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## DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

### STUDENTS GRADUATED 2022

#### Master's and PhD degrees awarded

##### Master's Degrees in Psychology (research)

**Kotzé, Izak**

**Title:** Locus of control as moderator in the relationship between interpersonal relation behaviour and resilience in the high risk reliability organisation (HRO) environment of aviators

**Supervisor:** Ms M van Dijk

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuysen

**Sangster, Heske**

**Title:** Divorcees' experiences of emotional regulation within a co-parenting relationship

**Supervisor:** Ms IS Kruger

##### Master's Degrees in Clinical Psychology

**Mahlaba, Siphesihle**

**Title:** The relationship between identity status and career maturity in male and female adolescents

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Masinga, Zinzi**

**Title:** Mental health literacy: Beliefs and attitudes towards mental illness and treatment seeking behaviours

**Supervisor:** Dr ED du Plessis

**Moakamela, Precious**

**Title:** Role of cultural tightness-looseness in identity processing styles and personal growth initiative among university students in South Africa

**Supervisor:** Prof IP Khumalo

**Scholtz, Elsabé**

**Title:** The effectiveness of mindfulness-based interventions amongst university students: A critical review

**Supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

**Segal, Megan**

**Title:** The Butcher of Rostov: A psychobiographical study of Andrei Chikatilo

**Supervisor:** Prof JP Fouché

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

## **Master's Degrees in Counselling Psychology**

**Basson, Monique**

**Title:** Coping, resilience, self-esteem and age as predictors of psychological well-being amongst undergraduate university students

**Supervisor:** Dr J Jordaan

**Duba, Siyanqoba**

**Title:** Predictors of correctional adjustment amongst incarcerated female offenders in correctional centres

**Supervisor:** Dr J Jordaan

**Harichand, Prianca**

**Title:** Impulsive risk behaviours, self-harm and demographic factors as predictors of coping amongst university students

**Supervisor:** Dr J Jordaan

**Maoela, Angela**

**Title:** The role of social media and technology usage in the relationship between self-esteem and mental health amongst university students

**Supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

**Co-supervisor:** Dr J Jordaan

**Munsamy, Kimberley**

**Title:** Repetitive negative thinking as a mediator between experiential avoidance and emotional distress amongst students at a South African University

**Supervisor:** Prof SP Walker

**Co-supervisor:** Prof LA McHugh (University College Dublin, Ireland)

**Nel, Emma**

**Title:** Emotional intelligence, adjustment, media and technology usage, and sex as predictors of psychological well-being amongst undergraduate university students

**Supervisor:** Dr J Jordaan

**Oosthuizen, Maroné**

**Title:** First-year students' experiences of adjusting to university: a self-compassion approach

**Supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

**Van Reenen, Karla**

**Title:** Gertrude Bell: A Levinsonian psychobiography

**Supervisor:** Prof JP Fouché

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

## **PhD (Psychology)**

**Buys, Corlia**

**Title:** Emerging adults' lived experiences of the journey of spiritual identity development

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

# **STUDENTS GRADUATED 2021**

## **Master's and PhD degrees awarded**

### **Master's Degrees in Psychology (research)**

**Monakedi, Sydney Lesiba**

**Title:** Perspectives on family resilience in the face of unemployment

**Supervisor:** Dr L Nel

### **Master's Degrees in Clinical Psychology**

**Mokwala, Precious**

**Title:** Selfies as self-representation tools during the construction of narrative identities

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Ndlovu, Kaizer**

**Title:** Living with a child with autism spectrum disorder: Two Sotho mothers' experiences

**Supervisor:** Dr L Nel

**Pillay, Kaylene**

**Title:** A person-centred study of anxiety and depressive symptoms among university students: Social functioning and gender differences

**Supervisor:** Prof IP Khumalo

**Co-supervisor:** Dr NF Tadi

**Van Zyl, Katrien**

**Title:** Attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) symptom severity and gut microbiome dysbiosis: An etiological perspective on an emerging relationship

