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TWENTY YEARS OF LOCAL DEMOCRACY IN SOUTH AFRICA: QUO VADIS? : TOWARDS GOOD LOCAL GOVERNANCE

20 – 21 October 2014

Tsogo Sun Elangeni Hotel, Durban

Draft Programme

<u>Day One: 20 October 2014</u>	
08:00 – 08:45	Registration Tea on arrival and snacks
<u>Opening session :</u> <i>Chairperson : Prof P S Reddy</i>	
9:00 - 9:10am	Welcome : Dr Rama Naidu, DDP
9:10 - 9:20am	Welcome from the Konrad-Adenauer Stiftung: <i>Dr Holger Dix, KAS representative</i>
9:20 – 10.00am	Keynote addresses: <i>Dr Micheal Sutcliffe : City Insights</i> <i>Mrs Nonhlanhla Qhobosheane: HOD, COGTA (KZN)</i>
10:00- 10.20am	Mid-Morning Tea and snacks
<u>Session 1:</u> <i>Reflections of the African and South African Experience in Local Governance :Prof Malcom Wallis</i>	
10:20-11:00am	Prof Chris Thornhill : University of Pretoria : African Experience Prof Jaap de Visser : University of Western Cape : South African Experience
11:00-11:20am	Discussion
<u>Session 2:</u> <i>Political/Management Interface at the Local Level : Prof P S Reddy</i>	
11:20 –12:00am	Ms Lorette Tredoux : SALGA Prof Chris Thornhill : University of Pretoria
12.00- 12.20pm	Discussion
12:20–13:20pm	Lunch
<u>Session 3 :</u> <i>Public Protests and Municipal Service Delivery Challenges : Dr Jay Govender</i>	
13:20–14:00pm	Dr Richard Pithouse : Rhodes University Mr Sbu Zikode : Abahlali Basemjondol
14.00–14.20pm	Discussion
<u>Session 4 :</u> <i>Capacity, Skills Development and Women’s Empowerment : Dr Thokozani Nzimakwe</i>	
14:20–15.20pm	Mr Rio Nolutshungu : SALGA Mrs Sandra Greyling : Department of Co – operative Governance Mrs Janine Hicks : Commission for Gender Equality
15.20–15.50pm	Discussion



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Day Two: 21 October 2014	
<u>Session 5:</u> Community Participation/Stakeholder Engagement and Public Accountability at the Local Level – Sthembiso Madlala/Paul Kariuki	
08:00-08:30	Tea on arrival with snacks
8:30 - 9:10am	Dr Jay Govender : Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University : Community Participation/Stakeholder Engagement Prof George Devenish : UKZN : Public Accountability at the Local Level
9:10 - 9:30am	Discussion
<u>Session 6:</u> LED : Informal Economy, Youth and Infrastructure Development / SMMEs and Co – operatives (Parallel Session) : Dr Fayth Ruffin	
9:30 – 10:30am	Dr Ajiv Maharaj : eThekweni City Council : Informal Economy, Youth and Infrastructure Development Mr Stan Hardman : Leadership Dialogue
10.30 –10.50am	Discussion
10.30 –10.50am	Mid-Morning Tea and snacks
<u>Session 7:</u> National/Provincial and Local Planning and Co-operative Governance: Mr. Thulani Bhengu, COGTA	
10.50–11:30am	Mr Frikkie Brooks : Provincial Planning Commission : Kwazulu Natal Mr Gavin Benjamin : Department of Rural Development
11.30–11.50am	Discussion
<u>Session 8:</u> Corruption, Ethics and Integrity in Local Government : Dr Nomusa Ndelela, COGTA	
11.50 -12.40pm	Prof Evangelos Mantzaris : University of Stellenbosch : Corruption Prof Reckson Thakhathi : University of Fort Hare : Ethics and Integrity
12.40–13.00pm	Discussion
13.00–14.00pm	Lunch
<u>Session 9:</u> Monitoring and Evaluation in Local Government : Dr Maurice O Dassah : UKZN	
14.00–14.40pm	Dr Ivan Govender : Durban University of Technology Ms Nirmala Govender : eThekweni Municipality
14.40 –15.00pm	Discussion
<u>Summary and Concluding Remarks :</u> Prof Malcom Wallis : Regent Business School	
15.00–15.30pm	Vote of Thanks and Closure – Mr Paul Kariuki