



***A Symposium in Honour of  
emeritus Professor David Lewis-Williams***

**90<sup>th</sup>**  
birthday

***5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> of August 2024***  
***Supported by the Dean  
of the Faculty of Science  
Professor Nithaya Chetty,  
arranged by the Rock  
Art Research Institute  
(RARI)***





Colleagues young and old from the last 50 years  
of rock art research foregathered



Prof Chetty opened the proceedings



Director, Sam Challis, accepted benefactor Mrs Susan Ward's Wits Gold Medal on behalf of RARI



Canon DIGI Lab Manager, Mbongeni Tembe



Prof. David Lewis Williams with  
DIGI Lab Technician Sello Mocumi



Colleagues from the Origins Museum and KwaZulu-Natal were in attendance



... as well as David's former school and University students





Family friends and friends of RARI ...



Poland



USA



USA

... and international scholars who'd travelled the globe to be here



... to share insights with the new generation of scholars who are shining through



Kgolagano Vena, RARI collections intern



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