**Supervisor:** Mr HW Taylor

**Zwane, Thembelihle**

**Title:** Perceptions of child first offenders regarding their adjustment to a correctional environment

**Supervisor:** Dr J Jordaan

## **Master's Degrees in Counselling Psychology**

**Botha, Theo**

**Title:** Austen's rainbow: A psychobiographical study of Jane Austen's career development

**Supervisor:** Prof JP Fouché

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

**Jansen, Shana**

**Title:** The moderator effect of socioeconomic status in the relationship between perceived social support, adolescent resilience, and risk behaviour

**Supervisor:** Dr AA George

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

**Utloa, Mosa**

**Title:** The experiences of community-service psychologists: A self-determination theory perspective

**Supervisor:** Dr L Nel

## **PhD (Psychology)**

**Makhele, Lerato**

**Title:** The design, implementation, and evaluation of an HIV counselling skills programme for lay counsellors

**Supervisor:** Dr ED du Plessis

**Co-supervisors:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse; Dr L Nel

**Mbhele, Phindile**

**Title:** Combat exposure as moderator between risk, protective factors, and suicide ideation for South African Army Infantry soldiers

**Supervisor:** Dr AA George

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

# STUDENTS GRADUATED 2020

## Master's and PhD degrees awarded

### Master's Degrees in Psychology (research)

#### Hugo, Quinli

**Title:** Eugène Nielen Marais: An Adlerian psychobiography

**Supervisor:** Prof JP Fouché

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

#### Van Tonder, Izelle

**Title:** Predictors of loneliness among university students

**Supervisor:** Dr J Jordaan

**Co-supervisor:** Prof K Esterhuyse

### Master's Degrees in Clinical Psychology

#### Fick, Lara

**Title:** Postgraduate psychology students' experiences of spiritual identity formation

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

#### Franken, Anneke

**Title:** Self-efficacy in the relationship between illness perception and predicted psychotropic treatment compliance among adolescent inpatients

**Supervisor:** Dr AA George

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

#### Jacobs, Chanté

**Title:** Adolescents' experiences of resilience in a high-risk community

**Supervisor:** Mrs IS Kruger

#### Martin, Andrew

**Title:** Perspective taking as a predictor of burnout among competitive adolescent squash players

**Supervisor:** Prof SP Walker

**Co-supervisor:** Prof LA McHugh (Dept of Psychology, University College Dublin, Ireland)

#### Ncayiyane, Zimbini

**Title:** Young black fathers' perceptions of fatherhood: a family systems account

**Supervisor:** Dr L Nel

#### Olivier, Menanteaux

**Title:** Parents' experiences of family resilience with a child living with autism

**Supervisor:** Prof SP Walker

**Co-supervisor:** Dr D Griessel (Dept of Paediatrics and Child Health, UFS)

## Master's Degrees in Counselling Psychology

### **Burger, Nicole**

**Title:** Students' perceptions of the research component in an applied psychology master's programme

**Supervisor:** Dr L Nel

### **Fivaz, Dawie**

**Title:** The role of locus of control in the relationship between spiritual well-being and satisfaction with life among early middle adulthood

**Supervisor:** Mr HW Taylor

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

### **Meyer, Marili**

**Title:** The role of resilience in the relationship between trauma exposure and identity formation among emerging adults

