

**A DSI-NRF Centre of Excellence**

**Research, We Dig Fossils, Equipment, Seed, and Salary Grants**

**Annual Progress Report**

**DOCUMENTS REQUIRED. Send all documents to** [**info.genus@wits.ac.za**](mailto:info.genus@wits.ac.za)**.**

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| * Completed APR. Label your document as follows: year\_grant type (e.g. Msc)\_surname\_initials\_APR |
| * Cash flow spreadsheet of your expenditures signed by your department's Financial Officer |
| * Up-to-date Curriculum Vitae.Label as follows: year\_grant type\_surname\_initials\_CV |
| * PDFs of all research articles (published and accepted), books, book chapters and conference abstracts from November last year to October this year. Label as follows: surname\_year\_journal or conference name |

**GRANTEE DETAILS**

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| Title: |  |
| Surname: |  |
| First names: |  |
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| Primary cell number: |  |
| NRF Rating: |  |
| ORCID number (<https://orcid.org/signin>): |  |
| University: |  |
| Department: |  |
| List the grant(s) you received:   * GENUS Research * We Dig Fossils * Equipment Grant * Salary Grant   *Only one application is required, even if the grantee received multiple grants.* |  |
| Do you receive another source of funding outside of the CoE? List below the funding source you received (include the name of the funder, amount, and year when funding ends): |  |

**RESEARCH**

**List the title(s) of projects you have been given funding for**

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**A short abstract of the leading research project**

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**Summary of highlights stemming from your research**

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**Research productivity**

Is this research completed? Please outline what is still outstanding and the completion timeline.

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**Data storage**

Is your data open access? Explain how your data has led to usage and dissemination. If your data is not open access, what are your plans for making it accessible?

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**Publications and Conferences**

Report on all publications, whether supported by GENUS: DSI-NRF Centre of Excellence in Palaeosciences or other funding platforms. Add rows if needed.

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| **List peer-reviewed publications, books, or book chapters**  Example: **Nkosi E**, Dlamini M, Jacobs J. 2021. Large mammal biodiversity and distribution in the African Miocene. Journal of Vertebrate Paleontology 50(2): 10- 20. | Peer-reviewed article, book, or book chapter | Supported by the CoE  (Yes / No) | Was the CoE acknowledged?  (Yes / No) |
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| **List peer-reviewed publications, books, or book chapters in preparation, in submission, or in press. Please indicate the date of submission or release date, and the journal name.** | In preparation, in submission, or in press | Supported by the CoE  (Yes / No) | Was the CoE acknowledged?  (Yes / No) |
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| **List of conference presentations and posters**  Example: **Nkosi E**, Dlamini M, Jacobs J. 2021. Large mammal biodiversity and distribution in the African Miocene. 95th Annual Meeting of the Vertebrate Society, New Orleans, Louisiana, USA. 17-21 May. | Conference presentation or poster | Supported by the CoE Palaeo (Yes / No) | Was the CoE acknowledged?  (Yes / No) |
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**Primary collaborators**

Add rows if needed.

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**Supervision**

Include all your postgraduate students and postdoctoral fellows you are currently supervising. Add rows if needed.

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**ACADEMIC CITIZENSHIP**

List your academic leadership highlights. This can includeawards, certificates, or other academic achievements that you have received.

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Describe any initiatives untaken to promote the implementation of active inclusiveness in the palaeoscience community by addressing equity and diversity in access to research projects, research teams, collections, fieldwork, and supporting postgraduate and postdoctoral fellows as co-authors in publications, etc.

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Describe any training you have provided outside of university-required lecturing. This may include workshops, short courses, lab training, field training, etc.

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List the committees you sit on. Provide the name of the committees you sit on and your position (e.g. member or chair).

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Are you on any editorial teams? Provide the name of the journal and your position on the editorial team.

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**SCIENCE ENGAGEMENT**

Detail the science communication or engagement you developed and implemented for Genus: DSI-NRF Centre of Excellence in Palaeosciences. If you have not engaged with Genus, please tell us your plans for how you will.

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Detail the science communication or engagement that you developed and implemented for your university or department.

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**SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURE**

**Please note we require a cash flow spreadsheet of your expenditures that needs to be signed by your department's Financial Officer to ensure grantees and your institution's fiscal responsibility.**

**Expenditure for the current year.**

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| **Provide Grant Amount Given** | **R** |
| **Surplus Funds** | **R** |

**Request for Surplus Funds to be Carried Forward**

Do you require the surplus funds to be carried over to the following year? If yes, please explain and detail why. Please note that this does not guarantee that the excess amount will be extended for another year.

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**Signature of Applicant Date**

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