

# The Association for Mathematics Education of South Africa



Reclaiming our African pride through mathematics teaching

**22<sup>nd</sup> Annual National Congress**  
**27 June – 01 July 2016**



**Tshwane University of Technology**  
**Mbombela Campus, Mpumalanga**

**FINAL ANNOUNCEMENT AND REGISTRATION FORM**

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Answer = 12

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You are invited to participate in the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual National Congress of the Association for Mathematics Education of South Africa (AMESA) and to contribute around the theme

## *Reclaiming our African pride through mathematics teaching*

### **VENUE**

Tshwane University of Technology (Mbombela Campus)  
Madiba Drive  
Mbombela (Nelspruit)  
Mpumalanga Province  
South Africa

### **DATE**

27 June – 01 July 2016

### **CONGRESS THEME**

#### **Reclaiming our African pride through mathematics teaching**

Mathematics drives all human development and is an important part of human culture. Professions such as Engineering, Medicine, Statistics, Actuarial Sciences, Chartered Accountancy, etc. are all mathematically driven and attest to mathematics being an important aspect of human culture. It follows that without a pool of mathematicians, Africa and South Africa, in particular, will not be able to compete with the rest of the world in terms of economic growth and scientific research. When certain South African companies and government departments make use of imported workers in various scarce fields, there is a general outcry in the country due to our high unemployment rate.

Results from TIMSS and international mathematics competitions indicate that as a country we are not doing well in mathematics. Our own national assessments (ANA and NSC) also report that we need to work hard. If the status quo remains then our country's economic growth and development will be negatively affected.

The theme for congress 2016 calls on all mathematics teachers and mathematics teacher educators to do a rethink on the teaching and learning of the subject. The theme requires that we explore ways in which we should teach mathematics in such a way that we regain our pride through high participation and performance in the subject. The theme requires us to reflect on the spirit of Africanism, the spirit of sharing, not only sharing of resources but mathematical knowledge and good teaching practices.

Congress 2016 will explore various ways through which we can be proud of our teaching and learning of mathematics.

**Come and be a part of this historical event!**

## THE 2016 PROGRAMME includes:

### **Pre-Congress workshops** on 26 June 2016 from 14:00 to 17:00

- Details to be confirmed. Please check AMESA Congress 2016 website for details closer to the commencement of Congress 2016

### **Plenary addresses** by the following invited speakers:

- Robyn Jorgensen (International Speaker from the University of Canberra, Australia)
- Mogege Mosimege (Chief Research Specialist from the HSRC)
- Siphos Moses Thwala (Director in the Mpumalanga Department of Education)
- Nicky Roberts (Director of Kelello consulting)
- Stephan Wagner (Professor at Stellenbosch University)

### **Panel discussions** on important issues in mathematics education:

- Panel 1: This panel discussion is chaired by Lindiwe Tshabalala (Gauteng Department of Education and is based on the theme *Reclaiming our African Pride through Mathematics teaching*)
- Panel 2: Our second panel discussion will be on *Issues in Primary School Mathematics*. This panel will be chaired by Sharon McAuliff. (Cape Peninsula University of Technology)

### **Parallel sessions** presented by participants, in the following areas:

Foundation Phase, Intermediate Phase, Senior Phase, FET Phase, and Teacher Education.

The following formats of presentation will be used:

- Long papers (40 minute presentation plus 20 minute discussion)
- Short papers (20 minute presentation plus 10 minute discussion)
- "How I Teach" papers (20 minute presentation plus 10 minute discussion)
- Posters (Exhibited on a 1,2 m x 1,8 m board, for the duration of the conference. Authors should be available at certain hours for discussion.)
- Workshops (1 or 2 hours)

### **AMESA interest group** discussion sessions:

- Curriculum Phase Committees
- Mathematical Problem solving
- Writing and reviewing for AMESA
- Mathematics Teacher Education

**Exhibits and Maths Market:** Vendors will exhibit and promote their products.

### **AMESA Annual General Meeting (AGM)**

### **AMESA Regional Meetings**

## OTHER FEATURES OF OUR 2016 CONGRESS

Social events

Daily competitions

Transport

Excursions

Congress bags

Memorabilia

Internet facilities

## THE VENUE

The Tshwane University of Technology (TUT) is a proud product of South Africa's first decade of democracy. While the size and scope of this dynamic new institution impresses, the quality of its teaching, research and community engagement is what makes the University really stand out. TUT was established on 1 January 2004, with the merging of the former Technikon Northern Gauteng, Technikon North-West and Technikon Pretoria. At the time of the merger, the uniquely South African institutional designation of "Technikon" was dropped in favour of the internationally accepted "University of Technology" designation.



