



# What if Africa was at the centre of knowledge production?

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The University of Johannesburg's Institute for Pan-African Thought and Conversation, invites you to a conference on:

## "The Pan-African Pantheon"

DATE **Friday 16 June 2017 - Sunday 18 June 2017**

VENUE **The Arts Centre  
Auckland Park Kingsway Campus  
University of Johannesburg  
Johannesburg, South Africa**

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This conference will commemorate the Soweto youth uprising of 16 June 1976 against apartheid education, during which at least 176 protesting students were brutally killed. This conference also represents a concrete initiative to contribute substantively to the University of Johannesburg's efforts to decolonise the academic curriculum, and to ensure that the epistemology of the University's syllabi reflects its African context.

About 35 prominent African and Diaspora scholars from the continent, the Caribbean, the US, Canada, and Europe have been invited to present papers in 12 sessions over the three days on carefully selected topics including broad themes such as: reparations; the rise and fall of Pan-Africanism; pioneers of Pan-Africanism; politicians and activists; political scientists; sociologists; historians; economists; philosophers; the literati; and musicians.

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