



UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE  
UNIVERSITEIT VAN DIE VRYSTAAT  
YUNIVESITHI YA FREISTATA

# GRADUATION CEREMONY

BLOEMFONTEIN CAMPUS

WEDNESDAY | 15 APRIL | 08:30

## Faculty of Health Sciences

Bachelor's degrees, honours degrees, postgraduate diplomas, master's degrees,  
and doctoral degrees

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## Faculty of Law

Advanced diplomas, bachelor's degrees, postgraduate diplomas,  
master's degrees, and doctoral degrees

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# PROGRAMME

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BLOEMFONTEIN CAMPUS

CONSTITUTION OF THE CONGREGATION

OFFICIAL WELCOME

MUSICAL ITEM

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES

NATIONAL ANTHEM OF SOUTH AFRICA

DISSOLUTION OF THE CONGREGATION

In order to maintain the dignity of the ceremony, you are requested to take note of the following:

- Please stand as the procession enters the hall
- Do not move around during the ceremony in order to take photos
- Please refrain from unacceptable actions such as whistling
- Please put your cellphone on silent so as not to disturb the proceedings
- We strive to conduct the ceremonies in a dignified manner
- Please do not leave the hall before the graduation proceedings have been concluded
- Family and friends who are unable to attend may watch the full graduation ceremonies through our livestream link at <https://livestream.ufs.ac.za>

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## PLEASE NOTE

List of candidates receiving degrees, diplomas, and certificates:

Degrees, diplomas, and certificates of candidates who are unable to attend the graduation ceremony will be conferred in absentia.

An\* next to a name indicates that the degree, diploma, or certificate is awarded with distinction.

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# ABOUT THE UFS



## BLOEMFONTEIN, QWAQWA, AND SOUTH CAMPUSES

The University of the Free State (UFS) has a proud history as one of the oldest institutions of higher education in South Africa. It opened its doors in Bloemfontein in 1904 as the Grey University College with six students in The Humanities. Today it is a multi-campus institution with two diverse campuses in Bloemfontein and one in Qwaqwa in the scenic Eastern Free State, accommodating more than 39 000 students in its seven faculties (Economic and Management Sciences, Education, Health Sciences, The Humanities, Law, Natural and Agricultural Sciences, Theology and Religion), with a significant number of international students and associates, and an ever-widening scope of active involvement in and contribution to its surrounding communities.

For more than 120 years, the University of the Free State has been delivering quality graduates who have made their mark in various sectors. What distinguishes the university is its holistic student support initiatives that enable it to achieve some of the highest success rates in the country.

Preparing students who are in high demand in the global job market remains a top priority. A strong network of established industry partners and close collaboration with the public and private sectors, as well as a continuing

commitment to transformation and curriculum renewal all converge to produce graduates who are ready to make an impact.

The UFS' research efforts are driven by dedicated scholars, some of whom are international leaders in their fields, with industry and social impact and real-world application.

Through the principle of engaged scholarship, the university responds to societal needs by applying its scholarly and professional expertise with an intentional public purpose and benefit.

The University of the Free State is an institution fully committed to offering students and staff an exceptional university experience. Its work is anchored in the values of excellence, impact, accountability, care, social justice, and sustainability.

The UFS aspires to be an innovative research-led, student-centred, and regionally engaged university that contributes meaningfully to responsible societal futures.

It is committed to cultivating thoughtful leaders and pioneering knowledge, guided by its North Star – shaping responsible societal futures for its surrounding communities and beyond.

*Inspiring excellence, transforming lives through quality, impact, and care.*

# MESSAGE FROM VICE-CHANCELLOR AND PRINCIPAL: UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE

## Welcome to the graduation ceremony of the University of the Free State (UFS).

**T**oday is indeed a special day. Few occasions hold as much significance as your graduation, both for you and for those who have supported you along the way. Many of you have had to overcome numerous challenges during your journey to get to where you are today. Many of you are the first in your families to reach this significant milestone. You have earned this moment, and you should be extremely proud of your achievement.

Graduands, you have had the honour of studying at a reputable, caring institution with a history spanning more than 120 years. Always acknowledge and recognise the significance of your achievements as you transition from being a University of the Free State (UFS) student to a UFS graduate. I invite you to stay connected to your alma mater as proud alumni.