TUT Mbombela campus is located in the capital city (Mbombela) of the Mpumalanga Province. It is located on one of the main roads, Madiba Drive, and is well served by public transport. The Campus is within walking distance of one mall with most amenities and within 10 minutes drive from the Central Business District.

## CONTACT DETAILS

Please send all communication about *administrative matters* to:

### **The AMESA Congress Secretary**

Nombulelo Mandindi

P.O. Box 54

2050 WITS

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Fax: 086 406 3591

Email: [congress2016@amesa.org.za](mailto:congress2016@amesa.org.za)

Please send all communication about the *academic programme* to:

### **The Academic Coordinator**

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### **Congress website**

See the congress website for updated relevant information:

<http://www.amesa.org.za/AMESA2016/>

## **ORGANISING COMMITTEES**

**Local Organising Committee (LOC)** is made up of members who have been actively involved in the branches and provincial structures of AMESA. They come from a variety of backgrounds and include teachers, subject advisors, administrators and mathematics educators.






Isaiah Ronald Shabangu (Chair), Phillip Mokwena, Elijah Nkosi, Richard Maziya, Mokone Phora, Nkosinathi Nkambule, Nonhlanhla Myeni, Diapo Makhubele, M Mabushe; KE Nkosi, Siphwe Maseko, JE Shabangu, ZC Mashaba, TS Mnguni, Joseph Ncongwane , Cynthia Mlambo, John Acquah, Veni Mabhena, DJ Zwane , Daphney Rettsure and Phumzile Maluleka.

**The AMESA National Organising Committee (NOC)** is a National Council sub-committee involved in national congress tasks and supporting the LOC: Vasuthavan Govender (Chair), Rajen Govender, Gary Powell, Phillip Mokwena, Nombulelo Mandindi

## **DEADLINES**



Submission of full presentation proposal manuscripts:	11 March
Notification of proposal review results:	20 April
Application for financial support:	30 April
<i>Early registration at a reduced fee:</i>	by 30 April
<i>Normal registration at normal fee:</i>	1 May to 26 May
<i>Late registration at an increased fee:</i>	after 26 May
Cancellation of any costs:	by 31 May
Equipment requests for presenters:	1 June
Registration opens:	26 June, 14:00
Residences open:	26 June, 14:00
Opening ceremony:	27 June, 10:30
Closing ceremony:	1 July, 12:00

## PLENARY SPEAKERS

 <p>Robyn Jorgensen (Australia)</p>	<p>Robyn Jorgensen is Professor of Education: Equity and Pedagogy at the University of Canberra. She has spent her career working in the most disadvantaged schools seeking to find practices that can bring about success in mathematics for those students who are most at risk of failing. Her work focuses on teaching practices and how these can be developed for the needs of the learners while ensuring that success is achieved. She is a highly accomplished researcher but has also spent time out of the University sector working in schools as a principal and CEO of a remote Indigenous school in Central Australia (2009-2010). She brings a practical wisdom to her work that speaks to teachers, educators and students.</p>
 <p>Mogege Mosimege</p>	<p>Mogege Mosimege is a Professor of Education and is currently a Chief Research Specialist in the Education and Skills Development Programme at the Human Sciences Research Council (HSRC) in Pretoria, South Africa. His responsibilities include leading a team of researchers as Principal Investigator in research projects in the Education and Skills Development area, including projects in Mathematics and Science Education. He has presented papers and published in the following areas: Ethno-mathematics, Curriculum Development in Mathematics and Science Education, Indigenous Knowledge Systems and other key areas.</p>
 <p>Nicky Roberts</p>	<p>Nicky Roberts is the director of Kelello Consulting which specialises in mathematics education and technology enhanced learning. She has just completed her PhD. Her PhD was a design experiment undertaken in a full-service school within a poor South African community. Her research interests are in early learning of mathematics with a focus on inclusive mathematical thinking and the use of narrative (with children making use of oral story-telling and written representations) for mathematical sense-making, explanation and proof.</p>
 <p>Siphon Moses Thwala</p>	<p>Siphon Moses Thwala has served in various capacities in the education field since he started teaching in the 1980s. He is a strong union person and has served in his unions' branch and provincial executive committees. He holds a Doctorate in Education Management and is currently a Director in the Mpumalanga Department of Education.</p>
 <p>Stephan Wagner</p>	<p>Stephan Wagner grew up in Graz (Austria), where he also received his PhD from Graz University of Technology in 2006. Shortly afterwards, he moved to South Africa to join Stellenbosch University, where he is currently a Professor and the head of the Mathematics Division. His research interests lie mostly in combinatorics and related areas, including connections to other scientific fields such as physics, chemistry and computer science. He is also strongly involved in mathematical competitions, in particular the South African Mathematics Olympiad.</p>

