ABBREVIATED CURRICULUM VITAE

Anton P le Roex

Born 8 November, 1953, Port Shepstone, South Africa

Education and employment

BSc in Geology and Geochemistry (Stellenbosch) *cum laude* (1975); BSc(Hons) in Geochemistry (UCT) *first class* (1976); PhD in Geochemistry (UCT) (1980); Research Associate, Department of Geochemistry, UCT (1980); Post-doctoral fellow, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution, USA (1980-1981); Senior Research Officer, Department of Geochemistry, UCT (1981-1985); Lecturer, UCT (1986-1987); Senior Lecturer UCT (1987-1989); Visiting Professor, University of Hawaii, USA (1989-1990); Associate Professor, UCT (1990-1996); Chamber of Mines Professor of Geochemistry, Department of Geological Sciences, UCT (1997- to date); Dean of Science, UCT (2011-2017)

Professional societies

Geological Society of South Africa; American Geophysical Union; Royal Society of South Africa; International Geochemical Society.

University positions and major committees

Head of Department of Geological Sciences (1991 to 2005); Deputy Dean Science (2001 to 2010); Student Advisor (1986 - 2006); Science Faculty Promotions and Remuneration Committee (1998 -); Science Faculty Dean's Advisory Committee (2000 -); University Equipment Committee (2005 – 2010; Deputy Chair); University Research Committee (2007 - 2010; Deputy Chair); University Space Allocation Committee (2008 - 2010; Chair); Admissions & Progression Committee (2009 - 2017); Senate Academic Planning Committee (2009 – 2010); Board for Graduate Studies (2007 - 2010). Doctoral Degrees Board (2011-2017; Deputy Chair). Planning & Budgeting Working Group, UCT (2017 -); Resource Allocation Advisory Group, UCT (2015 -).

Teaching experience and postgraduate supervision

Thirty-one years of teaching experience at undergraduate and postgraduate level in general geology; igneous petrology, mineralogy, analytical geochemistry, and igneous geochemistry. Employed 10 post-doctoral researchers and supervised 16 MSc and 7 PhD students.

Visiting positions and conference attendance

Visiting positions between one month and 12 months at the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution, USA; Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA; University of Hawaii, USA. Conference presentations at 90 international meetings in the United States, New Zealand, Iceland, England, France, Germany, South Africa, Reunion, Canada, Denmark; Scotland; Brazil; Azores; Namibia; Austria; China.

Research interests

My research interests lie in understanding the geochemical composition and evolution of mafic igneous rock and their differentiates, and the geochemical evolution of the Earth's interior.

Publications and review activities

Author or co-author of 98 refereed articles in international Earth science journals, and 105 conference abstracts; over 4000 citations (H index = 38); NRF B1 rating since 1986; reviewer for top international Earth Science journals, including Nature, Science, Journal of Petrology, Earth and Planetary Science Letters, Contributions to Mineralogy and Petrology, Lithos, G-cubed. Regular reviewer of research proposals for NSF (USA), NERC (UK), ACR (Australia) and NRF (South Africa).