Local Organizing Committee (LOC) focal point contact details:
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Venue:
STIAS: The Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced Study
http://stias.ac.za/
10 Marais Road, Stellenbosch, 7600, South Africa
**Meal:**
Participants will be provided with lunch at the venue during the 4 days of the Symposium. Also for some nights receptions and dinners after the Symposium is scheduled. For updated events schedule, please check the latest programme.

**Accommodation:**
The Local Organizing Committee (LOC) has provided a list of recommended accommodation close to the venue:

Participants can make use of this list, or other B&B, apartments and Hotel accommodation that can be easily booked online. Most of these are within walking distance of the conference venue.

The LOC will arrange funded participants accommodation at the Protea Hotel. This accommodation is 8 km away from the venue; transportation will be arranged for the funded participants to the venue each day.

**Transportation:**

The shuttle will pick-up the sponsored participants (and other if there is still space) at the Public Transport Plaza (see the map in the Logistics document). A Google Earth photo and GPS coordinates of the pick-up point is:
The Local Organizing Committee will organize shuttles between Cape Town airport and Stellenbosch on the following schedule:

- **Friday 8th December** Airport to Stellenbosch
  pick up times at the airport: 13:15, 18:45 and 22:15 (Avanza)
- **Sunday 10th December** Airport to Stellenbosch
  pick up times at the airport: 10:00, 12:30, 14:30, 20:00
  (The driver will be standing in the International Terminal Arrivals of the Airport with the display board “UN/South Africa Symposium” on it.)

- **Friday 15th December** Stellenbosch to airport
  pick up times at STIAS/Protea: 14:00
- **Saturday 16th December** Stellenbosch to airport
  pick up times at STIAS/Protea Hotel: 08:00, 10:30, 15:00

In addition, after the Field Trip on the 15th December, there will be a bus not only back to Stellenbosch, but also a bus directly taking you to Cape Town airport.

For those landing much earlier than the pick-up time, there are many fast food restaurants and small shops in the arrivals hall on the ground floor and some larger restaurants on the first floor, where you can wait before going to the pick-up point outside the building.

The driver will hold a board saying **UN-South Africa Symposium (UN BSTI Conference)** and please show him your passport and name (for security reasons) and also present some proof that you are attending the UN-BSTI conference. In case you have any problems or an emergency at arrival, please phone the local focal point’s (Margie Kumalo) mobile number +27 (0) 82 385 9960 or if you do not get an answer, the following mobile number +27 (0) 83 280 2123.
Self-funded participants, participants that cannot make the shuttle schedule, or that prefer to organize their own transportation to the venue are recommended to pre-book a taxi or shuttle.

This is an (incomplete) list of possible companies:

http://www.airportshuttlecapetown.co.za/
R350 (~22 euro, ~$25), online pre-booking possible

https://vtransfers.co.za/
R360 (~22 euro, ~$26), online pre-booking possible

http://www.shuttleking.co.za/cape-town-shuttles/
R350 (~22 euro, ~$25), online/phone (preferred) pre-booking possible

http://capetowntaxi.co.za/
R300 (~19 euro, ~$22), phone/email pre-booking possible

**Touchdown Taxi Association**
+27 (0)83 652 0786. (Official taxis from airport with meter, reservation by phone)
From Transport Plaza