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UCT exhibition to profile 10 Capetonians and their possible future

Opening on Thursday, 30 October 2014: City Desired – a look at cities through the lens of Cape Town

The challenges and possibilities facing Cape Town will be in the spotlight at a wide-ranging exhibition, *City Desired*, which opens at the Cape Town City Hall on Thursday, 30 October 2014, at 18h00.

Media are invited to attend the opening by Professor Edgar Pieterse, director of the University of Cape Town's African Centre for Cities (ACC), with input from donors and exhibition partners, including Mr Andries Nel, Deputy Minister of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs, and Dr Max Price, Vice-Chancellor of UCT.

City Desired uses a range of media platforms, including photography, film and interactive tools, to profile 10 Capetonians whose life experiences offer powerful insights into the fabric of the city.

Drawing on the biographies of a domestic worker, taxi boss, psychiatrist, urban farmer, environmental officer, spaza shop owner, violence counsellor, architect, school principal and twin brothers who collaborate as artists, *City Desired* maps the fine grain of a city awkwardly negotiating change.

To confirm your attendance, please contact Kim Cloete at cloetek@yahoo.co.uk or 082 4150736. Please RSVP by Wednesday, 29 October 2014.

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