**Supervisor:** Dr AA George

### **Payne, Cliné**

**Title:** Perceived social support and self-regulation as predictors of psychological well-being among emerging adults

**Supervisor:** Dr AA George

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuysen

### **Utloa, Mosa**

**Title:** The experiences of community service psychologists: A self-determination perspective

**Supervisor:** Mrs I van Aardt

**Co-supervisor:** Dr L Nel

## PhD (Psychology)

### **Basson, Monique**

**Title:** Philip Kindred Dick: a psychobiography of the science fiction novelist

**Promoter:** Prof JP Fouché

**Co-promoter:** Dr P Naidoo

### **Kruger, Bridget**

**Title:** The mindfulness, attachment, and satisfaction experiences of couples

**Promoter:** Dr P Naidoo

**Welman, Crystal**

**Title:** Sol Plaatje: a psychobiographical study

**Promoter:** Prof JP Fouché

## **PhD (Child Psychology)**

**Raath, Francilié**

**Title:** Exploring the digital narratives of resilience of South African adolescents exposed to violent crime

**Promoter:** Dr L Nel

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# STUDENTS GRADUATED 2019

## Master's and PhD degrees awarded

### Master's Degrees in Psychology (research)

**Cronjé, Johrine**

**Title:** Predictors of emotional intelligence among university students

**Supervisor:** Dr J Jordaan

**Du Plessis, Clarina**

**Title:** Registered psychologists' perceptions regarding the use of hypnotherapy in South Africa

**Supervisor:** Dr L Nel

**Co-supervisor:** Mr HW Taylor

**Nyaile, Katleho**

**Title:** Demographic factors and coping differences among high school learners: A longitudinal study

**Supervisor:** Dr AA George

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

**Oosthuizen, Gabriël Johannes**

**Title:** Clive Staples Lewis: A psychobiography

**Supervisor:** Prof JP Fouché

**Pretorius, Sheree Elizabeth**

**Title:** Predictors of coping among male incarcerated offenders in a private maximum-security correctional centre

**Supervisor:** Dr J Jordaan

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

**Rogers, Codi**

**Title:** Predictors of prison adjustment among male incarcerated offenders in a private maximum-security correctional centre

**Supervisor:** Dr J Jordaan

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

**Rust, Bernadine**

**Title:** Ingrid Jonker: a psychobiography

**Supervisor:** Prof JP Fouché

**Visagie, Handré**

**Title:** Elderly people's subjective experiences of relocation to residential care facilities

**Supervisor:** Ms M van Dijk

**Winter, Ruan**

**Title:** The holistic wellness of Margaret Thatcher: A psychobiography

**Supervisor:** Prof JP Fouché

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

## **Master's Degrees in Clinical Psychology**

**Higgs, Carmen**

**Title:** Adolescents' experiences of gender identity exploration from a hegemonic masculinity perspective

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Lordan, John Sebastiaan**

**Title:** The role of sense of coherence in the relationship between physical activity and self-esteem among young adults

**Supervisor:** Mrs I van Aardt

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuysen

**Meyerowitz, Hershel**

**Title:** Identity development and social networking use among adolescents

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Olivier, Teri**

**Title:** The role of academic identity in the relationship between achievement goal orientation and academic achievement among undergraduate students

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuysen

**Shirima, Catherine**

**Title:** The role of self-esteem in the relationship between ego identity and career aspiration in adolescents

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Seakamela, Mpho Violet**

**Title:** Students' experiences of the role of social media in their identity development

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

## **Master's Degrees in Counselling Psychology**

**Nell, Wjibren**

**Title:** The queen of comedy: A psychobiography of Joan Rivers

**Supervisor:** Prof JP Fouché

**Spengler, Eloise**

**Title:** The role of experiential avoidance in the relationship between perceived stress and emotional distress in a sample of university students

**Supervisor:** Prof SP Walker

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

**Van der Wateren, Mari**

**Title:** Gender as moderator in the relationship between identity formation and bully behaviour among adolescents

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

## **PhD (Psychology)**

**Panelatti, Angela Francesca**

**Title:** Sylvia Plath: A psychobiographical study

**Promoter:** Prof JP Fouché

**Van Damme, Elizabeth Cornelia**

**Title:** Psychological and behavioural control in adolescent identity development: An ecological perspective

**Promoter:** Prof L Naudé

## **PhD (Child Psychology)**

**Aitken, Sharon Anne**

**Title:** The psychosocial experiences of adolescents with juvenile idiopathic arthritis

**Promoter:** Dr P Naidoo

**Marufu, Tariro Accillia**

**Title:** The lived experiences of adolescent suicide attempt survivors and their parents

**Promoter:** Dr A Botha

**Co-promoter:** Dr L Nel

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# STUDENTS GRADUATED 2018

## Master's and PhD degrees awarded

### Master's Degrees in Psychology (research)

**Basson, Monique**

**Title:** Gender and family structure as moderators in the relationship between perceived parenting style and identity development among adolescents