## PLENARY PANEL DISCUSSIONS

The plenary panel discussions promote incisive debate on topical issues in the mathematics education field with invited key players who can open up insights that are valuable for the community to engage with and question.

 <p>Lindiwe Tshabalala Chair of Panel Discussion 1</p>	<p>Lindiwe Tshabalala is an experienced educationist and has served in various capacities since she started her career. She is currently a co-editor of AMESA's LTM journal and also represents AMESA in the South African National Council for the International Mathematics Union (SANCIMU). She is a Chief Education Specialist in the Gauteng Department of Education where she handles the research portfolio. She is currently busy with her PhD studies. She has presented papers at various national and international conference. Lindiwe will be the chair and participant of the first panel discussion which is based on our theme: <i>Reclaiming our African Pride through Mathematics teaching</i></p>
 <p>Sharon McAuliffe Chair of Panel Discussion 2</p>	<p>Sharon McAuliffe is a senior lecturer in the Faculty of Education at Cape Peninsula University of Technology and has spent the last 20 years working with pre-service and in-service primary school teachers. She has published conference papers and journal articles in teacher education and regularly reviews for mathematics education journals and conferences. Her research interests include professional teacher development; pre-service mathematics education; teacher knowledge; and teaching algebra and geometry in the primary school. Sharon will be the chair and participant of the second panel discussion which is: <i>Issues in Primary School Mathematics</i></p>

## PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

### Sunday 26 June

10:00 – 20:00 Registration at Admin Building  
14:00 – Hostel accommodation opens & Pre-congress workshops start

### Monday 27 June

08:00 – 10:00 Registration at University Admin Building (Tea/Coffee)  
10:30 – Opening ceremony (TUT Hall)  
18:30 – **Welcome dinner**

### Tuesday 28 June

08:30 – Congress day starts  
18:30 – **Cultural evening**

### Wednesday 29 June

08:30 – Congress day starts  
13:00 – 18:30 **Excursions** (packed lunch)

### Thursday 30 June

08:30 – Congress day starts  
19:00 – **Gala dinner**

### Friday 1 July

08:30 – Congress day starts  
11:30 – Closing Ceremony  
12:30 – Lunch and departure

## EXCURSIONS (Wednesday afternoon, 29 June 2016)

Participants may choose *one* of the three excursions listed below – please indicate your choice on the Registration Form. The quoted tour costs include transport and entry fees. Bookings will be confirmed on a first-come-first-served basis. We reserve the right to cancel an excursion if too few



bookings are made. Tour buses will depart from TUT at 13:00 and return at approximately 20:00. No beverages will be provided during any of the tours. All participants will have to sign a bus-transport indemnity form.

