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University itself. For theirs is the onus of ensuring that in the sphere of architecture, quantity surveying, building science and town and regional planning, as in the case of every other sphere of human activity, knowledge of truth is continually renewed and that this is done by unremitting endeavour so that this knowledge is not lost.

In this respect the Wits Faculty of Architecture is fortunate in those who have served and continue to serve it as teachers. They have always regarded it as the means of transforming the wealth of tradition from one generation of students to the next. But more than that they have realised that knowledge as such is dead and that the purpose of the Faculty is to serve the living. It has been their constant endeavour to develop in the students those qualities and capabilities which are of value for the common welfare. Their object has been to prepare the student to undertake and fulfil the tasks which will confront him not only in the world into which he enters as a qualified professional man but also in the ever-changing world of the future in which he will live and work for at least thirty years. Their aim has thus been and happily steadfastly remains that their students go out into the world as harmonious personalities, not as specialists, this aim being firmly based on the principle that the development of general ability for independent thinking and judgement should be striven for, not the acquisition of special knowledge. For the student who masters the fundamentals of architecture, or quantity surveying, or building science or town and regional planning and has learned to think and work independently in these fields will surely find his way and will be better able to adapt himself to progress and change than the student whose education and training principally consist in the acquiring of detailed knowledge. This is why the most important method of education and training in these disciplines, as in every other discipline, is that in which the student is urged to actual performance in which the point of his work is the pleasure derived from it, pleasure in its result and in the knowledge of the value of the result to the community. The teachers in the School of Architecture and Quantity Surveying and subsequently in the Faculty of Architecture have used this method almost if not altogether exclusively throughout the years since the University came into being and in paying tribute to them not only for having done so but also for having done so to some considerable effect, the present writer believes that nobody will maintain that the administration of the Faculty of Architecture and the attitude of the teacher do not have an influence upon the moulding of the students.

Following is an alphabetical list of all those who at one time or another since the establishment of the School of Architecture and Quantity Surveying some fifty seven years ago and

subsequently since the School was raised to the status of a Faculty in its own right some thirty eight years ago, have served as teachers in the School and in the Faculty and to whom this tribute is made : *

Allan J T	B Sc Eng (Glasg) M Sc Eng (Wits) A MIEE Honorary Lecturer in Electrical Illumination, Dept of Architecture	1940 - 41
Anderson P R	B Sc (Wits) AMICE MSAITRP MTPI Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1964 - 73
Armstrong F W	ARCA, Professor of Fine Arts Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1930 - 32
Beinart J	B Arch (CT) M Arch (MIT) MCP (Yale) ARIBA Senior Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1959 - 64
Bell G F	BA (Wits) TTHED Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1972 - 75
Bell-John H	MC FSI LRIBA Professor of Quantity Surveying (Pret) Part-time Lecturer in Quantity Surveying, Dept of Architecture and Quantity Surveying	1929 - 42
Benedikt M L	B Arch (Wits) Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1972 - 74
Bihl J F	B Sc QS (Wits) ARICS MAQS Part-time Lecturer, Depts of Architecture and Quantity Surveying	1967 - 72
Birkhead E G	B Sc QS (Wits) MAQS Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Quantity Surveying	1973 -
Booden B G	B Sc QS (Wits) MBA Land Econ (Br Col) RQS ARICS MAQS Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Quantity Surveying Senior Lecturer, Dept of Quantity Surveying	1972 - 74 1975 -
Boden R T	B Arch Dipl TP (Wits) MISAA Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1974 1975 -
Bramwell-Jones R D	B Arch Junior Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1971 - 72

* Teachers from other Faculties, such as those listed on page 5 with the exception of Professor G E Pearse, are not included in this list.

Brink A B A	B Sc (Pret) Honorary Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1967 - 70
Britsius O	B A Hons (Wits) FCIS FR Econ S Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1960 - 62
Britz B J	B Arch (Pret) Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1974 - 75
Bruce R A	Dipl Arch (Wits) MISAA Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1929 - 30
Buffler S J	B Arch (Wits) MISAA Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1976 -
Bullard R K	ARICS MRIS FRGS Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Quantity Surveying	1970
Burde C D	B Arch (Wits) M Arch MCP (Penn) ARIBA AA Cert P & UD (Lond) MSAITRP AIP(Associate) Senior Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1975 -
Calderwood D M	B Arch M Arch D Arch Dipl TP (Wits) ARIBA MSAITRP MSAIB FRSA Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1964 - 66
	Professor of Building Science, Dept of Building Science	1966 -
	Head of Dept of Building Science	1966 - 74
Canes R M	B Arch (Wits) Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1974 - 75
Castleton J W S	FSI MCQS Senior Lecturer, Dept of Architecture and Quantity Surveying	1946 - 58
Clarke A D	B Sc Hons (Lond) AMICE AMI Mech E Honorary Lecturer in Theory of Structures and Sanitation and Hygiene, Dept of Architecture and Quantity Surveying	1932 - 44
Cochran J M	B Sc QS (Wits) ARICS RQS MAQS Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture and Quantity Surveying	1968
	Lecturer, Dept of Architecture and Quantity Surveying	1969 -

