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Heritage Month Webinar Day 2

The Future of Heritage in South Africa



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HERITAGE MONTH WEBINAR

Day 2: Heritage and Emerging Technologies

Date: Wednesday, 16 September 2026

Venue: The Castle of Goodhope

Time: 10:00 am - 14:00 pm

Programme Director: Mr Robin George

OPENING SESSION:

- 1. 10:00 - 10:10 | Welcome | Adv. Lungisa Malgas**
(SAHRA Chief Executive Officer)
- 2. 10:10 - 10:20 | Opening Remarks | Ms Elodie Seotseng Tlhoale**
(SAHRA Council Chairperson)
- 3. 10:20- 10:30 | Introduction to the Webinar | Ms Mamakomoreng Nkhasi-Lesaoana**
(SAHRA Executive Heritage Resource Management)

DAY 2 PROGRAMME:

- 4. 10:30 - 11:15 | Keynote | Prof Siddique Motala**
(Global Digital Heritage Afrika- University of Cape Town)
- 5. 11:15 - 12:00 | Artificial Intelligence for Cultural Heritage Conservation: Applications, Limitations, and Future Directions | Prof Mayank Mishra**
(AUTH)
- 6. 12:00 - 12:45 | Heritage Work in the Digital Age. How Automation Makes it Easier | Mr Jake Harding** (SAHRA National Inventory Unit)
- 7. 12:45 - 13:30 | Digitising Heritage: From Paper Records to Online Access. Preserving the Past, Connecting the Future | Ms Gerty Thirion**
(SAHRA National Inventory Unit)

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