<b>Tour no</b>	<b>Name of tour</b>	<b>Details and other information</b>	<b>Cost</b>
<b>1</b>	Kruger National park	Kruger National park has a lot of animals that delegates may see. The park offers a very special environmental experience to visitors.	R300
<b>2</b>	Echo caves, via Drie Rondavels	The Drie Rondavels inspired our logo. They are natural structures that look man made.	R350
<b>3</b>	Jeppes' reef cultural centre	It is a cultural centre, showcasing local cultural activities	R250
<b>4</b>	Bourke's luck potholes via the Pinnacle rock and God's window	Witness a magnificent natural attraction where there is a series of natural geological formations that seem nearer to art than nature.	R300
<b>5</b>	Sudwala caves via Mbombela stadium	The caves are a set of Precambrian dolomite rock formed million years ago. There are a number of speleothem structures in the cave.	R170

## EVENING SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

<b>Monday, 27 June</b>	18:30	<b>Welcome dinner</b> (free) Cash bar available
<b>Tuesday, 28 June</b>	18:30	<b>Cultural evening</b> (R200/person) Cash bar available
<b>Thursday, 30 June</b>	19:00	<b>Gala dinner</b> (R360/person) Cash bar available

## ACCOMMODATION IN AMESA MANAGED HOSTELS

Congress accommodation (bed and breakfast) will be available in the hostels managed by AMESA for participants who register before 31 May 2015.

Bookings will be made on a first- come first-served basis. We cannot guarantee that hostel accommodation will be available if you register after 31 May 2016. For all bookings made after 31 May 2016, we suggest that participants make their own accommodation arrangements.

**Costs** for accommodation in hostels:

<b># nights</b>	<b>Cost per person, including breakfast</b>
5	5 × R350 = R1750
4	4 × R350 = R1400
3	3 × R350 = R1050
2	2 × R350 = R700
1	1 × R350 = R350

**On sharing:** The University does not give us any discount for sharing a room. Therefore the rate for single and shared accommodation is the same. If you prefer to share a room with a friend or colleagues, you must on the Registration Form provide the name of your roommate to enable us to arrange it.

**No dinner** is provided for participants staying in hostels. (Note that the evening functions on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, and the excursions on Wednesday provide dinners.) Also note that there is a convenient shopping center off campus.

**Transport:** Transport will be provided for participants who will be residing in hostels.

**Please note:**

- Bedding is provided but please bring an extra blanket for a more comfortable stay.
- Bring your own towel and toiletries.
- Breakfast will be served from 06:30 to 08:00.
- Rooms are not serviced for security reasons and participants have to clean their own rooms and make their own beds.
- No smoking and no alcohol is allowed in the rooms.
- There is a communal bath/shower (i.e. rooms do not have their own bathroom).
- Males and females will be housed in different hostels.
- Booking in time is 14:00 and booking out time is 10:00.

## ALTERNATIVE ACCOMMODATION

We provide details of hotel and guest house accommodation in Mbombela. All the establishments are about 10 km from the University of Tshwane, Mbombela Campus. Participants should make their own arrangements with these establishments, and should confirm these details before doing their bookings.

Hotel / Lodge/ Guest House	Contact / Email	Rate /night	#Rooms
Bavaria Guest Lodge	Tell : 013 741 1703 <a href="http://www.bavariaguestlodge.co.za">www.bavariaguestlodge.co.za</a>	R650	
Nomndeni View	Tell : 013 7449189 <a href="http://www.nomndeni.co.za">www.nomndeni.co.za</a>	Please call for rates	10
Kelkiewyn B&B	Tell : 013 741 3136 <a href="http://www.35kelkiewyn.co.za">www.35kelkiewyn.co.za</a>	R700	
Sun 1	Tell : 013 741 4490 Email: <a href="mailto:sun1.nelspruit@tsogosun.com">sun1.nelspruit@tsogosun.com</a> <a href="http://www.tsogosunhotels.com/sun1">www.tsogosunhotels.com/sun1</a>	R484	76
The Palms guest house	Tele / Fax : 013 755 4374 Mobile : 084 904 5000 <a href="http://www.thepalmsnelspruit.co.za">www.thepalmsnelspruit.co.za</a>	R340	
Emoyeni Lodge	Tell : 013 744 9551 Mobile : 083 482 9090 <a href="http://Emoyenilodge.co.za">Emoyenilodge.co.za</a>	R450-R800	48
Harmony Guest house	Mobile : 082 495 1382 Email : <a href="http://harmonygh.wix.com">harmonygh.wix.com</a>	R450	16
Crododile Nest Bed and Breakfast	Tell: 013 744 9934 Mobile : 072 152 2160 <a href="http://www.crocodilenest.co.za">www.crocodilenest.co.za</a>	R480	12

