gewen.

In 2002, toe die kompetisie die eerste keer gehou is, was die Matie Erik Dippenaar (orrel) die wenner. Die ander US-wenners was die hobospeler André van Daalen in 2004, Minette du Toit-Pearce (mezzosopraan, 2006) en pianis Esthea Kruger in 2008.

Grundlingh – 'n meestersgraadstudent van Mario Nell by die US – het verlede jaar R200 000 se beursgeld in Unisa se Oorsese Musiekstu-

diebeurs-kompetisie gewen. In 2003 het Dippenaar, ook as student van Mario Nell, dié kompetisie gewen.

In sy BMus-finalejaar in Port-Elizabeth is Grundlingh toegelaat om met orrellesse by Nell te begin, en het daarna as honneursstudent by die US ingeskryf.

ATKV-Muzik teiken jong volwasse musici in die ouderdomsgroep 15-27 jaar vir instrumentaliste, en tot 32 jaar oud vir sang



R100 000 aan prysgeld was vanjaar op die spel – wat naas die eerste prys van R36 000 ook R12 000 vir 'n sangbeurs ingesluit het, asook ses beurse van R7 000 elk vir instrumentaliste en nog twee beurse van R5 000 elk, onder meer vir die beste vertolking van 'n Suid-Afrikaanse werk.

Museumdirekteur nasionaal vereer

Die SA Nasionale Vereniging vir die Visuele Kunste (SANAVA) se nasionale raad het dr Lydia de Waal, direkteur van die Universiteitsmuseum, vereer vir haar buitengewoon aktiewe dienste aan die visuele kunste. Sy is hier by prof Müller Ballot – 'n vorige voorsitter van SANAVA en haar voorganger as direkteur van die museum – met die oorhandiging van die toekenning op Stellenbosch. De Waal is sedert die middel-1970's lid van 'n kunsvereniging-tak, aanvanklik in Bloemfontein en later in Pretoria, waar sy in 1995-'98 in die Noord-Transvaalse streek se raad gedien het. In 2001 het sy direkteur van die US Museum geword en sedert die Stellenbosse Kunsvereniging in 2006 gestig is, verteenwoordig sy die Universiteit in die vereniging se uitvoerende komitee.



Solo exhibition of art jewellery in SU Gallery

In her third solo exhibition entitled *Self*, artist jeweller Angela Tölken, also known under her trade name AnGela®, will present her latest work at the Art Gallery of the University of Stellenbosch from 27 October until 20 November. The jewellery on show will be hand crafted to immaculate perfection, with every work a once-off piece of wearable art created laboriously over the duration of several weeks. Angela's work subtly deals with memory, experience and self-consciousness without losing its strong aesthetic and formal appeal. Her pieces are evocative, distinctly feminine and reveal an express interest in the enormous formal and technical potential of metal.



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Eiendomsdienste se PRO-span versnel dienslewering op kampus

'n Proaktiewe instandhoudingspan wat as die PRO-span bekend staan, is vanaf Mei reeds besig met 'n nuwe benadering tot instandhoudingswerk op die Stellenbosch-kampus.

"In plaas van slegs die deurlopende reaktiewe instandhoudingsdienste het ons nou 'n span wat proaktief instandhoudingsbehoefes identifiseer en vroegtydig aandag daaraan skenk," sê Eiendomsdienste se direkteur, mnr John Villet. "Ons doelwit is om stelselmatig oor te gaan vanaf die huidige reaktiewe optrede na 'n beplande en voorkomende instandhoudingsbenadering."

Die behoefte om werk na-ure te doen, het onder andere ontstaan omdat verskeie lokale, byvoorbeeld lesingsale, nie in normale werksure vir onderhoud beskikbaar is nie – en die behoefte om geboue sistematies te oudit en gebreke te identifiseer.

Dit word dan aangespreek voordat dit vir 'n gebruiker nodig word om dit by Fasiliteitsbestuur se Hulptonbank aan te meld. Fasiliteitsbestuur wil dus

hiermee nie net die aantal reaktiewe aanmeldings afbestuur nie, maar ook uitvoering gee aan 'n oorhoofse strategie van opratting in dienslewering.

Die PRO-span se werksure is Maandae tot Donderdae van 13:30 tot 22:15 en hulle klem is nou op beplande elektriese, loodgieter- en skrynerwerkonderhoud.

Die PRO-span se kleredrag onderskei hulle van die res van Eiendomsdienste se werknemers sodat hulle maklik uitgekken kan word en kliënte met vrymoedigheid gebreke onder hul aandag kan bring. Die PRO-span hanteer ook die na-uurse uitroep en aanmeldings wat by USBD uitkom.

Rig enige navrae of terugvoer oor die PRO-span se werksaamhede aan mnr Villet by jvillet@sun.ac.za of 021 808 4663.

– PRISCILLA BOOYSEN



Anton Jordan

Lede van die nuwe Proaktiewe Instandhoudingspan op die Stellenbosch-kampus.

Pretmakers doen dit vir 'n goeie doel

Op Losliddag vroeg in September het vrolike uitrustings op kampus nie net pret verskaf nie, maar ook geld vir gestremde persone ingesamel. Kloksgewys van bo: Dr Jerome van Wyk, direkteur van die kantoor vir Diensbillikheid en Diversiteitsbevordering, wat die prys vir die bes geklede Losliddag-deelnemer aan Chriszelda Adendorff van Menslike Hulpbronne oorhandig het. Chantal Newman, persoonlike assistent van die direkteur van Finansies, met haar kleurvolle hooftoisiel. Dorothy van Kerwel, Martin Viljoen en Olivia Leo van die Ontwikkelingspan met hul pretuitrustings. Carol Lawrence by die rektorat het saam met prof Julian Smith "skooldae" uitgebeeld.



Centre for Prospective Students reaches for 2015 diversity aim

Farah Fredericks (second from left), project co-ordinator of the Centre for Prospective Students (CPS) with Mtunzi Gqada, Portia Moemedi and Khomotso Makhafola, three of the 18 top academic learners from all over the country who were on campus recently for a *Visit@Maties* – an all expenses paid trip to the campus, exposing them to our campus culture, hostel life, academic facilities and the broad Stellenbosch and Cape Town community.

Over the years the CPS has introduced a number of focused recruitment activities to increase the participation rates of students from diverse backgrounds and cultures on campus. CPS advisors attend parent evenings and career exhibitions in several provinces and visit up to 300 schools annually. To draw the best students to higher education, the CPS uses its most powerful recruitment tool – our beautiful campus with its unique student culture and excellent academic reputation.

Projects such as *A Day in the Life of a Matie* and *Visit@Maties* showcase what the University has on offer – for learners to experience why the University is rated amongst the top in the country, and why it would be beneficial to make Maties their first choice. With these projects the CPS is throwing its weight behind the University's commitment to diversify the campus by 34% in 2015.

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