Although the mission of our university has always been to equip you with the knowledge and skills needed to make a difference in your field of study, we are also mindful that values are just as important for you to make a difference in your community. The University of the Free State places great emphasis on ensuring that students have an outstanding university experience. In our pursuit of excellence, we are proud that our environment is conducive to intellectual and personal growth. As such, our values of excellence, impact, accountability, care, social justice, and sustainability are embedded in all activities across the institution.

As you step into the world beyond the University of the Free State, remember that your education is a powerful tool. I urge you to use this tool to pursue our university's quest to create responsible societal futures – using your knowledge and skills to shape a more humane, more just, and more equitable world for future generations. Use it to create positive change, to question the status quo, and to pursue your passions with determination. The future may seem uncertain, but it is filled with possibilities waiting for your unique talents and contributions. As you embark on your next adventure, carry with you the lessons you have learned and the courage to forge your own path.

Celebrate your success, cherish the memories, and embrace the opportunities that lie ahead. The world is yours to explore, and we cannot wait to see all the incredible things you will do and accomplish.

Congratulations to all our Kowsie graduands. May you have continued success in all your endeavours!

Best wishes

**PROF HESTER C. KLOPPER**

**VICE-CHANCELLOR AND PRINCIPAL**



## Welkom by die gradeplegtigheid van die Universiteit van die Vrystaat (UV).

**V**andag is voorwaar 'n spesiale dag. Min geleentede hou soveel betekenis in as 'n mens se gradeplegtigheid, sowel vir julle as vir diegene wat julle langs die pad ondersteun het. Baie van julle moes talle uitdagings te bowe kom tydens julle reis om te kom waar julle vandag is. Baie van julle is die eerste in julle gesinne om hierdie belangrike mylpaal te bereik. Julle het hierdie oomblik verdien en julle kan baie trots wees op jul prestasies.

Graduandi, julle het die eer gehad om aan 'n gerespekteerde, sorgsame instelling te studeer met 'n geskiedenis wat oor meer as 120 jaar strek. Erken en herken altyd die betekenis van julle prestasies waar julle nou beweeg van studente van die Universiteit van die Vrystaat (UV) na UV-gegradueerdes. Ek nooi julle uit om as trotse alumni by julle alma mater betrokke te bly.

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Alhoewel die missie van ons universiteit nog altyd was om julle toe te rus met die kennis en vaardighede wat nodig is om 'n verskil in julle studievervelde te maak, is ons ook bedag daarop dat waardes net so belangrik is vir julle om 'n verskil in julle gemeenskappe te maak. Die Universiteit van die Vrystaat lê groot klem daarop om te verseker dat studente 'n uitnemende universiteitservaring het. In ons strewe na uitnemendheid is ons trots daarop dat ons omgewing bevorderlik is vir intellektuele en persoonlike groei.

As sodanig is ons waardes van uitnemendheid, impak, aanspreeklikheid, omgee, sosiale geregtigheid en volhoubaarheid ingebed in alle aktiwiteite oor die instelling heen.

Waar julle die wêreld buite die Universiteit van die Vrystaat betree, onthou dat opvoeding 'n kragtige hulpmiddel is. Ek moedig julle aan om hierdie hulpmiddel te gebruik om ons universiteit se strewe na die totstandkoming van verantwoordelike maatskaplike toekoms te streef – deur julle kennis en vaardighede te gebruik om 'n meer menslike, meer regverdig en meer billike wêreld vir toekomstige geslagte daar te stel. Gebruik dit om positiewe verandering teweeg te bring, om die status quo te bevraagteken en om julle passies met vasberadenheid na te streef. Die toekoms lyk dalk onseker, maar dit is gevul met moontlikhede wat wag vir julle unieke talente en bydraes. Waar julle nou die volgende avontuur aanpak, neem die lesse saam wat julle geleer het, asook die moed om julle eie weg te baan.

Vier julle sukses, koester die herinneringe en omhels die geleenthede wat voorlê. Die wêreld lê oop voor julle om te verken, en ons kan nie wag om al die ongelooflike dinge te sien wat julle sal doen en bereik nie.

Baie geluk aan al ons Kowsie-graduandi. Mag julle volgehoue sukses in al julle ondernemings hê!