West Acres Accommodation	Tell : 013 744 9551	R350	
The Whistling Thorn	Tell: 013 741 4089 Mobile : 079 605 8891 www.whistlingthorn.co.za	R700	7
Stone Edge Guest House	Tell : 013 741 4798	R600	
Home Inn Guest House	Tell : 013 752 6195 www.homeinn.co.za	R660	11
Nelspruit B & B	Tell : 013 744 9934	R400	
Ekhaya Nelspruit Guest House	Tele/ Fax : 013 741 4098 Mobile : 082 433 4745 www.ekhayanelspruitguesthouse.co.za	R550	10
Sheba Rock Guest House	Tell : 013 741 1057 Mobile : 079 494 3256	R600	13
MM Nelspruit Lodge	Tell : 013 741 1616	R600	
Purple Loerie	Tell : 013 744 1251 Mobile : 082 283 6191	R650	
La Fontana Guesthouse	Tell : 013 741 3138	R550	
Blue Grass Nest	Tell : 013 741 4363 Mobile : 083 555 6844	R680	6

## MEALS

- Lunches and the Welcome Dinner (Monday evening) are included in the registration fee. Please indicate your dietary requirements on the Registration Form.
- Breakfast and dinners are not included in the registration fee and participants have to make their own arrangements. (Breakfast is included in the Hostel accommodation.)

## TRANSPORT

**Transport to and from the venue (Mbombela Campus) will be provided for participants arriving by bus, train or plane. To use this transport, you must pay for it in advance – please see the tariffs and supply your details on the Registration Form.**

Participants arriving by **plane** will be picked up from the Kruger Mpumalanga Airport and dropped off at Mbombela Campus only. Likewise, the return trip will be from Mbombela Campus to the airport. NB: Mr DJ Zwane (Cell 0829584738) is the transport coordinator (for official transport).

**Participants staying in hotels, lodges and guest houses must arrange their own transport to and from the venue.**

## EQUIPMENT FOR PRESENTERS

- For computer workshops or presentations, presenters must supply any software to be pre-installed by 10 June 2016.
- For presentations and workshops, presenters must supply their audio-visual requirements to the coordinator Joseph Mcongwane by 10 June 2016. His contact details are: Email address: [djncongwane@gmail.com](mailto:djncongwane@gmail.com); Cell: 0724446719; Fax 0866508630

## CANCELLATION POLICY

Once your registration form has been processed, a cancellation fee of 20% of all costs will be charged for cancellations up to 31 May 2016.

After 31 May 2016 *no refunds* will be made for *any* cancellation of complete or partial costs.

## APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT

A limited amount of funding is available to assist those participants who would otherwise be unable to attend the Congress. The application form (see page 18) must be submitted by 30 April 2016.

## EXHIBITS AND MATHS MARKET

Publishers, entrepreneurs and NGOs are invited to

- Exhibit their commercial products and services.
- Present and promote their products in a *Maths Market* session during the academic programme.

Contact our president VG Govender at email address: President @amesa.org.za or Cell 0823416060

## CONGRESS MEMORABILIA

The following memorabilia items can be purchased:  
golf shirts, bomber jackets, scarves and caps.

Please *pre-order* the memorabilia on the Registration Form (page 15).

