Southern African Geography Teachers' Association

ACADEMIC CONFERENCE



24 and 25 June 2022 BEAULIEU COLLEGE

Theme: "CHANGE"

Programme Friday 24 June 2022

09h00 to 09h30	Registration
09h30 to 09h45	Welcome and Housekeeping
09h45 to 10h30	Dr Mary Evans & Julia Pahl - Are our Head Teachers okay? COVID and the effects on School Principals.
10h30 to 11h15	Dr Paul Goldschagg; Dr Clinton van der Merwe & Prof. Di Wilmot - Exploring the role of a teacher-initiated professional learning community to support, strengthen and enhance South African geography teaching during and after the COVID-19 pandemic.
11h15 to 11h45	Network and Coffee
11h45 to 12h30	Marc Blackbeard - The discovery and taphonomy of an
	early Jurassic dinosaur bone-bed in the Free-State, and
	how it can be used to analyse paleoclimate, with an inference to understanding modern climate change and
	global warming.
12h30 to 13h15	Prof. Jennifer Fitchett - El Niño
13h15 to 14h00	Lunch
14h00 to 15h00	Dr Sarah Roffe - "The South African summer wet
	season - why was it so wet and what is the future outlook?
15h00 to 16h00	Prof. Coleen Vogel - Climate change – much talk and impacts but where to next?
16h00 to 16h30	National <u>SAGTA Committee</u> Meeting
16h45 onwards	Evening Sundowners and Snacks (Sports Pavillion)

Programme Saturday 25 June 2022

08h00 to 08h30 Coffee

08h30 to 10h30 Courses A or C (Part 1)...

10h30 to 11h00 Coffee

11h00 to 13h00 Courses B or C (part 2)...

A - Problem Based Learning (Prof. Aubrey Golightly) 08h30 - 10h30: "Problem-based learning to foster meaningful geography learning" followed by a workshop led by Dr Clinton van der Merwe.

B - Waste Picking (Dr T Schoeman) 11h00 - 12h00 followed by Academic Writing (Koketso Khule) 12h00 - 13h00 (If time permits - some fluvial teaching tricks - Sandbox)

C - Intro to GIS - (2 parts) (Additional Cost) - Certificate accreditation.

13h00 Close

Program as at 22 June 2022 - 17h14.