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Dear Colleagues

Community Partnership Conference | Transformation of Schools through Community Partnerships

St Andrew's School for Girls, in partnership with the Anglican Board of Education for Southern Africa, would like to invite the person/s from your school involved in Community Partnership/Engagement Programmes, to join us at a conference to be held next year at St Andrew's School for Girls. Following the success of the first conference of this kind, hosted by St John's College, we look forward to your continued support and input.

Event details

Date | Thursday 28 February 2019

Time | 09h00 – 15h30

Venue | St Andrew's School for Girls, Senderwood, Gauteng

Cost | R350 per delegate

Aim

The aim of the event is to share, and critically examine, transformation in schools through community partnerships; to discuss challenges faced; to honour the good work already being done in our schools, while at the same time listening to the voice of those in need; and to build partnerships so that we can grow and look forward to an exciting common life together in community.

Participation

We would like to invite six of the schools attending to each make a 10min presentation, outlining the good practice and/or transformation that has taken place in their schools through community partnerships, as well as the challenges encountered. We also welcome all schools attending to create displays related to their Community Partnership Engagement Programmes.

Speakers

We are pleased to confirm *Dr Mary Metcalfe* as our Keynote Speaker. She will also be a panel member, along with Alan Magubane, Rev Delani Mthembu and Dr Deon Oerson.

Please see the details of the speakers, programme, payment and registration on the second page. Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact Caterina Cannone ccannone@standrews.co.za.

Kind regards

Rev Roger Cameron
Chief Executive Officer
Anglican Board of Education for Southern Africa

Annette dos Santos
Head of uBambiswano
St Andrew's School for Girls

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Programme

08h30 Tea/Coffee

09h00 Welcome by Ivanka Acquisto, Executive Head of St Andrew's School for Girls

09h10 Devotion by Alison Chambers, Lay Chaplain of St Andrew's School for Girls

09h20 Opening of Conference by Rev Roger Cameron, CEO of Anglican Board of Education for Southern Africa

09h30 Presentations of Good Practice

10h30 Tea and viewing of displays

11h00 Presentations of Good Practice

12h00 Lunch and viewing of displays

13h00 Keynote Address by Dr Mary Metcalfe

14h00 Panel Plenary and Discussion

15h30 Closure

Registration

To register, please use this link to access the online response form, before 28 January 2019: [Event Registration](#)

Please note that, by registering, you are permitting the organizers to use your data for event management, and giving consent for any photos taken at the event to be used for marketing purposes.

Payment

The cost is R350 per delegate, which is to be paid into the school's bank account before 28 January 2019 to confirm attendance. Please use CPC (Community Partnership Conference) and your name as the reference; and please send proof of payment to: Loraine Chetty at lchetty@standrews.co.za.

St Andrew's School for Girls NPC
First National Bank
Bedford Gardens
Branch code - 252 155
Account number – 6206 543 7454
Reference – CPC/Your name

Speakers

Dr Mary Metcalfe has worked in education since 1974 as a teacher, principal, and lecturer. After working in the field of remedial education, she lectured at the Johannesburg College of Education and the University of the Witwatersrand. She served as the MEC for Education and then for Agriculture, Conservation, Environment and Land Affairs in Gauteng from 1994 - 2004. She was the Head of the School of Education at Wits from 2004 to 2009 before joining the Department of Higher Education and Training as Director General in 2009. She is a Visiting Adjunct Professor at Wits School of Governance; is the chairperson of the General Education Advisory Board of the Open Society Foundations; and serves on the advisory committee of the TJ Alexander Fellowship Programme of the OECD. She is currently working with a team in PILO (Programme to Improve Learning Outcomes), piloting-at-scale a model for education system improvement in 1 200 schools in KZN.

Rev Delani Mthembu is the Vice-chair of the Anglican Board of Education, and the Executive Chair of the Possibility to Purpose Foundation.

Alan Magubane is the newly-appointed Deputy Head of Transformation and Diversity at St John's College.

Dr Deon Oerson is the Campus Headmaster for Community Wellness and Advancement at St Benedict's College.