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UCT-LSE July School open for registration

The University of Cape Town (UCT) will host the 4th annual London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE) – UCT July School from 27 June to 8 July this year. Applications made by 31 March 2016 qualify for early bird discount.

This two-week intensive summer school-style programme offers a range of exciting university-level courses considering the academic and policy responses to the major social science issues of the 21st century, all with relevance to Africa and its relations with the world today. The programme is taught by outstanding lecturers from UCT, the leading university in Africa, and LSE, the world's foremost specialist social science institution. Included in the faculty this year are Professor Richard Calland (Public Law), Professors Mark Ellyne and Anthony Black (both Economics), Dr Wallace Chuma (Film & Media Studies), Dr Shari Daya (Environmental and Geographical Sciences), Dr Karen Smith (Politics), and Professor Mark Shaw and Dr Simon Howell (both Criminology) from UCT.

In 2015, the LSE-UCT July School attracted 105 participants representing 38 countries (56% of the cohort were students and 44% were professionals from across the public, private and NGO sectors). This diversity fosters dynamic classroom discussions, provides excellent opportunities for networking, and also brings together theoretical knowledge with practical experience.

Courses on offer in 2016 include the following:

 Africa and Global Transformation: The Rise of Emerging Powers and a New International Order

Professor Chris Alden (LSE) and Dr Karen Smith (UCT)

- African Media in a Global Age
 Dr Wallace Chuma (UCT) and Dr Wendy Willems (LSE)
- Business Model Innovation at the Base of the Pyramid: Cape Town and Beyond

Professor Harry Barkema (LSE)

• Economic Challenges for African Development

Professor Mark Ellyne (UCT) and Professor Anthony Black (UCT)

• Justice and Transparency in Africa

Professor Richard Calland (UCT)

• Managing Drugs, Illicit Markets and Global Public Health

Professor Michael Shiner (LSE), Dr John Collins (LSE), Professor Mark Shaw (UCT) and Dr Simon Howell (UCT)

Poverty and Development

Dr Elliott Green (LSE)

Sexuality and Sexual Health in Africa

Dr Ernestina Coast (LSE) and Dr Emily Freeman (LSE)

Urban Development in Africa (Revised for 2016)

Professor Gareth Jones (LSE), Dr Ryan Centner (LSE) and Dr Shari Daya (UCT)

For full course and programme information, including how to apply, visit www.lse.ac.uk/LSE-UCTJulySchool or contact Dr Claire Kelly on 021 650 2887 or email ch.kelly@uct.ac.za.

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