

# GIS CERTIFICATE

# **University of Venda**

Intake Date: 27<sup>th</sup> Nov—1<sup>st</sup> December 2023

40 Hours of lectures & practicals

maximum capacity: 20 participants



Dr N.S Nethengwe Facilitator &

Mr. F. Oondofema Facilitator MS K.H Netshisaul Technical assistant Dr J.N Steyn Coordinator

Dr. Zongho-Kom Technical assistant & Logistics

Coordinator

Registration and payment: FNB, acc name: Univen Income Generation

Centre: acc no

62302437042, branch code: 260549

Ref no; GIS & SURNAME

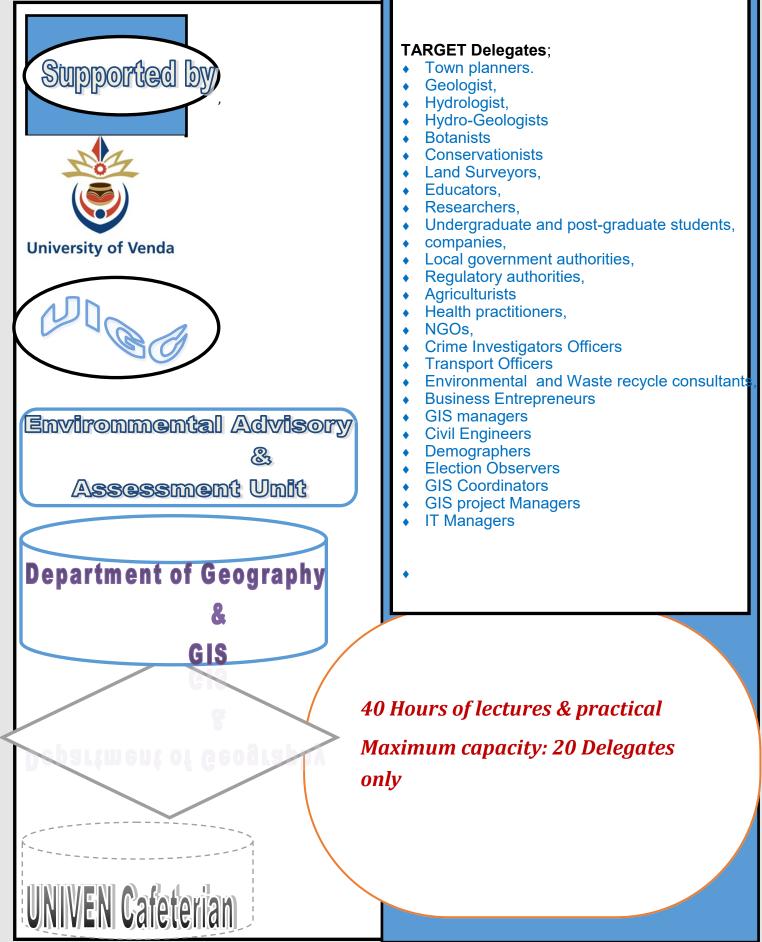
Course Fee: R 7500-00

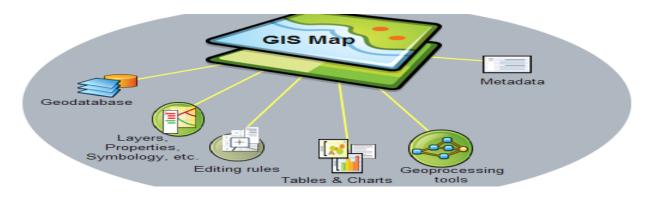
R6500-00 for Univen student 2022

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Target Delegates: Town Planners, Land Surveyors, Educators, Researchers, Local Government authorities, Students, NGOs, Election Observers, Health practitioners, Crime Investigation officers, Botanists,, Environmental Consultants, Demographers, Civil Engineers, IT Managers, Transport Officers, Election Observers, Agriculturists, Hydro-Geologists, ETC





# A quality -driven, financially sustainable, comprehensive University

The University of Venda is offering the following short course under the Univen Centre for Continuing Education (UCCE), a unit of Univen Income Generation Centre.

# CERTIFICATE IN GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS

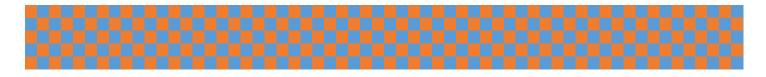
**OBJECTIVES:** To equip participants with knowledge and practical skills to apply **Geographical Information System** (GIS) technology to solving spatial problems, to familiarize participants with ArcGIS 10.9.1, the market leading GIS software package by ESRI and introduction to QGIS.