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Bekker, Constance**

**Title:** The dimensions of emerging adulthood in first- and continuous-generation students

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Groenewald, Lené**

**Title:** The role of academic self-concepts in the relationship between Grade 12 performance and academic performance in first-year psychology students

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Co-supervisor:** Prof K Esterhuysen

**Malan, Zanete**

**Title:** First-year students' and their mentors' experiences of social integration in a peer-mentor programme

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Co-supervisor:** Dr WP Wahl

**Nagel, Nadia**

**Title:** Gender as moderator in the relationship between identity formation and the evaluation of romantic relationships during adolescence

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

### Master's Degrees in Clinical Psychology

**Dinale, Thabiso**

**Title:** Gender identities in emerging adulthood: A social constructivist perspective

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Le Roux, Simoné**

**Title:** Experiences of compassion fatigue and resilience among nurses in private facilities

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Nel, Lerie**

**Title:** Applicability of the integrative framework of stress and coping to the experiences of mothers of children with acute lymphoblastic leukaemia in the developing world

**Supervisor:** Prof S Walker

**Co-supervisors:** Ms IS Kruger and Prof DK Stones

**Van der Merwe, Jaco**

**Title:** Homosexual men's experiences of paternal relationships during the sexual identity formation period

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Co-supervisor:** Dr L Nel

**Van der Walt, Chrisna**

**Title:** Parents' descriptions of the character strengths of their children

**Supervisor:** Dr L Nel

## **Master's Degrees in Counselling Psychology**

**Kally, Thamari**

**Title:** The experiences of compassion and self-compassion among psychologists

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

## **PhD (Psychology)**

**De Beer, Annemarike**

**Title:** The psychofortological experiences of differently abled first-year students

**Promoter:** Prof L Naudé

**Co-promoter:** Dr L Nel

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# STUDENTS GRADUATED 2017

## Master's and PhD degrees awarded

### Master's Degrees in Psychology (research)

#### **Beangstrom, Natasha**

**Title:** The role of leisure engagement in the relationship between coping and psychological well-being among adolescents

**Supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

**Co-supervisor:** Dr A Botha

#### **Van der Wal, Wilmie**

**Title:** Coping and resilience as predictors of adolescent self-harm

**Supervisor:** Dr A George

#### **Van Heerden, Rian**

**Title:** The perception of the style of assertiveness in a South African corporate environment

**Supervisor:** Dr R Beukes

**Co-supervisor:** Prof K Esterhuyse

#### **Van Schalkwyk, Janey**

**Title:** The adjustment of first and non-first-generation students during the first year

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

### Master's Degrees in Clinical Psychology

#### **Du Toit, Nadia**

**Title:** Towards self-authorship: Postgraduate psychology students' meaning-making journeys

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

#### **Nortjé, Elsabé**

**Title:** Psychotherapists' experiences of using the sequentially planned integrative counselling for children model

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Co-supervisor:** Dr L Nel

#### **Pheiffer, Carina**

**Title:** The psycho-social themes of children with a congenital heart defect

**Supervisor:** Dr R van der Watt

**Co-supervisor:** Dr S Brown

**Vala, Sanisha**

**Title:** Registered counsellors' experiences of their professional career development  
**Supervisor:** Dr L Nel

## **Master's Degrees in Counselling Psychology**

**Booyesen, Daniella**

**Title:** The motivation behind the persistent re-application for an applied master's degree in psychology: A self-determination perspective  
**Supervisor:** Dr L Nel

