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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE
"Creating a Legacy through Heritage Education
and Time Travels"
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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

Tuesday, 11 th September 2018	
8h00	Registration
9h00	Entertainment Vulamehlo school, Khuthalani school, Edwaleni school
9h15	Welcome: Ms Jane Mufamadi [CEO Freedom Park Heritage Site and Museum]
9h45	Bridging Ages Address: Ms Annina Ylikoski [President of Bridging Ages International]
10h00	Opening Key Note Address: ""Creating a legacy through heritage education and Time Travels": Mr.Vusumzi Mkhize [Director General: Department Arts and Culture]
10h30	Address from Sweden's Ambassador to South Africa Cecilia Julin
10h40	Bridging Ages video
10h50	Health Break
11h15	Presentation on the Legacy of Nelson Mandela: His importance for the future : Mr.Sello Hattang – Nelson Mandela foundation Presentation on the Legacy of Albertina Sisulu: Her importance for the future : Ms.Elinor Sisulu
11h45	Preparation for the Time Travel event

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12h10	Lunch
13h00	Time Travel Event "Creating a legacy"
16h00	End
16h00	Informal reception at Freedom Park
Wednesday, 12th September 2018	
08h00	Registration
08h30	Entertainment Kliptown Youth Program
9h15	<p>Moderator: <i>Annina Ylikoski</i></p> <p>Contemporary challenges and Time Travels in Sweden and Europe: <i>Tina Lindström and Örjan Molander, Kalmar county museum, Sweden</i></p> <p>Contemporary challenges and Time Travels in Kenya: <i>Mildred Ayere, Maseno University, Kenya</i></p> <p>Contemporary challenges and Time Travels in South Africa: <i>Gulshera Khan, Andy Peterson, Radikobo Ntsimane, Ebbe Westergren</i></p>

10h45	Health break
11h00	<p>Group sessions In each session there will be several presentations giving various perspectives on the key questions below. Each presenter will have 10 minutes on Challenges, Empirical work and How Time Travel can make a difference for the future? There will be room for reflections and discussions. The main focus is the future. Each group prepares for a presentation on Thursday morning, including five actions</p> <p>Key Questions in all three groups: <i>Create a legacy for the future</i> <i>Challenges in society. How to address the challenges in society/ in the country? How can the Time Travel method make a difference?</i> <i>Five actions for the future!</i></p> <p>Group 1, Moderators: Judy Mkhize, Radikobo Ntsimane <i>Vivian Krokfors</i>, teacher, Finland. Time Travels to periods of wars 1918 and 1940s. (Nationalism, identity) <i>Radikobo Ntsimane</i>, KZN Museum Service, South Africa. The Contestation of the South African national anthem as a Reconciliatory Tool. (Reconcile or alienate?) <i>Elias Nel</i>. My Afrikaans house has many residences. (Afrikaans as a reconciliation language, co-existence with other languages)</p> <p>KwaZulu-Natal: <i>Mdu Ngilo</i>, PSTA. Tourism and Community building, <i>Judy Mkhize</i>, PSTA, Time Travels and school curriculum. Northern Cape: <i>Samantha Blanckemberg</i>, McGregor Museum Free State, <i>Ntando Mbatha</i>, Department of Sport, Art, Culture and Recreation (Time Travel and societal change/transformation)</p>

Group 2, Moderators Mildred Ayere, Thabiso Maake, Johanna Ejderstedt

Annina Ylikoski and Victoria Nylund, BARK, Vasa, Finland. Heritage Bridge, cooperation Finland and the Baltic countries
Ras Mpho Jeffrey Molapisi, Ras Molapisi Institute. The status quo remains: Museums and heritage sites in the North West province

Johanna Ejderstedt, Adam Norman, Sweden The duality in creating a legacy: the Time Travel Method in a world of constant change

North West; *Mosako Logetho, Kraaipan museum. Losette Absalom, Dianah Madiehe, Tlokwe Time Travel*

Gauteng: *Bessie Makhuba, Mogale City Museum (Museum and community)*

Thabiso Maake, Freedom Park. The role of Freedom park and Voortrekker Monument in shaping national identity and social cohesion.

Group 3, Moderators Tina Lindström, Örjan Molander

Monica Mattbäck, Deputy principle, Vasa, Finland. How to build a country after a civil war? Time Travel to 1918. (unite a divided nation, democracy)

Johan Eggers, teacher, Karlskrona, Sweden. International and intercultural collaboration

Coral Bijoux, Voices of Women. Critical view on the implications of omission

Learners at Sobantu Secondary School, Mthombeni Mphilisi, Hawukele Shabane, teachers, South Africa. From waste to treasure. Recycling waste to create a better life for the residents of Sobantu township.

Eastern Cape: *Nelly Mkhize, Solomza Bovana, Pumeza Mandela, Nelson Mandela Museum. (Inspiring leaders for the future, Nelson Mandela).*

Mpumalanga: *Themba Shilubane (Time Travel and commemoration, unity)*

Western Cape: *Andy Peterson, Bridging Ages Western Cape, Basil De Wee (12 years of experiences with Time Travels, engagement with senior citizens)*

12h30	Lunch
13h30	Plenary session Time Travel and therapy. <i>Wellington Bobore, Inathi Child and Youth Care Facility</i> Drama experience. <i>Kliptown Youth Program</i>
14h00	The three parallel group sessions/workshops continue:
16h00	End
18h00	Reception at the Residence of the Swedish Ambassador Address: Canopus Street 287, Pretoria
Thursday 13 September 2018	
8h30	Registration
08h30	Entertainment Jopie Fourie school

09h00	“Visions with actions can change the world” (<i>Nelson Mandela</i>) Plenary. The South African, Kenyan and European and the common way to meet challenges of today, and how the Time Travel method and Applied Heritage can make a difference. Presentations. Actions.
11h45	World project on collecting information on heritage on Wikipedia, Wikimedia Sweden
12h00	Lunch
13h00	Bridging Ages South Africa meeting, Action plan, AGM
14h15	Bridging Ages International meeting, AGM
15h30	Vote of thanks. Invitation to next years’ conference
16h00	Closure
Friday, 14th September 2018	
8h30	Excursion to Johannesburg and Soweto : Mandela Home in Vilakazi Street, Hector Pieterse Memorial and Museum, and Kliptown Museum



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