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## PERMIT: Excavation, Sampling, Analysis

### In terms of Section 35 of the National Heritage Resources Act (Act 25 of 1999)

Permit Holder: Dr Jayne Wilkins

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Jayne Wilkins  
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Site: Kurumankop, Gamohana Hill (Kurumankop, Gamohana Hill)  
Rondebosch 7701  
South Africa

1. This permit is issued to Dr Jayne Wilkins (Department of Archaeology, University of Cape Town) in collaboration with Robyn Pickering (Department of Geology, University of Cape Town), Andy Herries (Department of Archaeology and History, La Trobe University, Australia), Benjamin J. Schoville (Department of Archaeology, University of Cape Town) and David Morris (McGregor Museum) for excavation and sampling of rockshelter deposits at Gamohana Hill (Kurumankop) in the Northern Cape Province.
2. If the permit holder is not to be present on the site at all times then SAHRA must be provided with the names and qualifications of the authorised representatives.
3. Excavation activities will include 5-6 small test excavation areas (1x2 meters).
4. Sampling activities will include cutting of 20x20cm pieces from carbonate deposits for U-series and isotope analysis
5. All artefacts and site features will be digitally recorded using a total station and hand-held computer.
6. Adequate recording methods as specified in the Regulations and Guidelines pertaining to the National Heritage Resources Act must be employed. Note that the position of all excavations and objects collected must be marked on a plan of the site.
7. A standard site record form must be lodged with the McGregor Museum Archaeology Department.
8. All material collected and excavated, as well as field notes and records, will be curated by the McGregor Museum Archaeology Department, who will be responsible for the permanent curation and safekeeping of all artefactual material in a condition that allows ongoing research.



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9. An annual progress report on the results of the excavations and analyses must be submitted to SAHRA permit on or before 28 February 2017. A final report is due on or before 31 December 2018. SAHRA reserves the right to withhold further permits if progress is not deemed satisfactory.

10. Reprints of all published papers or copies of theses and/or reports resulting from this work must be lodged with SAHRA.

11. The final permit report can be made available to researchers on request within three years of the lapsing of this permit.

12. It is the responsibility of the permit holder to obtain permission from the landowner for each visit, and the excavator is responsible for ensuring that he or she has an understanding with the landowner concerning: the number of visitors and workers; conditions for camping on the property; speed limits on access roads; possible prohibitions on off-road driving; size, type and number of vehicles permitted; possible prohibitions on trespassing beyond the site; disturbing fauna, flora or substrate; erection and demolition of structures on the site; appropriate hours of visiting and working on the site; use of firewood, electricity and water; lighting fires and the prevention of uncontrolled fires and any fencing necessary to protect livestock. Conditions of access imposed by the landowner must be observed.

13. The permitted excavator shall be responsible for the activities and impacts of all colleagues, students and employees under his or her supervision.

14. It is the responsibility of the permit holder to protect sites during and after excavation and to ensure that, where appropriate, excavations are filled in or stabilised with adequate materials (e.g. Loffelstein blocks or army bags in geotextile) to the satisfaction of SAHRA and the landowner.

15. SAHRA shall not be liable for any losses, damages or injuries to persons or properties as a result of any activities in connection with this permit.

16. SAHRA reserves the right to cancel this permit by notice to the permit holder.

17. This permit is subject to a general appeal and may be suspended should an appeal against the decisions be received by SAHRA within 14 days from the date of the permit. SAHRA may not be held responsible for any costs or losses incurred in the event of the suspension or retraction of this permit.

This permit is valid from **08/03/2016 to 31/12/2018**.



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Additional Info:

Please note that this permit may be suspended should an appeal against the decisions be received by SAHRA within 14 days from the date of the permit. SAHRA may not be held responsible for any costs or losses incurred in the event of the suspension or retraction of this permit.

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