**Jansen van Vuuren, Charné**

**Title:** Ethnic identity development among adolescents living as a minority within the Middle Eastern context  
**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Louw, Dewald**

**Title:** The Great Pretender: a psychobiography of Freddie Mercury  
**Supervisor:** Prof P Fouché

**Scott, Eloise**

**Title:** The psychosocial challenges and general resistance resources of heterosexual newlyweds  
**Supervisor:** Mrs I van Aardt  
**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

**Venter, Nico**

**Title:** The role of resilience in the relationship between exposure to trauma and suicide ideation  
**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha  
**Co-supervisor:** Dr A George

## **PhD (Psychology)**

**Burger, Andri**

**Title:** Factors and experiences related to the academic success of students in the Faculty of the Humanities  
**Promoter:** Prof L Naudé

**Carter, Mariska**

**Title:** The role of attachment in the relationship between perceived parenting dimensions and bullying among preadolescents  
**Promoter:** Dr R van der Watt  
**Co-promoter:** Prof K Esterhuyse

**Coetzee, Elize**

**Title:** John Wayne Gacy: A psychobiography of the clown killer

**Promoter:** Prof P Fouché

**Seane, Refiloe**

**Title:** The role of identity development, future time perspective and career maturity in first-year students' academic success.

**Promoter:** Prof A Grobler

**Co-promoter:** Prof K Esterhuysen, Prof M Lacante

## **PhD (Child Psychology)**

**Brown, Lisa Joy**

**Title:** Mother-child relating: an intergenerational perspective

**Promoter:** Dr L Nel

**Co-promoter:** Dr R van der Watt

**Du Plooy, Hilda**

**Title:** The role of emotional intelligence in the relationship between psychosocial factors and suicide behaviour in South African adolescents

**Promoter:** Dr F Tadi

**Co-promoter:** Dr A George

**Smith, Tracy-Ann**

**Title:** The lived experience of spiritual identity development among adolescents

**Promoter:** Prof L Naudé

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# STUDENTS GRADUATED 2016

## Master's and PhD degrees awarded

### Master's Degrees in Psychology (research)

#### Liversage, Lindi

**Title:** Identity development of black students during the first year

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Co-supervisor:** Dr A Botha

#### Lombaard, Nelani

**Title:** Adolescents' experiences of stereotyping during identity development

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

#### Osorio, Dayana

**Title:** John Lennon: a psychobiography

**Supervisor:** Prof P Fouché

### Master's Degrees in Clinical Psychology

#### Jordaan, Carike

*Recognition of dissertation (US)*

#### De Jager, Marizé

**Title:** The factors affecting risk-taking behaviour among middle and late adolescents: An ecological systems perspective

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

#### Du Plessis, Ruvé

**Title:** The life of Steve Jobs: A psychobiographical study

**Supervisor:** Prof P Fouché

#### Mathumbu, Penny

**Title:** The role of coping in the relationship between life satisfaction and suicide ideation in adolescents

**Supervisor:** Dr F Tadi

**Co-supervisor:** Dr A George

#### Mbatha, Silindile

**Title:** The relationship between self-efficacy, motivation, and academic performance among students from various gender and generational groups

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Smith, Thea**

**Title:** Risk factors associated with the vulnerability for recruitment of female adolescent victims to involuntary prostitution

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Stone, La-Toya**

**Title:** Race as moderator in the relationship between trauma exposure and resilience among South African adolescents

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Van Niekerk, Frederick**

**Title:** The role of emotional regulation in the relationship between traumatic exposure and suicidal ideation among adolescents

**Supervisor:** Dr A George

## **Master's Degrees in Counselling Psychology**

**Barnes, Monique**

**Title:** Substance abuse and strengths as predictors of coping among adolescents

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

**Flett, Judy**

**Title:** Women who divorce in midlife: The resilient reconstruction of their lives

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Jacobs, Pieter**

**Title:** School environment as moderator in the relationship between school engagement, coping and resilience among South African adolescents