Beste wense

**PROF HESTER C. KLOPPER**

**VIKANSIELIER EN PRINSIPAAL**

## Re a le amohela moketeng ona wa dikgau le dikapeso tsa Yunivesithi ya Freistata (UFS).

**L**etsatsi la kajeno efela e le le ikgethileng. Ke diketsahalo tse mmalwa tse nang le bohlokwa jwaloka mokete wa hao wa dikapeso, molemong wa hao esita le bao ba nnileng ba o tshhehetsa nakong ena yohle. Ba bangata ba lona ba ile ba lokela ho hlola diphephetso tse ngata nakong ya leeto lena ho tla fihla moo le leng teng kajeno. Ba bangata ba lona le ba pele malapeng a bolona ho fihlella mokolokotwane ona wa bohlokwa. Le sebeditse ka thata ho fihla nakong ena, mme le lokela ho ba motlotlo ka phihlello ena ya lona.

Lona boradikgau, le bile le tlotla ya ho ithuta yunivesithing e nang le dilemo tse 121. Kamehla le amohela le ho ananela bohlokwa ba diphihlello tsa lona ha le fetola maemo a ho ba baithuti ba Yunivesithi ya Freistata (UFS) mme jwale le se le ba boradikgau ba UFS. Ke le kopa ho dula le ikamahanya le mohlodi ona wa lona wa dikgau tsa thuto, le le boradikgau ba motlotlo.

Le hoja sepheo sa yunivesithi ya rona e nnile ya ba ho le hlomella ka tsebo le ka boitsebelo ba mesebetsi e hlokehang bakeng sa ho etsa diphetoho mafapheng a dithuto tsa lona, re ntse re tseba hore makgabane a molemo ho wena ho etsa diphetoho setjhabeng sa heno. Yunivesithi ya Freistata e hatella haholo ho etsa bonnete ba hore baithuti ba na le boiphihlelo bo hlwahlwa ka yunivesithi. Mabapi le kgothaleto ya rona ya boipabolo bo hlwahlwa, re motlotlo hore tikoloho ya rona e tshhehetsa kgolo ya keello le mahlale esita le ntshetsopele ya botho. Ka tsela e jwalo, makgabane a rona a boipabolo bo hlwahlwa, boitshimollelo, sekgahla, boikarabelo, tlhokomelo, toka ya setjhaba, le tshwarello, di konyeleditswe mesebetsing yohle ya institjushene kapa setsha sena sa thuto.

Ha e le mona le kena lefatsheng le ka nqane ho meedi ya Yunivesithi ya Freistata, hopolang hore thuto ke sesebediswa se matla. Ke le kopa hore le e sebedise ho sibolla diphetoho tse molemo, ho nahanisisa ka hohle ka maemo a bophelo a hona jwale, esita le ho ntshetsa pele ditabatabelo tsa lona ka boikemisetso. Bokamoso bo ka bonahala bo sa kgothale, empa bo tletse maemo a kgonahalo a emetseng dineo tsa lona tse ikgethileng esita le tsona diabo tsa lona. Ha le tswela pele ka sepheo sa lona se latelang bophelong, hlomellang ka dithuto tseo le ithutileng tsona le tshupo ya ho ipetlela tsela ho ya pele.

Ketekang katleho ya lona, thabelang mehopollo ya mahopotsane, mme le amohela menyetla e tlang. Lefatshe lena ke la lona hore le le sibolle, mme re ke ke ra emisa ho tadima ka tebelo dintho tse makatsang tseo le tla di etsa le hona ho di fihlella.

Ditakaleto tsa mahlohonolo ho baithuti ba rona ba Kowsie ba amohetseng dikgau. E se eka le ka ba le katleho e tswelapeng pele mererong yohle ya lona ya boiteko!

Madume

**MOPROFESA HESTER C. KLOPPER**

**MOTLATSI WA MOTJHANSELA LE MOOKAMEDI**

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ECONOMIC AND  
MANAGEMENT SCIENCES



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THEOLOGY AND RELIGION



DEAN |

**PROF DR PHETLHU**

**DOCTORAL DEGREES**

**DIVISION HEALTH SCIENCES EDUCATION**

**DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION**

**KRUGER, Elene**

Elene Kruger was born in Pietersburg and matriculated in 2001. She obtained a Bachelor of Optometry (BOptom) degree from the then Rand Afrikaans University and a Master of Philosophy (MPhil) in Optometry from the University of Johannesburg. She will be awarded a Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Health Professions Education from the University of the Free State. She is currently a lecturer in the Department of Optometry at the University of the Free State.