**Note, you must *pre-order* and *pre-pay* your memorabilia – we can accept orders only until 10 June 2016**

## WEATHER IN JULY

Mbombela is cold in June/July. Ensure that you dress warmly. Average daily temperature range from 18°C to 21°C

## CONTACT NUMBERS

**In case of an emergency use the following contact numbers**

### Hospitals & Clinics (24-hour services)

Lowveld Hospital	Lowveld Hospital
Medi-Clinic	Medi-Clinic
KIAAT Private Hospital	KIAAT Private Hospital
Rob Ferreira Hospital	Rob Ferreira Hospital
Crime Stop (toll free)	Crime Stop (toll free)

### Ambulance

ER24 Emergency contact number: 084 124

## HOW TO GET TO TUT (MBOMBELA CAMPUS)

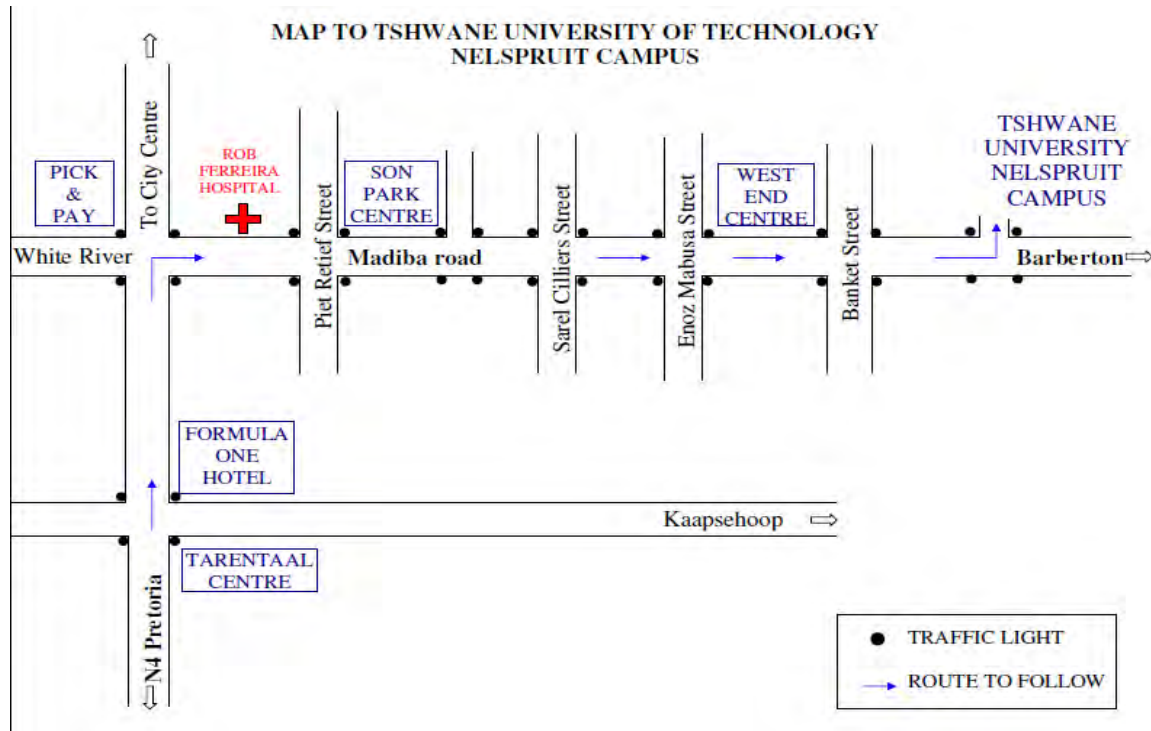
**By air:** There are **more than 5 flights per day** via SA Airlink **from** OR Tambo International airport to Kruger Mpumalanga International airport. There are also flights from King Shaka airport in Durban ( 2 flights per day) and Cape Town (1 flight per day)

**By bus:** See the following websites:  
<http://www.greyhound.co.za;>

<http://www.translux.co.za>  
<http://www.intercape.co.za>  
<http://www.saroadlink.co.za>

**By car:** From Gauteng enter Mbombela using N4, turn right into Madiba drive, drive for about 2 km, turn left into the University.

GPS: Latitude:25°30'0.93"; Longitude: 30°57'14.75"



## REGISTRATION

Participants will be registered for the AMESA Congress 2016 only after receipt of a completed Registration Form **and** payment of all costs associated with the congress.

The registration fee includes admission to all sessions, copies of the congress Programme and the Proceedings, the congress bag, morning and afternoon teas, lunch, and the welcome dinner.

To qualify for the *reduced early registration fee of R900* your completed Registration Form and payment must reach the Congress Secretary by 30 April.

