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Organised and hosted by Wildlife Ranching South Africa (WRSA) and Earthmind

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WILDLIFE ECONOMY WORKSHOP

The contribution of wildlife ranching to conservation and development – assessing the contribution and the role of governance

15-17 March 2017

The Willows Country Lodge,
Pretoria, South Africa

Day 1

15
March

15:00 Coffee.

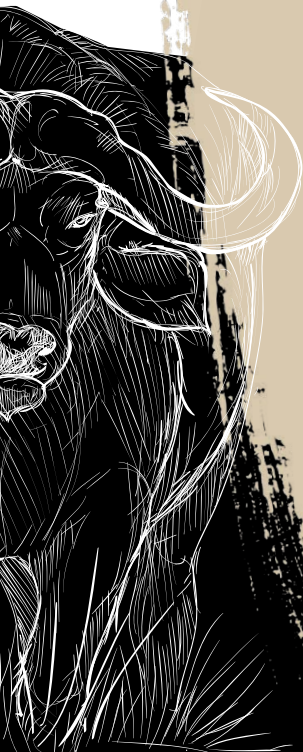
15:30 Welcome – including a round of introductions and an overview of the context, modus operandi and goals of the workshop.

16:30 **Session 1: Past and present views of private wildlife management and exploitation.**
Insights from the history of conservation outside protected areas in southern Africa: The evolution of institutions and performance – Dr Brian Child, Associate Professor, Center for Africa Studies, University of Florida.

Fake views and alternative stats: Recent conflicting economic assessments of trophy hunting – Dr Francis Vorhies, Executive Director, Earthmind.

18:00 End of Day 1.

19:00 Reception and dinner.



Day 2

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March

07:30 Breakfast.

08:30 Recap of Day 1.

09:00 **Session 2: Conservation and economic contributions of wildlife ranching.**

Reviewing the literature on the contributions of wildlife ranching to the green economy – Mr Michael 't Sas-Rolfes, Oxford University School of Geography and the Environment DPhil candidate and Dr Andrew Taylor, Endangered Wildlife Trust.

10:30 Coffee.

11:00 A North American perspective.

From Market Hunting to Hunting Markets: A Property Rights Approach to Wildlife Conservation – Professor Terry Anderson, William A. Dunn Distinguished Senior Fellow, Property and Environment Research Center (PERC), Bozeman, Montana, USA.

12:30 Lunch.

13:30 **Session 3: Governance of wildlife ranching.**

The Public Trust Doctrine in South African Environmental Law – Mr Andrew Blackmore, Head of the Integrated Environmental Management and Protected Area Planning Section, Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife, and Honorary Research Fellow, School of Law, University of KwaZulu-Natal.

15:00 Coffee.

15:30 A North American perspective.

The Comparative Economic Institutions Approach to Wildlife Management – Professor Dean Lueck, Professor of Economics and Affiliate Professor of Law, Indiana University, and Director, Program on Governance of Natural Resources, Ostrom Workshop.

17:00 **Session 4: What is to be done?**

Working group discussions – Part 1 – Discussion of next steps including peer-reviewed publications, further research, and strategic engagement with stakeholders.

18:00 End of Day 2.

19:00 Dinner - braai with game meat.

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07:30 Breakfast.

08:30 Recap of Day 2.

09:00 Presentations on research underway or planned.

10:30 Coffee.

11:00 Working group discussions – Part 2.

11:45 Report-backs from the working groups.

12:30 Closing remarks.

13:00 Lunch.

Thank you
for your attendance.

