



## **Cancelled AGM and HOD meeting: SACLA 2020**

### **SACLA 2020 AGM and HOD Colloquium notice**

The Departments of Computer Science and Information Systems at Rhodes University hosted the 49th Annual Conference of the Southern African Computer Lecturers' Association (SACLA) from 6th to 9th July 2020. The conference theme for 2020 was "TL;DR - Teaching the New Generation!".

SACLA 2020 was originally planned to take place from the 6th to 8th July, at the Mpekweni Beach Resort in the Eastern Cape. During April 2020, when the Covid-19 pandemic struck South Africa, the organising committee made the final decision to hold a virtual conference instead. Not having presented a virtual conference before, this decision started a fairly stressful period in the sense that they had to restart the planning for a virtual conference and familiarise themselves rapidly with technology to support the virtual conference.

The 2020 AGM and HOD Colloquium were discussed and a decision was made not to hold a virtual AGM nor HOD Colloquium, as there were too many unknowns. It was decided to do plan and hold an AGM in 2021.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'A. P. Calitz'.

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