

2012 ASSADPAM CONFERENCE

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IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE

Closing date for Abstracts: 14 August 2012

Notification of Acceptance: 25 August 2012

Submission of Final Papers: 28 September 2012

CONFERENCE AND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

31 October 2012 - 1 November 2012

RESEARCH WORKSHOP

29 October 2012 – 30 October 2012

University of KwaZulu Natal, Westville Campus, University Road,

GSB Auditorium, Durban

The Annual Conference of the Association of Southern African Schools and Departments of Public Administration and Management (ASSADPAM) shall be held from 31 October 2012 to 1 November 2012. The Executive Committee of ASSADPAM in collaboration with the Discipline: Public Governance, School of Management, IT and Governance (MIG), University of KwaZulu Natal invite you to participate in this Conference.

CONFERENCE THEME

EFFECTIVE PLANNING, MONITORING & EVALUATION FOR GOOD GOVERNANCE

WELCOME

Message from the ASSADPAM Convenor
Academic Leader: Public Governance
Professor Yogi Penceliah
School of Management, IT and Governance

The Kingdom of Zulus, Province of KwaZulu Natal is delighted that the 2012 ASSADPAM Conference is being hosted for the first time by the University of KwaZulu Natal. It will be held in the beautiful coastal city of Durban - where east meets west – a city beneath which beats the pulse of Africa.

There will be two days of interaction - presentations, discussions and networking.

Delegates from outside the Province will also have the opportunity to visit leisure facilities such as the uShaka Marine World, Wilson's Wharf on the Victoria Embankment and the Suncoast Casino and Entertainment centre; experience fine and traditional dining, entertainment and shopping in scenic surroundings and enjoy the beautiful beaches!

The Conference Gala Dinner promises to be a fun-filled event with tantalizing cuisine, rhythmic music and traditional dances.

On behalf of the Organizing Team I am pleased to welcome you to be a part of learning, sharing and networking experience.

DIRECTIONS 2012 ASSADPAM CONFERENCE

Directions to Conference Venue; Shuttle Service; and Gala Dinner

Directions

Kindly note the following:

- [Directions to UKZN, Westville campus](#)

Shuttle Service

A shuttle service is available to 1st 30 delegates that RSVP to Lindi Dlamini or Suvera Boodhoo – see contact details

Tuesday, 30 October 2012 - To/From Cocktail Reception

Wednesday, 31 October 2012 – To/From Conference Venue

Thursday, 1 November 2012 - To/From Conference Venue

There will be 2 pick-up points – Elangeni Hotel and Tropicana Hotel.

- [Kindly refer to attached schedule.](#)

Gala Dinner

Delegates who wish to bring a spouse/partner – kindly contact Lindi Dlamini/Suvera Boodhoo with regard to booking and costs.

For further information please contact Lindi Dlamini at 208528433@stu.ac.za or Suvera Boodhoo at boodhoo@ukzn.ac.za

3 October 2012

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DEAR COLLEAGUES

Kindly note the following:

The Research Workshop (emerging researchers) shall be held on Monday 29 October – Tuesday, 30 October 2012 in the GSB Building, UKZN, Westville Campus. Enquiries regarding the workshop should kindly be directed to Professor Christelle Auriacombe, christellea@uj.ac.za.

There will be a **Cocktail Reception for all Delegates** on Tuesday 30 October 2012 at 18h00 in the COMSA Lounge, UKZN, Westville Campus.

The Conference Sessions shall commence on Wednesday, 31 October 2012, immediately after the Keynote Address.

The **Gala Dinner** is on Wednesday, 31 October 2012 at 19h00 at the Elangeni Southern Sun Hotel on the Durban promenade (beachfront).

A **Curriculum Review session** (currently 6 HODs or their Reps have indicated that they will do a presentation) will be held on Thursday, 1 November 2012.

The Conference Programme is underway – a number of Authors whose Abstracts were accepted have still not submitted their papers. Should you require an extension, contact the undersigned as soon as possible please. It will be granted on condition that Authors have registered and paid the conference fees. The conference programme shall only include names of those Authors that have submitted their papers.

The Organising Team looks forward to meeting you at the Conference.

Best wishes

Professor Yogi Penceliah
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