

Concept programme
**Sixth International Symposium
on Place Names 2021**

*Standardisation and the wealth of place names –
Aspects of a delicate relationship*

29 September to 1 October 2021

Virtual/Bloemfontein, South Africa

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*Presentation slots are 30 minutes each – 20 minutes presentation and 10 minutes Q&A

* Please note that this is a concept programme that will be finalised once registrations and payments have been finalised.

* The language of the symposium is English. **Please inform the organisers if you require South African Sign Language interpretation.**

* Queries can be directed to Dr Chrismi Loth at kongresETFB@ufs.ac.za.

	29 September: WORKSHOP (virtual)
08:30-12:30	Presenter: Dr Gerhard Rampl (Chair: Austrian Board of Geographical Names) Collecting and documenting informal and alternative place names
	SYMPOSIUM (virtual or on Bloemfontein campus)
	29 September
14:00-14:30	Opening Special Advisor: Prof Theodorus du Plessis (University of the Free State, SA)
14:30-18:00	SESSION: Place names as cultural heritage
	30 September
09:00-10:00	Keynote: Title to be confirmed Pierre Jaillard (Chair: UNGEGN)
10:00-10:30	Morning break
10:30-13:00	SESSION: The standardisation of place names
13:00-14:00	Lunch break
14:00-18:00	SESSION: The standardisation of place names
	1 October
09:00-10:00	Keynote: Title to be confirmed Dr Tendai Mangena (Great Zimbabwe University)
10:00-10:30	Morning break
10:30-13:00	SESSION: Multiple place names
13:00-14:00	Lunch break
14:00-17:00	SESSION: Multiple place names
17:00-18:00	Closing and vote of thanks



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