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THIRD INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE APPLICATION OF SUPERABSORBENT POLYMERS & OTHER NEW ADMIXTURES TOWARDS SMART CONCRETE

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On behalf of the conference chairs, organising committee aand the host organisations, Stellenbosch University and TU Dresden, we cordially invite you to the Third International Conference on the Application of Superabsorbent Polymers and Other New Admixtures Towards Smart Concrete. The first conference in this series was held in Lyngby 2010 and the second in Dresden 2014. This conference brings together the SAP research community to share knowledge and ideas and to publish a proceeding that contains the state of the art of research in this field. We look forward to receiving your abstracts related but not limited to the following themes:

- MECHANICAL PROPERTIES
- SHRINKAGE AND ASSOCIATED CRACKING
- MICROSTRUCTURE
- DURABILITY
- RHEOLOGY

VENUE

SAP2019 will be held at the Skukuza Conference Centre in the Kruger National Park, South Africa. Located 400 km north east of Johannesburg, it is one of the world's largest game reserves with all Big Five found here in abundance. Skukuza Rest Camp, located on the Sabie River, has world-class conference facilities and accommodation. Activities include game drives, guided bush walks and mountain biking.

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Abstracts are to be submitted by emailing them as a .doc(x) or .pdf attachment to SAPsubmit@sun.ac.za. The abstract should not exceed 500 words and include the title, all authors and their respective affiliations, as well as contact details of the corresponding author. After notification of acceptance of abstracts, authors will have the opportunity to submit a full paper, which will be reviewed by the Scientific Committee.

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CONFERENCE DATES

31 March 2018

31 October 2018

30 November 2018

28 February 2019

30 April 2019

31 May 2019

31 May 2019

25-27 November 2019

REGISTRATION FEES

REGISTRATION TYPE EARLY BIRD RATE STANDARD RATE

 Standard
 €650
 €700

 Student
 €400
 €450

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