



PROGRAMME | DAY 01

THURSDAY, 25 SEPTEMBER 2025

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08:00 - 09:00 REGISTRATION / WELCOME TEA/COFFEE

SESSION CHAIR: Sbu Dladla

09:00 - 09:15 Welcome Address
Dr Finzi Saidi & Graham Young

09:15 - 09:45 Keynote
Julia Watson

09:45 - 10:15 Keynote
Arthur Adeya

10:15 - 10:35 IFLA Africa Award sponsored by Insite
Announcement of Service Awards & IFLA Africa Award (Graham Young)
Presentation by awardee

10:35 - 10:45 Announcement of student competition awards
Goabamang Lethugile

10:45 - 10:55 Corobrik presentation

10:55 - 11:25 NETWORKING BREAK

PLENARY VENUE

BREAKAWAY VENUE

11:30 - 12:45 Panel: Ways of practicing
Session chair: Thozama Mputa
Amy Thompson, Matt Miller, Neal Schoof & Israel Legwaila

Panel: Community-led / co-design
Session chair: Arthur Adeya
Nicola Chidyaonga, Bridget Hilton Barber, Dr Dayle Shand & Ruth Manda

12:45 - 13:45 LUNCH BREAK

13:45 - 17:00 SITE VISIT 1
Future Africa, Sports Academy & new Engineering building, University of Pretoria (Proef plaas)

SITE VISIT 2
Freedom Park

17:00 - 19:00 COCKTAIL EVENT at CSIR



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08:00 - 09:00 ARRIVAL TEA/COFFEE

PLENARY VENUE

09:00 - 10:15

Panel: Reading the Landscape

Session chair: Bruno Marques
Emmanuel Nkambule, Liana Muller,
Keke Ramodibe & Kathryn
Chesebrough

BREAKAWAY VENUE

Panel: Indigenous Knowledge Practices

Session chair: Gareth Doherty
Dr Sechaba Maape, Tobiloba Akibo &
Dr Jane Mufamadi

10:15 - 10:45 NETWORKING BREAK

SESSION CHAIR: Tobiloba Akibo

10:45 - 11:15

Keynote

Anton Earle

11:15 - 11:45

Keynote

Tamsin Faragher

11:45 - 12:00

Keynote Q&A

12:00 - 13:00

LUNCH BREAK

PLENARY VENUE
13:00 - 14:45

Paper Presentations

BREAKAWAY VENUE
13:00 - 14:45

Session chair: Graham Young

Echoes of the shore: re-establishing the human connection with the coast (Ancunel Steyn)

Storying the landscape: Towards a visual lexicon of South African landscape (Dr Dayle Shand)

Bainskloof – Eerste Tol

A Cultural Landscape Approach to Development within a World Heritage Site (Liana Jansen and Marike Franklin)

Bronze heroes & plastic memories: questioning the relevance of statues as memorials using the anti-monument in Gaborone, Botswana (Jessica Ntale)

From Rhetoric to Regulation: Heritage-Sensitive Urban Development at Osun-Osogbo Sacred Grove (Tobiloba Akibo)

Session chair: Finzi Saidi

Understanding the vernacular: what we can learn about responsive design from informal settlements (Robo Akpami)

Reframing Pedagogies in African Landscape Architecture: A Decolonial Approach (Gareth Doherty)

The Opportunities of (Micro) Places (Debbie Wintermeyer)

Edible green walls (Shané de Beer & Arthur Baleeta)



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14:45 - 15:00

Closing Address

Incoming ILASA President & Incoming IFLA Africa President

PLENARY VENUE

BREAKAWAY VENUE

15:30 - 16:30

**IFLA African Regional
Council Meeting**

ILASA Annual General Meeting

16:30 - 17:00

Joint ILASA/IFLA Africa discussions around the profession