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Schlebusch, Bianca**

**Title:** 'n Vergelyking van veerkragtige en nie-veerkragtige adolessente ten opsigte van beskermende faktore

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

## **PhD (Psychology)**

**Potgieter, Allison**

**Title:** 'n Geïntegreerde perspektief op die ontwikkeling van angs tydens vroeë adolessensie

**Promoter:** Prof A Grobler

**Co-promoter:** Prof K Esterhuysen, Prof M Lacante

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# STUDENTS GRADUATED 2015

## Master's and PhD degrees awarded

### Master's Degrees in Psychology (research)

**Knoesen, Riané**

**Title:** Moving between languishing and flourishing during the first year of university life

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Slabbert, Claire**

**Title:** Experiences and perceptions of diversity among teachers and learners in racially integrated schools

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Van Wyk, Debbie**

**Title:** Die voorspellingsgeldigheid van die ESSI Lees- en Speltoets vir niemoedertaalsprekers

**Supervisor:** Dr R Beukes

**Co-supervisor:** Prof K Esterhuyse

**Van Wyk, Lezahné**

**Title:** Restorative justice in South Africa: An attitude survey among legal professionals

**Supervisor:** Prof D Louw

### Master's Degrees in Clinical Psychology

**Bester, Edelweiss**

**Title:** The role of mindfulness in the life satisfaction and spiritual well-being of the elderly

**Supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

**Co-supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Carstens, Lydia-Anne**

**Title:** Human trafficking and psychosocial protective factors: The experiences of female victims of involuntary prostitution

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Co-supervisor:** Mrs I Kruger

**Du Plessis, Jolandie**

**Title:** Ethnic identity development in black African adolescents

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Grové, Lucie**

**Title:** The relationship between ego identity status and perceived parenting style in black adolescents from different family structures

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

**Laubscher, Jessica**

*Recognition of master's dissertation obtained at Stellenbosch University.*

**Mbhele, Phindile**

**Title:** The role of parental employment status in the relationship between traumatic exposure and suicide risk

**Supervisor:** Dr A George

**Co-supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Pepile, Siphokazi**

**Title:** Trauma exposure and coping as predictors of adolescent self-harm

**Supervisor:** Dr A George

**Co-supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Sayce, Skye**

*Recognition of master's dissertation*

**Ungerer, Alida**

*Recognition of master's dissertation obtained at Stellenbosch University.*

**Wiggill, Danene**

**Title:** The role of demographic variables in the relationship between coping self-efficacy, perceived social support and subjective well-being in first-year students

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Co-supervisor:** Ms M van Dijk

## **Master's Degrees in Counselling Psychology**

**Bodenstein, L**

**Title:** The experiences of postgraduate psychology students regarding the development of multicultural competence

**Supervisor:** Prof L Naudé

## **PhD (Psychology)**

**Fandie, Katlego**

**Title:** Students' attitudes towards counselling: A cross-cultural study

**Promoter:** Prof L Naudé

**Jordaan, Jacques**

**Title:** The development and evaluation of a life skills programme for young adult prisoners

**Promoter:** Dr R Beukes

**Co-promoter:** Prof K Esterhuyse

**PhD (Child Psychology)**

**Theron, Hugo**

**Title:** The use of information and communication technology and resilience in adolescence

**Promoter:** Dr HS van den Berg

**Co-promoter:** Dr A George

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# STUDENTS GRADUATED 2014

## Master's and PhD degrees awarded

### Master's Degrees in Psychology (research)

#### **Basson, Sasha**

**Title:** Psychopathic traits and offender characteristics among female offenders in a South African correctional centre