# **UP COMING SESSION**

# 27th November — 1st December 2023

NB: Please, confirm booking one week before commencement of lectures to ensure a place for the intake of the course, places are limited



#### **THE COURSE**

The GIS Certificate Course is an introductory course to the theory and practice of a Geographic Information System. The aim of the course is to introduce students, researchers, surveyors, town planners, Local government authorities, farmers, health practitioners and NGOs to computer assisted spatial analysis and decision making. It addresses

#### **SCHEDULE**

The GIS Certificate Course is presented in a 5-day block training fashion. This is a competence-based course and as such candidates are expected to do both theoretical and practical exams during the last

#### **REQUIREMENTS**

All applicants should be proficient in a Microsoft Windows environment, and should also be familiar with applications such as Microsoft Word, Excel is helpful, but is not a prerequisite. In order to apply for the course, no formal tertiary education is re-



Deputy Dean: Environmental Sciences

B(Hons) UCT. Msc (Wits). PhD (West Virginia, USA) Cert (GIS) University of Southern Mississippi, USA

**Field of interest:** Application of PGIS/PPGIS/ RS in flood Risk; Gully extraction; Modelling soil erosion, Suitability analysis Crossborder Trade & Green economy

#### REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT:

**Bank: First National Bank (FNB)** 

Acc Name: Univen Income Generation Centre

Acc No: 62302437042

Branch code: 260549

**Ref No; GIS & SURNAME** 

R 7500-00 per delegate

R 6500-00 Univen student only (2023 Academic year)

Deposit: R 6000-00 to book for a place

**NB: Send proof of payment** 

# **Enquiries:**

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#### **CURRICULUM**

The course consists of a theoretical as well as a practical module.

**40 Hours of lectures & Practical** 

# Theory:

- The history and philosophy of GIS
- ♦ The components of a GIS
- Data and data structures
- ♦ An introduction to Database Management Systems
- ♦ Map Projections, datum and Co-ordinate systems
- GIS Applications
- ♦ Spatial Modelling in GIS
- Global Positioning System

#### **Practical:**

(All practical work will be based on the use of ESRI ArcGIS 10)

**ArcGIS 10 Software Basics** 

Data creation, editing, manipulation and display

**Defining Map Projections and co-ordinate systems** 

Digitizing and inputting of GPS co-ordinates to the map

Geo-referencing & Geocoding

**Geo-spatial Analysis and Map Production** 

**Advance GIS Analysis Operations** 

**Site Suitability Analysis** 

Measurement, Sampling and Boundaries in GIS



Mr. Dondofema F

Bsc (Hons) Agriculture Animals Science, ( University of Zululand) Bsc (Hons) Applied Remote sensing and GIS (UNISA) Msc pasture Ecology IWRM (UZ)

**Field of interest**: Application of remote sensing and GIS in Ecology, water management and agriculture

Light Breakfast; Coffee, Hot chocolate, Tea,

And

Networking over full Lunch

13:00—14:00

Coffee, Tea

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### **PRACTICALS SESSIONS**





## **Dr. Jacobus Steyn**

Bsc (Hons) Wildlife management (University of Pretoria), M. Environmental Science (University of the Free State)

**Field of interest**: Agroecology, Plant production, soil health, Rangeland and wildlife ecology management,



Each delegate per computer during practical and theory lessons





### **FEES**

The overall course fee is <u>R 7500.00</u> excluding accommodation and travel. R7500.00 applies to those who are not registered with the University of Venda in this academic year, 2023. <u>R6500.00</u> applies to students who are registered with the University of Venda in this academic year 2023. A deposit fee of R6000.00 is payable upon registration. The balance is payable before or on the first day of the course.

The University banking details are:

NB: Maximum capacity for the first 20 delegates



Ms K.H. Netshiasaulu

Bsc (Hons) Environmental Sciences (Univen), Master Environmental Sciences (Univen)

**Field of interest:** GIS & Remote sensing, Population and Demography, Cartography

#### **APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

Application to attend the course must reach the course co-ordinator at least two weeks prior to commencement of the course, accompanied by the full amount. Application must be made on the official enrolment form. Contact the Environmental Unit with all your enquiries regarding the course:

Dr. Zongho Kom or Ms. Mathivha-Netshisaulu

**Environmental Unit** 

Faculty of Engineering and Agriculture

**University of Venda** 

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<u>Presentation:</u> One block session. The block involves one week of lectures and practical.

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#### LUNCH TIME





#### Dr. Zongho-Kom

Bsc (Hons) Environmental Management and Social Sciences, University of Yaounde 1 (Cameroon), Bsc (Hons) Environmental Sciences (Univen), Msc Environmental Sciences (Univen) and Ph.D (Univen), Cert in Logistic, Mbabane (Kingdom of Swaziland)

**Field of interest**: Application of GIS and remote sensing/QGIS / PGIS/Web GIS, GIS in Agro-Business, Climate change, small-scale agriculture and Waste recycle



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Money Transfer: Reference

# SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES GIS CERTIFICATE COURSE

**ENROLLMENT FORM** 

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