

| Monday 5 May | Tuesday 6 May | Wednesday 7 May | Thursday 8 May | Friday 9 May |
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| Project SSC Mtg (2) | Project SSC Mtg (2) | IGBP Congress African Symposium | IGBP Congress Working group (10) | IGBP Congress Closure day |
| Kirstenbosch National Botanical Garden KNBG | KNBG | Cape Town International Convention Centre CTICC | CTICC | CTICC |
| 8.30: start | 8.30: start | • Opening registration: 8.00 • 9.00: Start | 8.30: start | 8.45: start |
| Coffee break+ registration (1) (3): 10.30-11.00 | Coffee break (3): 10.30-11.00 | Coffee break: 10.30-11.00 | Coffee break: 10.30-11.00 | Coffee break: 10.30-11.00 |
| Lunch 12.30-13.30 (4) | Lunch 12.30-13.30 (4) | Lunch 13.00-14.00 | Lunch 13.00-14.00 | Lunch packs (12) |
| Coffee break 15.30-16.00 | Coffee break 15.30-16.00 • Early departure 16.00 • End + departure 17.00 (6) 17.00 Public poster session at CTICC | Coffee break + expert poster abstract session (8): 16.00- 18.30 | Coffee break 16.00-16.30 | Free pm OR AIMES and iLEAPS SSCs to continue |
| Social Event at the Conservatory KNBG 18.30- 19.30 (5) | 18.00 Official welcome ceremony at CTICC (7) | Departure from CTICC to restaurant Moyo 18.30 (9) | 18.30: End of last sessions IPO Executive Officer dinner (11) | |

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| 1 | Congress Registration will be open during morning coffee break on Monday, near the coffee break area |
| 2 | <p>Room assignment for the SSCs at KNBG (see map):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Old Mutual Conference and Exhibition Center (OMCEC): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ AIMES: Conference room ○ IGAC: Conference room ○ iLEAPS: Conference room (This is a big conference room, partitioned into 3 conference rooms) • Center for Biodiversity Conservation (CBC): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ SOLAS: Ghost Frog room ○ GLOBEC: Golden Mole room ○ GLP: Black Harrier room ○ LOICZ: Conference room ○ PAGES: Freylinia room • Kirstenbosch Research Center (KRC): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ IMBER: Conference room <p>CBC and KRC are connected by corridors CBC/KRC and OMCEC are about 15/20 min walk apart.</p> |
| 3 | <p>Coffee breaks in common with other SSCs in the building: AIMES, IGAC and iLEAPS with coffee break together. SOLAS, GLOBEC, GLP, LOICZ, PAGES and IMBER w/coffee break together</p> |
| 4 | Lunches at the Silver Tree restaurant, all SSCs will join there, plus the NCs. The Silver Tree is very close to the OMCEC and about 15min walk from the CBC/KRC buildings, however shuttles will be organized for transport. |
| 5 | 19.30 is just an indication of ending time, people who would like to stay may stay at the Silver Tree (I was told). Shuttles to bring participants back to the IGBP hotel will be organized however I don't have yet the schedule. |
| 6 | <p>16.00: Early departure for 2-3 SSC members of each project+the deputies+ all NCs to attend the public poster session at CTICC scheduled at 17.00 17.00: departure for the rest of the SSC members direction CTICC to attend official welcome ceremony scheduled at 18.00</p> |
| 7 | <p>Currently have scheduled: 18.25-18.55: Public lecture; Followed by a panel discussion</p> |
| 8 | <p>The Coffee break and the expert poster session are scheduled at the same time. Note: posters (public and expert and projects activities) will be up entire duration of the Congress in the Ballroom West</p> |
| 9 | Return schedule TBD |
| 10 | For room assignment please check the table, all rooms are very close |
| 11 | No final location (very probably into Cape Town city centre) and timing TBD |
| 12 | Lunch packs will be provided for all participants |

Info about the NCs:

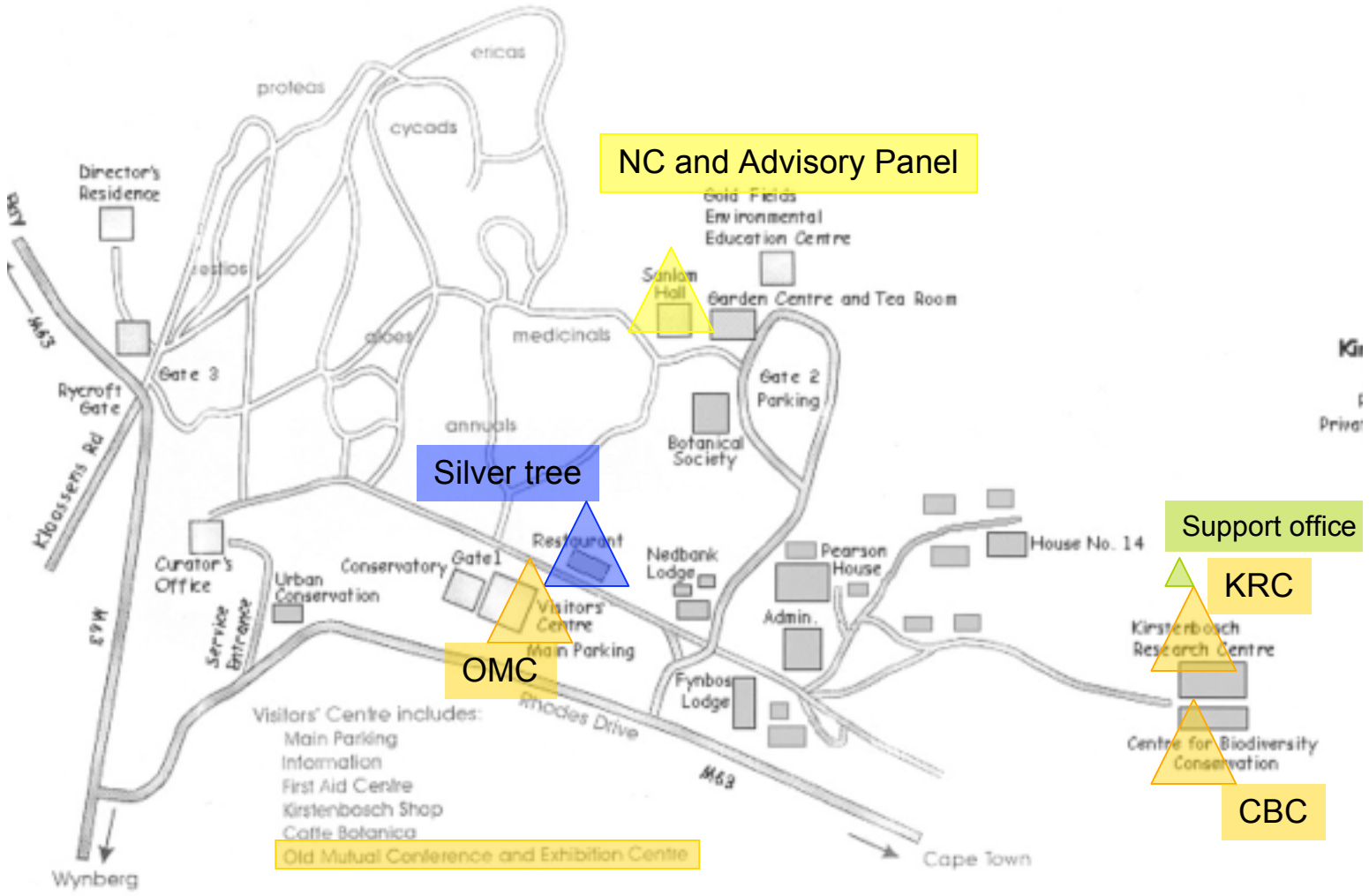
- The NCs are meeting in the Sanlam Hall, break for coffee on site and have lunch with the SSCs at the Silver Tree.
- The NCs are meeting on Monday 5 and Tuesday 6
On Monday: 17.00-18.00: NCs meet informally or join the ongoing IGBP SSC meetings as observers
On Tuesday: 14.00-16.00: NCs meet informally or join the ongoing IGBP SSC meetings as observers

Info for/about LOICZ:

- Timing and location of the Sunday 4 of May is similar to the one on the Monday 5 except that it is scheduled to finish at 17.30,
- On the Monday 5, the 2 breakout rooms are: the conference room and the 'staff tea room and terrasse' at CBC and a room of the Stone Cottage

Info for/about AIMES and iLEAPS:

- On Friday afternoon, meeting rooms are different:
AIMES: Ghost Frog room at CBC
iLEAPS: Golden Mole at CBC
- Timing would be:
13.00 bus departure from CTICC to KNBG
13.30 meeting starts
15.30-16.00 coffee break
18.00 End



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| Intercomparison of modeling components under modern and palaeo-conditions (iLEAPS) A1 | Modelling in coupled human-environmental systems (GLP) A2 | End-to-end food webs in marine ecosystems (IMBER) A3 | Regional knowledge for sustainable development (IGBP Brazil office/ IAI) A4 | Interconnections between air pollution, climate change, energy and human impacts (AIMES) A5 | Interactions between GEC, food system activities and food security in Africa (GECAFS) A6 |
| Coffee break | | | | | |
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| Global change in the Arctic (IGAC) B1 | | Biogeochemistry and food web interaction along continental margins (IMBER) B3 | Methane in the Earth System: sources, sinks and concentrations (iLEAPS) B4 | Young African Scientists (START) B5 | Interactions between GEC, food system activities and food security in Africa (GECAFS)A6(Cont) |
| Lunch | | | | | |
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| Nitrogen in the Earth System (SOLAS) C1 | Social-ecological systems analysis in a changing earth system (LOICZ) C2 | Fire in the landscape (AIMES) C3 | ACPC interactions (iLEAPS) C4 | | Grand challenges for land systems and sustainability science (GLP) <i>Part I</i> C6 |
| Coffee break | | | | | |
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| Mega-cities and coastal zones (IGAC) D1 | Climate influences and biological controls in high-latitude marine ecosystems (GLOBEC) D2 | Vulnerability of coastal livelihoods and response strategies to changing earth system (LOICZ) D3 | Water cycle, water resources, floods and drought (iLEAPS) D4 | Monsoon systems (IGAC/MAIRS) D5 | Grand challenges for land systems and sustainability science (GLP) <i>Part II</i> C6 (Cont) |