**Supervisor:** Dr F Tadi

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

#### **Du Toit, Hanli**

**Title:** Rational beliefs as predictors of mental toughness among competitive adolescent tennis players

**Supervisor:** Dr SP Walker

#### **Kotzé, Micheleen**

**Title:** Die rol van irrasionele denke in Wiskunde-angs van graad 9-leerders

**Supervisor:** Dr ZI Swanepoel

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

### Master's Degrees in Clinical Psychology

#### **Barnard, Annelize**

**Title:** The relationship between exposure to information and communication technologies and psychological strengths in adolescents

**Supervisor:** Dr HS van den Berg

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

#### **Briedenhann, Werner**

**Title:** The occupational challenges and coping experiences of young educators

**Supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

**Co-supervisor:** Ms M van Dijk

#### **Carshagen, Helene**

**Title:** Adolescent self-mutilation: Differences in emotional regulation, coping strategies and membership to a subculture

**Supervisor:** Dr HS van den Berg

**Co-supervisor:** Dr AA George

#### **Hansen, Zibeth**

**Title:** The seriousness of criminal acts among re-offenders: a reinforcement-learning perspective

**Supervisor:** Dr S Loots

**Co-supervisor:** Dr AA George

**Lambaskis, Anthy Niki**

**Title:** The role of motivation in concussion-related knowledge and attitudes among sub-elite rugby union players

**Supervisor:** Dr SP Walker

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

**Le Roux, Helene**

**Title:** 'Coping' as voorspeller van die risiko vir substansmisbruik by adolessente

**Supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

**Co-supervisor:** Dr HS van den Berg

**Machetela, Lerato**

**Title:** First encounters in counselling adults: The experiences of master's degree students in a professional psychology programme

**Supervisor:** Dr L Nel

**Marais, Pieter**

**Title:** Lesbian parents' experiences regarding the moral development of their children

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Moolman, Reinier**

**Title:** The role of coping in the relationship between adolescent suicide ideation and resilience

**Supervisor:** Dr AA George

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

**Nel, Hanlie**

**Title:** Richard Tenton Chase: a psychobiography of the 'Dracula Killer'

**Supervisor:** Prof JP Fouché

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

**Wolmarans, Bridget**

**Title:** The role of mindfulness in the psychological well-being and life satisfaction of adults

**Supervisor:** Dr A Botha

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

## **Master's Degrees in Counselling Psychology**

**Hoffman, Liezl**

**Title:** Geslag en etnisiteit as moderators in die verband tussen akademiese prestasie en selfkonsep tydens puberteitsjare

**Supervisor:** Dr ZI Swanepoel

**Co-supervisor:** Prof KGF Esterhuyse

**Van Wyk, Heinrich**

**Title:** Die verband tussen weerbaarheidsfaktore en lewensvredigheid by adolessente: 'n kruiskulturele studie

**Supervisor:** Dr P Naidoo

**Co-supervisor:** Dr HS van den Berg

**PhD (Psychology)****Arndt, Natasha**

**Title:** Lived experiences related to the identity of black African adolescents

**Promoter:** Prof L Naudé

**Barnaschone, Melissa**

**Title:** The effect of need supportive leadership on the psychological well-being, motivation and performance of adolescent sport achievers in South Africa

**Promoter:** Prof AA Grobler

**Co-promoter:** Prof F Boen (Belgium)

**Botha, Anja**

**Title:** The influence of risk and resilience factors on the life satisfaction of adolescents

**Promoter:** Dr HS van den Berg

**Co-promoter:** Dr M Mentz

**Botha, Ryan**

**Title:** Psychopathy and comorbid mental disorders among South African female offenders

**Promoter:** Prof DA Louw

**Co-promoter:** Dr S Loots

**Mould, Jana**

**Title:** A programme to promote internal resiliency among female adolescents: A cognitive behavioural approach

**Promoter:** Prof AA Grobler

**Co-promoters:** Prof KGF Esterhuysen; Prof M Lacante (Belgium)

**Van Schalkwyk, Samantha**

**Title:** Exploring collective narratives of violence: Intersections of gendered 'selves' of place and time among members of an African women's support network

**Promoter:** Prof P Gobodo-Madikizela

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