To qualify for the **normal registration fee of R950** your completed Registration Form and payment must reach the Congress Secretary from 1 May to 26 May.

Participants registering after 26 May will pay an *increased late registration fee of R1300*.

*The date-policy will be strictly enforced, so please ensure that you register early!*

**Day visitors:** The registration fee for day visitors is R300/person/day, excluding congress material. Day visitors can pre-order congress materials for R360, only until 10 June.

## AMESA MEMBERSHIP

**Please note:**

It is AMESA policy that all participants must be current paid-up AMESA individual or institutional members.

- If you are **a paid-up member**, please enter your membership number on the Registration Form so that we can check it.
- If you are **not a paid-up member**, you must complete the AMESA membership application form ([see page 17](#)) and pay the appropriate membership subscription fee.

*Please complete your Registration Form ([page 15](#)), your Payment Form ([page 16](#)) and, where necessary, your Membership Application/Renewal Form ([page 17](#)) and send them with proof of payment to the AMESA Congress Secretariat ([see page 16](#)).*

**Note:**

**The definition of “register”** is that your membership must be paid, your Registration Form submitted and full payment received.

**Your registration is not complete** until we receive your full payment!

You will not be registered, and none of your bookings for accommodation, evening functions, excursion, memorabilia, etc. will be made until *full* payment is received.

**Groups that are sponsored** by an organisation (e.g. an Education Department) will only be allowed to register without full pre-payment if they follow the correct procedure to obtain a quotation and invoice and if the organisation issues an *order number* for the full amount.

## CONGRESS 2016 REGISTRATION FORM

*Please rather download the electronic registration form at <http://www.amesa.org.za/AMESA2015/>  
Then you can type in Word and e-mail it to us and we can copy and paste to minimise errors*

<b>CONTACT DETAILS (please print)</b>																		
Title:			First Name:				Surname:											
Postal Address:																		
Postal Code:						Province:												
Institution:						Your e-mail address (our preferred mode!):												
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Are you a current paid-up AMESA member? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No															R			
If Yes, please provide your membership number for us to check: ..																		
If No, please complete the membership form and include the membership fee here:																		
<b>REGISTRATION FEE</b>																		
Early Registration: <b>R900,00 (by 30 April)</b>															R			
Normal Registration: <b>R950,00 (1 May to 31 May)</b>															R			
Late Registration: <b>R1 300,00 (after 31 May)</b>															R			
Day Visitors@ R300,00/person/day			Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri									R		
Congress materials for day visitors can be pre-ordered only until 10 June at R360															R			
<b>HOSTEL ACCOMMODATION including breakfast (please mark with an X)</b>																		
Single @ R350/person/night			26 June	27 June	28 June	29 June	30 June									R		
Sharing @ R350/person/night			26 June	27 June	28 June	29 June	30 June											
<b>Roommate's name:</b>																		
<b>EVENING FUNCTIONS</b>																		
Tuesday 28 June: <b>Cultural evening (R200)</b>															R			
Thursday 30 June: <b>Gala dinner (R360)</b>															R			
<b>EXCURSIONS (choose only one and mark with an X)</b>																		
Kruger R300,00 (1)				Jeppe's reef R250,00 (3)				Sudwala Caves R170,00 (5)								R		
Echo caves R350,00 (2)				Bourke's luck R300,00 (4)														
<b>MEMORABILIA (Please mark with and X) Note: Payment must be received by 10 June</b>																		
Bomber Jacket (R360) Please mark required size with X							Golf shirt (R200) Please mark required size with X							Scarf (R80)		Cap (R80)		R
S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	1 size	1 size			
<b>TRANSPORT to/from Tshwane University of Technology (Mbombela): mark with an X</b>																		
I would like to book transport to and/or from:			Kruger Airport (R100,00 one way)				Mbombela bus terminus (R30,00 one way)				Mbombela train station (R30 one way)							
<b>Arrival:</b> preferred transport time			Sunday 26 June					Monday 27 June					R					
			13:00	15:30	18:40	08:00	10:00	14:00										
<b>Departure:</b> preferred transport time			Friday 01 July										R					
			10:00	11:15			14:00											
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT OWING:</b>															<b>R</b>			
<b>DIETARY REQUIREMENTS (please mark with an X)</b>																		
None				Vegetarian				Halaal				Diabetic						

