

## RENAMING OF RESIDENCES

### Auckland Park Campus

Original Name	Meaning	Date of Inception	New Name proposed in 2015	Type of Residence	Male/Female/Mixed Residence
Amper Daar	Amper Daar is an Afrikaans word meaning "Almost there". The name has links with the golf course on which the University was built.	1975	Magnolia – (French). Named after the French botanist <u>Pierre Magnol</u> . It symbolises divine beauty, perseverance, long life and strength.	Residence	Female
Alomdraai	Alomdraai is Afrikaans for full turn.	1977	Akani – (Tsonga). Meaning "To build".	Day House	Female
Benjemijn	Benjemijn is of Dutch origin meaning "Is jy myne?" or "Are you mine?"	1980	Impumelelo – (Nguni). Meaning "success by working together".	Residence	Female
Kruinsig	Loosely translated means the view from the top.	1975	Mošate Heights – (Sepedi). Meaning of Mošate "royal kraal or palace".	Residence	Female
Lebone	Lebone is a Sotho word for "Dawn of light/Light of achievement".	2000	Lebone – (Sotho). Meaning "light". ( <i>Retention of name</i> )	Residence	Female
Scoonveld	An Afrikaans word which means "fairway". The name recalls the previous golf course and a leisurely past as the University was built on the old Johannesburg Country Club.	1983	Karibu-Jamii – (Kiswahili). Meaning "welcome family".	Residence	Female
Afslaan	Afslaan translates into "Tee off". The name recalls the previous golf course and a leisurely past as the University was built on the old Johannesburg Country Club.	1968	Afslaan – (Afrikaans). Meaning "tee off" in golf. ( <i>Retention of name</i> ).	Residence	Male
Bastion	The word "Bastion" refers to the strongest cornerstone of a castle.	1980	Maqhawe – (Ndebele/Zulu/Xhosa). Meaning "heroes".	Residence	Male
Dromedaris	Has a link to "South Africa's history". The Dromedaris was one of the three ships that landed in the Cape on 6 April 1652, Jan van	1975	Cornerstone – (English). Meaning a stone that forms the base of a corner of a building or foundation.	Residence	Male

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	Riebeeck was aboard the Dromedaris.				
Oppierif	The name comes from a South African author, PD Swart, who named the residence after a play called "Op die goudrif" which means on the gold reef when loosely translated into English.	1975	Oppierif – (Afrikaans). Meaning "on the reef". <i>(Retention of name)</i>	Residence	Male
Annirand	Annirand is an Afrikaans name which means on the edge.	1978	Azania – (Ancient Greek). This name is used by most black Africans to refer to South Africa.	Day House	Female
Student Town	The name is self-explanatory as a place where every student wishes to be and to associate themselves with.	1995	Thomas Sankara – He is the former President of Burkina Faso.	Residence	Mixed Residence
Kanniedood	Kanniedood is an Afrikaans name for an indigenous type of thorn tree. The word means "cannot die" and characterises the house as very hardy and will never die and will do everything to the fullest.	1978	Jabali – (Swahili). Meaning "strong as a rock".	Day House	Male
Gloucester	Gloucester House is named after the street on which it is located.	1964	Gloucester House The name refers to the street name on which the residence is located. <i>(Retention of name)</i> .	Residence	Mixed Residence
Vorendag	Vorendag loosely translated means come to light.	1978	Falcons – (Spanish/Italian) Falcons are birds found all over the world. They are powerful and have the ability to fly high.	Day House	Male
Melrose Place	The residence was named after a well-known TV series, called Melrose Place in California, about the lives and loves of a group of young adults, each with their own dreams and drives.	1980	Faranani – (Venda). Meaning "working together".	Residence	Mixed Residence

### Soweto Campus

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New Residence		2016	Ulwazi – (Zulu). Meaning “knowledge”.		
Pishon of Soviet	Pishon is one of the richest rivers in the Garden of Eden and Soviet refers to the Russian army	2013	Pishon of Soweto – (Hebrew). Named after the Biblical river in the Garden of Eden.	Day House	Mixed

### Doornfontein Campus

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Abeilles Day House	The name means bees in French. The bees are a symbol of unity. The day house was originally established as Basetsana in 2007 and was changed in 2013.	2013	Abeilles – (French). Meaning “honey bees”. <i>(Retention of name).</i>	Day House	Mixed
Aurum	Aurum is a Latin word meaning gold.	1983	Gauta – (Setswana). Meaning “gold”.	Residence	Female
Dale Lace	The name is from Colonel John Dale Lace who was a South African gold and diamond magnate.	1995	Lesedi – (Sotho). Meaning “light”.	Residence	Mixed
Habitat	The word habitat means an ecological or environmental area that is inhabited by particular human beings.	2004	Habitat – (Latin). Habitat refers to the natural home or environment of a species. <i>(Retention of name).</i>	Residence	Male
Jeunesse	The word Jeunesse means youth in French. This symbolises the	1983	Phumulani – (Zulu). Meaning rest.	Residence	Female

	young vibrant students that live in the residence.				
Robin Crest	The Robin is a bird that loves sitting on the highest part of the mountain. The word Crest means the top of the mountain	1995	Robin Crest – (English). Meaning refers to a bird reaching the highest mountain. ( <i>Retention of name</i> ).	Residence	Male
Sivebeek	Meaning of the name not clear.	2004	Kopano House – (Sesotho). Meaning “unity”.	Residence	Male
Sun Valley	The name of the Residence means or is derived from the daily morning sun that directly shines on the building which brings natural warmth into the students’ rooms.	1991	Akanani – (Tsonga). Meaning “building each other”.	Residence	Male
Ralanne Court	Ralanne Court was built in 1937 and purchased by UJ in 2006.	2006	Takalani – (Venda). Meaning “be happy or happiness”.	Residence	Female

### Bunting Road Campus

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Ikhaya lethu	Our Home – Neutral, gives a sense of belonging	2011	Ikhaya lethu – (Zulu/Xhosa). Meaning our home. ( <i>Retention of name</i> ).	Day House	Mixed
Goudstad	Goudstad is an Afrikaans name meaning City of Gold	1961	Goudstad – (Afrikaans). Meaning “City of Gold”. ( <i>Retention of name</i> )	Residence	Male
Majuba	Majuba is a Zulu word that means “doves” and is a universal symbol of peace. The name also has military connotations as it is associated with the battle of Majuba Hill (near Volksrust on 27 Feb 1881) which was the main decisive battle of the First Boer War.	1967	Kilimanjaro – (Swahili word <i>Kilima</i> , meaning “mountain,” and the KiChagga word <i>Njaro</i> , loosely translated as “whiteness,”), meaning White Mountain. Highest mountain on African Continent and the highest free standing in the world.	Residence	Male

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Horison	The name Horison is an Afrikaans word meaning where the sky meets the earth.	1968	Horizon – (English). Meaning where the sky meets the earth. ( <i>Retention of name</i> )	Residence	Female
Broadcast Court	The name was inherited with the building when it was purchased from the SABC.	1999	Mayine – (Zulu). Meaning “Let it rain”.	Residence	Mixed
Panorama	Panorama is an Afrikaans/English word which means a beautiful view, which points out the beautiful view that the Residence has of the campus.	1965	Ndlovukazi – (Zulu). Meaning “the queen elephant”.	Residence	Female