

Spirituality for Social Cohesion and Democracy  
14th NOVEMBER 2013

DRAFT PROGRAMME  
Centre for Public Theology UP

Venue: Graduate Centre

THURSDAY THE 14<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER

09:00-10:00 Tea and Registering  
10:15-10:30 Opening: Prof Johan Buitendag (Dean Faculty of  
Theology)

**Session 1: The Objectives and Concept of the Project**

**Chair : Dr W Fourie**

10:15-10:30 Vuyani Vellem (UP)

**Session 2: Global Perspectives on Spirituality and Social Cohesion**

**Chair : Dr Puleng Segalo (Unisa)**

10:30-10:35 Introduction of the Guest Speaker  
10:35-11:15 Key Note Lecture: Dr Roderick Hewitt  
11:15-12:00 Plenary Discussion

**12:00-13:00 Paper (1)**

Prof J Meylahn (UP)

**Lunch Break**

**Session 3: AIC's Spirituality for Social Cohesion and Democracy**

Chair : Mr Itumeleng Mothoagae

14:00- 14: 45 Keynote Lecture : Dr S Masondo (UKZN)

15: 00 -15: 30

**TEA BREAK**

15:30 – 16: 45

Second Panel:

The narratives of the poor and Social Cohesion

**Session 4 : Black Consciousness, Spirituality for Social Cohesion and  
Democracy**

**Chair Prof R Tshaka**

16: 45 - 17:00 Introduction of the Guest Speaker

17: 00 – 17:45 Key Note Lecture: Prof X Mangcu (UCT)

17:45 -18: 00 Plenary Discussion

**18:00 Closure: Centre for Public Theology**

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