## PAYMENT FORM

**Please complete your Registration Form (page 15), your Payment Form (page 16) and, where necessary, your Membership Application/Renewal Form (page 17) and send them with proof of payment to the AMESA Congress Secretariat:**

**by e-mail to:** congress2016@amesa.org.za (*Preferred!* Remember to attach all the forms)

**by fax to:** 086 406 3591 (Only if you *must!*)

**by post to:** The Congress Secretary  
Nombulelo Mandindi  
AMESA  
P.O. Box 54  
2050 WITS

## PAYMENT METHOD (please tick one)

**Internet payment or bank transfer:**

**Banking details of Congress 2015**

Account Name: AMESA  
Name of Bank: ABSA  
Branch Code: 632005  
Branch Name: Wynberg  
Account Number: 9271293382  
Type of Account: Cheque Account

Clearly enter your name and/or membership number in the reference section  
***The onus is on you to ensure that we receive the relevant information***

**Cheque or postal order** made out to AMESA

**Credit card:**

Please debit my **credit card** account (Visa and MasterCard only) with R \_\_\_\_\_

Card number:

CVV Number:    (*last three numbers on the back of your credit card*)

Tick your method of payment: Straight:  Budget: 6 months  12 months

Name on card: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:**

***Your registration is not complete until we receive your full payment, and your AMESA membership is paid***



## AMESA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/RENEWAL FORM

*If you are not a current paid-up AMESA member, you need to complete this section.*

*Please complete in full and in capital letters*

1. **Membership no** (if renewal): \_\_\_\_\_
2. **Province:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Branch:** \_\_\_\_\_ (if known)
3. **Membership type:**  Individual  Institutional  Associate (e.g. full-time student)
4. **Field of interest:**  Primary  Secondary  Tertiary

5. *For Individual and Associate members only:*

**Surname:** \_\_\_\_\_ **First name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Postal address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Postal code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tel. no:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of institution:** \_\_\_\_\_

6. *For Institutional members only:*

**Designation** of person to whom correspondence should be addressed

(e.g. The HOD Mathematics / Librarian): \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of institution:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Postal address:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Postal code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tel. no:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

7. *For student (associate) members only:*

I hereby declare that I am a full-time, pre-service student at the following tertiary institution:

\_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Please include proof of registration at tertiary institution with your application.*

8. **Membership subscription fee:**

*Mark one, and then include the amount in the membership section and total*

- South Africa, **Individual: R130**
- South Africa, **Institutional: R360**
- South Africa, Associate (**Full-time pre-service student at a tertiary institution**): **R40**
- South Africa, **Life membership: R3250**
- Other African countries**, Individual: **ZAR 170**
- Non-African countries**, Individual: **USD \$70**



Mokone Phora  
PO Box 1239  
Dennilton  
1030  
Cell: 0828979467  
Fax: 0866501766  
Email: phoramokone@yahoo.co.uk

Please rather download the electronic application form at <http://www.amesa.org.za/AMESA2016/>

## Application for financial support: AMESA Congress

**Note:** Closing date is **30 April 2016**

I, ....., would like to apply for financial support to attend AMESA Congress 2016.

**Surname:** .....

**First names:** .....

**Postal address:** .....

.....

**Postal code:** .....

**Institution:** .....

**Area of interest:** (Primary / Secondary / Tertiary) .....

**Tel:** (Home) ..... (Work) ..... **Fax:** .....

**E-mail:** .....

**Complete 1 and 2 below and take note of 3:**

1. I am an AMESA member: YES / NO ..... Membership number: .....
2. I am able to contribute R..... of the projected R..... costs for my attendance.
3. I undertake to write an article/report on AMESA Congress 2015 which may be published in *AMESA News*.

**Signature:** ..... **Date:** .....

**Note:**

- A typed ½ to 1 page motivation, as well as a detailed budget must accompany this application. The application will not be considered without a detailed budget.
- Preference for funding will be given to paid-up AMESA members who will be participating in the congress programme.

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