



# FOREVER RESORT TSHIPISE 14-17 JULY 2013

On behalf of the Zoological Society of Southern Africa, we have the pleasure of inviting you to attend our 2013 Annual Symposium which will be co-hosted by the University of Venda and the University of Limpopo at the Tshipise Resort just north of the Soutpansberg, less than an hour's drive from Kruger's Pafuri Gate. With its hot springs, bushveld surroundings and mild winter climate we hope to offer an exciting scientific programme in a beautiful and relaxing natural environment.

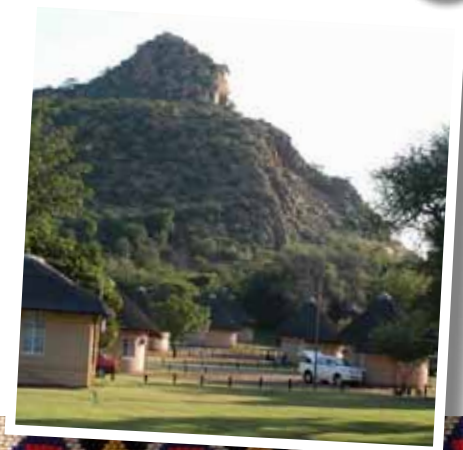
Key note speakers will include Dr Danie Pienaar (Head of Research at Kruger) and Prof Tom Gilbert from University of Copenhagen (a pioneer in applied zoological applications of next-generation DNA sequencing). Whilst we will welcome papers on all aspects of zoology, under our theme of "Biodiversity Value & Change", we aim to focus on the role and the future of protected areas, their value in terms of sustainable human livelihoods, and projected challenges and changes to biodiversity in southern Africa.

*Prof Peter Taylor*

CHAIRPERSON OF THE LOC FOR ZSSA 2013



University of Venda





Programme at a glance:	
<b>Sunday 14 July 2013</b>	
16:00	Registration open
17:00	Cocktail function (Meet & Greet)
<b>Monday 15 July 2013</b>	
07:00-08:30	Registration desk open
08:30- 10:00	Session 1
10:00-10:30	Tea Break
10:30-13:00	Session 2
13:00-14:00	Lunch
14:00-16:30	Session 3
19:00	Student Function
<b>Tuesday 16 July 2013</b>	
07:00-08:30	Registration desk open
08:30- 10:00	Session 4
10:00-10:30	Tea Break
10:30-13:00	Session 5
13:00-14:00	Lunch
14:00-16:30	Session 6
19:00	Gala Dinner
<b>Wednesday 17 July 2013</b>	
07:00-08:30	Registration desk open
08:30- 10:00	Session 7
10:00-10:30	Tea Break
10:30-13:00	Session 8

**IMPORTANT DEADLINES**

**Closing date for submission of abstracts:  
30 April 2013**

**Closing date for early discounted registrations and payment:  
15 June 2013**

**Closing date for regular registrations and payment:  
5 July 2013**

**REGISTRATION**

All delegates are required to register online at [www.savetcon.co.za](http://www.savetcon.co.za)

Registration includes:

- Abstract book
- Conference bag
- Cocktail function
- Lunch Monday & Tuesday
- Gala Dinner
- Student function
- Morning & Afternoon Tea, Coffee

Category Registrations	Early Bird Fee for payments received before 15 June 2013	Regular Registration fee for payments received before 5 July 2013
ZSSA member	R2800	R3220
ZSSA non-member	R3200	R3680
ZSSA student member	R1900	R2185
ZSSA student non-member	R2200	R2530
Day registration	R1400	R1610
T-Shirt	R80	R80

**TRADE EXHIBITION AND SPONSORSHIPS**

Interested companies should contact the Conference secretariat for more information and to book exhibition space.

**AIRPORT TRANSFERS**

Airport transfers from OR Tambo to Tshipise can be booked directly with SAVETCON at an additional fee.

**ACCOMMODATION**

Accommodation bookings should be done directly with the resort:

**FOREVER RESORT TSHIPISE - 015 539 0651**

2 Bedroom rondavel (2 people sharing)  
R590.00 per person per night.

Single accommodation R780.00 per person per night.

Camping sites available

Please mention that you are booking for the ZSSA congress.

**CONFERENCE SECRETARIAT**



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