With her thesis titled: **A FRAMEWORK FOR COMMUNICATION SKILLS TRAINING OF UNDERGRADUATE OPTOMETRY STUDENTS IN SOUTH AFRICA**, Elene Kruger developed a practical, evidence-informed framework to guide the structured teaching of communication skills within undergraduate optometry programmes. Her study employed a mixed-methods research design, including a national needs analysis of HPCSA-registered optometrists, and Nominal Group Technique sessions with students and lecturers from South African universities offering optometry. Triangulation of findings informed the framework development. The resulting framework provides a systematic and contextually relevant pathway for integrating communication skills training across all years of undergraduate study. It promotes deliberate practice, supports measurable learning outcomes and aligns communication training with professional and patient-care needs. This work makes a significant contribution to health professions education by offering a theoretically grounded, context-specific and replicable model that may be adapted by other health disciplines seeking to enhance communication competence, educational quality and patient care outcomes.

**Supervisor:** Prof MJ Labuschagne

**Co-supervisor:** Dr E Kempen

**MYBURGH, Michelle Christy**

Michelle Myburgh was born in Pretoria. She matriculated at Eunice High School, Bloemfontein in 2002 and obtained her MBChB degree from the University of the Free State in 2009. She completed an MSc in Paediatric Emergency Medicine with distinction at the University of Edinburgh in 2020, a postgraduate diploma in Healthcare Management and Leadership at Eaton Business School in 2021 and a Diploma in Primary Emergency Care in 2023. She serves as an affiliated lecturer in the Department of Paediatrics and Child Health at the University of the Free State. She is the Executive Chair for Paediatric Advanced Life Support (RCSA) and is a member of the ILCOR Paediatric Task Force.



With her thesis titled: **DEVELOPING AN EMERGENCY MEDICINE SIMULATION PROGRAMME WITHIN A PAEDIATRIC POSTGRADUATE CURRICULUM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE**, the candidate contributes to scholarship in health professions education, with a focus on locally relevant simulation-based training for postgraduate paediatric emergency care in South Africa. Using a design-based research methodology, the study involved the iterative development, implementation and evaluation of a contextually grounded simulation programme aligned with competency-based education principles. Quantitative data were used alongside qualitative analysis of paediatric registrars' reflective accounts to evaluate learning outcomes and participant experiences. The findings demonstrate that clinically authentic, locally developed simulation-based learning can enhance engagement, support multi-level reflective practice, and facilitate learning transfer to real clinical environments. The study provides a structured framework to inform the development of sustainable, context-appropriate simulation training within South African postgraduate paediatric programmes.

**Supervisor:** Prof MJ Labuschagne

**Co-supervisor:** Prof SC Brown

## DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH

### DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN PUBLIC HEALTH

**BUTLER**, Markes Wayne

Markes Wayne Butler was born in Krugersdorp, Gauteng, on 26 February 1969. He received his secondary education in Randfontein, Gauteng, where he failed, and later matriculated in 1988 at Dr Blok Secondary School, Heidedal, Bloemfontein. He obtained a National Diploma in Emergency Medical Care (2011), Baccalaureus Technologiae in Emergency Medical Care (2012), Magister in Health Professions Education (2014), Baccalaureus Technologiae in Public Management (2015), Postgraduate Diploma in Labour Law (2017) and an Advanced Diploma in Health Management (2022). He began his career as a fireman in Bloemfontein in 1990 and is currently the Director of the Free State Provincial Disaster Management Centre at the Department of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs.

With his thesis titled: **A FRAMEWORK FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH EDUCATION ON CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION AND RESILIENCE: A CASE STUDY OF XHARIEP DISTRICT, FREE STATE PROVINCE**, the candidate makes a substantive contribution to scholarship in public health, climate change adaptation and community resilience. The study develops a contextually grounded framework that strengthens the link between climate policy, health education, and lived realities in vulnerable rural communities. Anchored in the Health Belief Model, Resilience Theory, and Social Learning Theory, the research provides an integrated lens for understanding behavioural, social and structural drivers of adaptation. Using mixed-methods research design, the study identifies significant gaps in climate-health literacy and highlights the limitations of fragmented educational interventions. The findings demonstrate that a culturally embedded, community-driven health education framework offers strong potential to enhance adaptive capacity and support the development of climate-resilient public health systems in high-risk rural districts.

