



**Postgraduate study opportunities:  
Adaptive Stewardship of Social-Ecological Systems in the Garden  
Route, South Africa**

NMMU's Sustainability Research Unit ([www.nmmu.ac.za/sru](http://www.nmmu.ac.za/sru)) is recruiting Master's and Doctoral students who are passionate about collaborative action research, complexity and adaptive co-management of social-ecological systems.

Our over-all objective with this action research programme is to work with stakeholders towards adaptive environmental stewardship, using the Garden Route as a 'laboratory' for transformation.

We offer:

- Some leeway to pursue your own interests, within the conceptual frameworks of social-ecological resilience, adaptive co-management, social learning, environmental stewardship and participatory action research in the Garden Route;
- Linkages to networks of leading national and international academics and students;
- A collegial and fun working environment on NMMU's most beautiful George campus (<http://www.george.nmmu.ac.za>), as part of a vibrant post-graduate group;
- Competitive bursaries and coverage of research expenses.

Interested? Contact Professor Christo Fabricius, [christo.fabricius\(at\)nmmu.ac.za](mailto:christo.fabricius@nmmu.ac.za), if possible before 12 January 2015, for more information.