Cockhead P J	B Sc Econ (Lond) Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1970 - 71
Cohen L J	B Sc Eng (Wits) MSAIB, Honorary Professor of Building	1976 -
Cohen M	B Sc Hons Honorary Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1967 - 70
Cooke C J	B Arch Dipl TP (Wits) Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1974 - 75
Coulson M H	B A B Comm Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1967 - 70
Cowen J P	B Arch (Wits) ARIBA MISAA Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1961
Czitanich M	B Sc Eng MBA (Wits) Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Building Science	1973 - 74
Dalgleis Judith	B Sc Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1967 - 69
Davey A J	B Sc Bldg (Wits) Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Building Science	1974 - 76
Davis P T	B Sc (S Illinois) M Sc (Illinois) Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1967 - 70
de Gruchy G F	Dipl Arch (Wits) Lecturer, Department of Architecture	1958 - 60
De Swardt W P D	B Sc LS Dipl TP Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1969 - 72
De Vries Robbé C	B Sc Eng Dipl Arch (Wits) ARIBA MISAA Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1969 - 70
Doherty A C	B Arch (Wits) MISAA Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1972 - 74
Draper B G	B Sc Hons (Natal) AIA Lecturer, Dept of Quantity Surveying	1974 - 75
du Plessis L P	B A Fine Arts (Wits) Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1973 - 75

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Ehlers Diana M	B A (Wits) MURP (CT) MSAITRP Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1974 -
Faccio R L	B Sc TRP (Wits) MRTPI MITRP Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1973 - 74
Fair T J D	MA (SA) Ph D (Natal) FSAGS Professor, Dept of Geography and Environmental Studies Director of Urban and Regional Research Unit Honorary Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1960 - 66 1975 -
Farrer R G	B Sc Hons M Sc (Natal) Ph D (Wits) MSAIP AM Illum ES FILESA Lecturer, Dept of Building Science	1972 -
Fassler J	B Arch (Wits) ARIBA AMTPI MSITP Lecturer, Dept of Architecture Senior Lecturer, Dept of Architecture Professor of Architecture and Head of Dept of Architecture	1933 - 43 1944 - 47 1948 - 67
Frieslich J G	B Sc Eng (Wits) Honorary Lecturer in Surveying, Dept of Architecture and Quantity Surveying	1944 - 47
Furner A S	ARIBA, Senior Lecturer, Dept of Architecture Acting Head of Dept of Architecture	1925 - 28 1931 - 32
Gardiner K E F	ARIBA Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1930 - 32
Golden J M	MASHRAE A (SA) I MECH E Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1970 - 74
Goldsmith A	BA (CGH) B Sc Eng (Wits) Honorary Lecturer in Electrical Illumination, Dept of Architecture	1941 - 45
Guedes A d' A M	B Arch (Wits) MISAA Professor of Architecture and Head of Dept of Architecture	1975 -
Hales S	Dipl QS (Wits) MAQS Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture and Quantity Surveying	1969 -
Heher J	B A LI B (Natal) Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1970 - 73

Henderson R D	B Arch (Wits) ARIBA Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1973 - 74
Hendrikz W de S	Lecturer in Fine Arts, Dept of Architecture	1936 - 45
Herbert G	B Arch M Arch Dipl TP (Wits) D Litt et Phil (Pret) FRIBA FRAIA MRAPI Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1947 - 60
Hoole H J	B Sc QS (Wits) RQS MAQS Lecturer, Dept of Quantity Surveying	1971 -
Howie W D	B Arch Dipl TP (Wits) ARIBA Lecturer, Dept of Architecture Senior Lecturer, Dept of Architecture Professor of Architecture and Head of Dept of Architecture	1936 - 48 1949 - 68 1969 - 73
Irwig H G	B Arch (Wits) Lecturer, Dept of Building Science	1970 -
Israelite C	B Sc Bldg (Wits) MSAIB Junior Lecturer, Dept of Building Science Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Building Science	1973 - 74 1975 -
Jackson R I	B Sc Eng M Sc (Wits) AMIWPC AMSAICE Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1967 - 73
Jackson S P	MA DIC Ph D (Lond) Hon LI D (Wits) Honorary Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1960 - 67
Jennings J E B	B Sc Eng (Wits) SM Civil Eng (MIT) MICE MASCE MSAICE Honorary Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1967 - 70
John G W	Dipl QS (Wits) MAQS Senior Lecturer, Dept of Architecture and Quantity Surveying Associate Professor and Head of Dept of Quantity Surveying Associate Professor, Dept of Quantity Surveying	1967 - 69 1970 - 73 1974
Jordan R J P	BA LI B (Dublin) Part-time Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning Honorary Lecturer, Dept of Town and Regional Planning	1960 - 63 1964 - 70

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	Senior Lecturer, Dept of Architecture	1944 - 47
	Professor of Architecture and Head of Dept of Architecture	1948 - 67
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