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CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENT

CALL FOR PAPERS

The Southern African Society of Legal Historians will be presenting a conference from **05 to 09 October 2015**.

Theme: "**Legislation in the Western legal tradition**". This topic provides scope for reflection on a wide range of subjects in legal-historical discourse.

The conference will take place at Sun City which is close to Johannesburg, Pretoria and the OR Tambo International Airport.

Attending our conference at an exclusive and luxury venue in Africa will provide you with a wide range of hotels to suit every taste at Sun City Resort, Africa's Kingdom of Pleasure. The resort has something for everyone and an exceptional range of sport and leisure facilities, *inter alia* Game Walks as well as Morning-, Afternoon- and Night Game Drives in the beautiful Pilanesberg National Park, to name a few. Please note that this is a malaria-free area.



Sun City

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The conference attendees will arrive at Sun City on **Monday 5 October**, registering from 2pm, and depart on **Friday 9 October 2015**. On Tuesday morning the Conference will start with a plenary session. The working sessions will start each day at 9am; lunch will be served between 12.30 and 2pm, and the afternoon session will end at 4pm. The rest of each day will be yours to lounge around the pools or do any of the other exciting things mentioned above.

Please note that if you were to arrive either at an earlier date or if you wish to stay longer, you are of course welcome to do so. Conference tariffs will be valid three days prior and three days after the official conference dates.

Accommodation:

- ~ The Cabanas, which is also a very child-friendly hotel (subject to availability) OR
- ~ The Cascades Hotel (a block booking of x 40 rooms were made for SASLH delegates / GRP47 UNI1503) OR
- ~ The Palace of the Lost City (subject to availability). The venues for our welcoming cocktail and dinner on the first night as well as the conference venues are situated in this hotel.



In view of the fact that October is a very popular month to visit Sun City, availability of accommodation will work on a “first-come, first served” basis.



Sun City offers wonderful facilities for children, for example Camp Kwena and Valley of the Waves.



Costs:

The conference package includes the registration fee; luxury accommodation; breakfast and lunch every day, tea/coffee and refreshments twice daily, welcoming cocktail and dinner (in the Queen's Quarters) on Monday, and a Gala Dinner (Lost City Crocodile Lounge) on Thursday.

Package 1 / The Cabanas for 4 nights (5, 6, 7, 8 October)

From R 11,860.00 per person in a single room, bed and breakfast

From R 12,500.00 sharing double room occupancy, bed and breakfast + R 1,700.00 spouse/partner function/dinner costs

Package 2 / The Cascades Hotel for 4 nights (5, 6, 7, 8 October)

From R 17,360.00 per person in a single room, bed and breakfast

From R 18,140.00 sharing double room occupancy, bed and breakfast + R 1,700.00 for spouse/partner function/dinner costs

Package 3 / The Palace of the Lost City for 4 nights (5, 6, 7, 8 October)

From R 20,630.00 per person in a single room, bed and breakfast

From R 24,045.00 sharing double room occupancy, bed and breakfast + R 1,700.00 for spouse/partner function/dinner costs

Please note that lunch and tea/coffee breaks are not included in the above rates for spouse/partner and/or children.

Excluded: Arrival and departure airport transfers; meals not specified (dinners on 6 and 7 October will be for own account); spouse/partner and/or children lunches; personal travel insurance; bar/beverages in room minibar; personal room service; bar & beverages not specified; leisure activities and game drives at Sun City Resort and Pilanesberg National Park.

Transport:

The organisers (Colours of Africa) will arrange transport between OR Tambo International Airport and Sun City Resort (approximately 200 km one way). There is also a small airport close to Sun City and anyone wishing to make use of it can fly there from OR Tambo International Airport.

Rates:

Sedan Car (1 - 2 pax) per vehicle one way	R 1 560.00
Minivan (3 - 7 pax) per vehicle one way	R 2 445.00
8 - 13 pax per vehicle one way	R 2 710.00

The cost will depend on the number of passengers per vehicle. If you are willing to wait for other passengers arriving with other airlines, the cost will be less. More information about this will be supplied at a later stage.

Additional information:

More information, for example concerning the deadline for abstracts, will be sent to you early in January 2015.

Nota bene:

In order to secure our reservation at Sun City we will need to pay a 50% deposit on or before **Friday 23 January 2015**. This deposit is refundable in the unlikely event that less than 50 participants/accompanying persons register for the conference and we cannot continue with it. The balance will be payable by **Friday 31 July 2015**.

It is important that you please let us know, if possible, on or **before 15 December 2014**, whether (1) you would like to attend the conference (single, double or family room / package option) and (2) whether you will be presenting a paper. With this information we can go ahead and start organizing the conference of your dreams!

We are looking forward to hearing from you.

Best wishes

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