

**Erasmus Mundus Action 2 – Strand 1/ Lot L17**

**PROJECT SUMMARY SHEET**

Project title		A European and South African Partnership on Heritage and Past	
Ref	545037	Name of organisation	Country
Applicant		Université Paul Sabatier	France
Co-coordinator		University of the Western Cape	South Africa
<p><u>Partners:</u></p> <p>Université libre de Bruxelles, Belgium  National Technical University of Athens, Greece  University College Dublin, National University of Ireland, Ireland  Università del Salento - University of Salento, Italy  University of Latvia, Latvia  University of Lisbon, Portugal  University Politehnica of Bucharest, Romania  Universidad Rey Juan Carlos, Spain  University of Pompeu Fabra, Spain  Liverpool John Moores University, United Kingdom  Cape Peninsula University of Technology, South Africa  Durban University of Technology, South Africa  University of Fort Hare, South Africa  University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa  University of Limpopo, South Africa  University of Pretoria, South Africa  University of the Western Cape, South Africa  University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa  University of Venda, South Africa</p> <p><u>Associate partners:</u></p> <p>Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique, France  Institut national de recherches archéologiques préventives, France  Museum d'Histoire Naturelle de Toulouse, France  University of Toulouse, France  International Education Association of South Africa, South Africa  South African Nuclear Energy Corporation, South Africa</p>			
Countries targeted		South Africa	
Amount requested (EUR)		€ 2.289.375	
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	<p><b>Brief description:</b></p> <p>The AESOP multidisciplinary and intersectorial Erasmus Mundus consortium co-coordinated by the University Paul Sabatier-Toulouse 3 (France) and the University of the Western Cape (South Africa) is composed of 11 European and 9 South African university partners, as well as six additional associate members. AESOP involves 8 thematic fields and encourages the collaboration between different sectors applied to cultural and natural heritage. It aims to contribute to the development of educational/academic networking and new skilled human resources in South Africa through academic training but also through the use of national symbols as vectors for sustainable partnership. The AESOP Consortium will implement 150 mobilities (109 South African applicants and 41 European applicants in Master, Doctorate and Staff) between 2013 and 2017 organised in 3 cohorts. AESOP will be encouraging double degree's programmes between European and South African HEIs. All candidates will apply online in the website and the AESOP Selection Committee will guarantee that precise criteria based on merit have been considered during the evaluation of the fellows. After this stage, the Quality and Equity Committee will guarantee the equality of chances in the recruitment of the best fellows and the social or gender related matters. AESOP establishes quantitative indicators and assurance measures to monitor the project development and to guarantee a balanced distribution of mobility flows between all the partners. The AESOP cooperation mechanisms will give special attention to the partners with low rates of academic staff with doctorates. Through staff mobilities, AESOP will explore opportunities to draft a future European and South African proper joint training and research unit for the study and the awareness about European and South African heritages, unifying factors of both societies.</p>	

### Mobility flow:

Type of Mobility	Outgoing		Third country	Incoming			Total	Distribution per mobility type
	Europeans			Third country nationals				
	Target Group 1	Target Group 2		Target Group 1	Target Group 2	Target Group 3		
Undergraduates	<i>NA</i>	<i>NA</i>	<i>NA</i>	<i>NA</i>	<i>NA</i>	<i>NA</i>	<b>0</b>	
Masters	<b>11</b>	<i>NA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<b>52</b>	<b>11</b>	<i>NA</i>	<b>74</b>	<b>49.4%</b>
Doctorates	<b>20</b>	<i>NA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<b>25</b>	<b>8</b>	<i>NA</i>	<b>53</b>	<b>35.3%</b>
Post-doctorates	<i>NA</i>	<i>NA</i>	<i>NA</i>	<i>NA</i>	<i>NA</i>	<i>NA</i>	<b>0</b>	
Staff	<b>10</b>	<i>NA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<i>NA</i>	<b><u>23</u></b>	<b>15.3%</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>41</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>		<b><u>87</u></b>	<b><u>22</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>150</u></b>	<b><u>100%</u></b>

Third country	Undergraduates	Masters	Doctorates	Post-doctorates	Staff	TOTAL
South Africa		<b>74</b>	<b>53</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>150</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b><u>74</u></b>	<b><u>53</u></b>		<b><u>23</u></b>	<b><u>150</u></b>