**Supervisor:** Prof BM Hlalele

**Co-supervisor:** Dr P Shangase



## **LEDIGA, Manoko Innocentia**

Manoko Lediga was raised in Mankweng Township (Turfloop) in the Limpopo Province, South Africa. She matriculated from MP Mamabolo Secondary School in 2011, later earning her BA in 2014 and BA Honours in 2015. She completed a Postgraduate Certificate in Education in 2019 and began working as a high school teacher. In 2022, she obtained her Master's in Transdisciplinary Health and Development Studies, followed by a Postgraduate Diploma in Public Health in 2023. She currently works in research and development at the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences at Stellenbosch University.

With her thesis titled: **A SUPPORT STRATEGY TO IMPROVE ACCESS TO MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR PERINATAL WOMEN IN THE LIMPOPO PROVINCE**, the candidate makes a distinguished contribution to scholarship and practice. Written in an article format, the study was conducted in four phases. Phase I comprised a scoping review to map existing evidence. Phases II and III involved exploratory qualitative research, engaging perinatal women and nurses (midwives) to capture lived experiences and contextual insights. Phase IV employed triangulation to integrate findings across methods, ensuring a comprehensive and responsive framework. This rigorous design strengthens health systems research, advances equity in maternal care and bridges the gap between policy and practice. The candidate's work enriches academic discourse while offering actionable strategies to improve access to mental health services for perinatal women, providing sustainable solutions for under-served rural communities in the Limpopo Province and beyond.

**Supervisor:** Dr MA Mulondo

**Co-supervisor:** Prof JM Tsoka-Gwegweni

## **MOKHUA, Matieho Belina**

Matieho Belina Mokhua was born in Thaba Nchu. She received her secondary education and matriculated at Albert Moroka High School in 2002. She obtained a Bachelor of Optometry in 2007 from the University of Limpopo and a Master of Optometry in 2018 from the University of the Free State. Her interest in low vision led her to complete this PhD in Public Eye Health. She began her career as an optometrist in 2007 and, since 2021, has served as Chief Optometrist at the Free State Department of Health and as a Lecturer at the University of the Free State.

With her thesis titled: **COMMUNICATION AND MOBILISATION FRAMEWORK USED FOR THE HARD-TO REACH VISUALLY IMPAIRED INDIVIDUALS IN THE FREE STATE**, the candidate develops a practical framework to improve communication and mobilisation strategies for hard-to-reach visually impaired individuals in the Free State. Using a mixed-methods design, the study surveyed 398 community health workers (CHWs), conducted in-depth interviews with CHWs, low-vision clinicians and visually impaired participants, and synthesised the findings into a validated implementation framework. Key findings reveal limited CHW training, inconsistent use of structured communication protocols, scarce resources, weak clinician–CHW communication pathways, and barriers to affordable assistive devices. The framework addresses these gaps by recommending structured communication tools, stakeholder mobilisation, resource allocation, and inclusive policy engagement to enhance access to eye care and strengthen patient–provider relationships. The research is evidence-based, contextually grounded, and geared towards informing policy and targeted implementation to improve health outcomes for visually impaired people.

**Supervisor:** Prof TA Rasengane

**Co-supervisors:** Prof JM Tsoka-Gwegweni, and Dr AO Ndep



## SCHOOL OF HEALTH AND REHABILITATION SCIENCES

### DOCTOR OF PHYSIOTHERAPY

**STANDER, Cherezane**

Cherezane Stander was born in Bloemfontein on 13 October 1989. She matriculated at Hoërskool Jim Fouché in Bloemfontein in 2007 and obtained the degree BSc Physiotherapy in 2011 (with distinction) and the degree MSc Physiotherapy in 2018, both from the University of the Free State. She started her career as a physiotherapist in Bloemfontein in 2012. In 2017, she was appointed as a junior lecturer in the Department of Physiotherapy at the University of the Free State, where she is currently a lecturer in the same department.

With her thesis titled: **POSTERIOR ANKLE PAIN IN SOUTH AFRICAN BALLET DANCERS**, the candidate contributes to the advancement of knowledge in sports physiotherapy by enhancing the current understanding of posterior ankle pain in dancers. The thesis highlights important gaps in the current understanding of Posterior Ankle Impingement Syndrome (PAIS) and related conditions in dancers, including a lack of standardised diagnostic criteria and limited research on potentially modifiable risk and associated factors. Furthermore, the thesis builds on recent research, expanding the knowledge of the epidemiology of posterior ankle pain in dancers, emphasising important considerations and directions for future research. Finally, the thesis advances our understanding of the implementation of injury prevention programmes (IPPs) in dancer populations by highlighting the importance of not only considering the content of IPPs but also carefully planning their delivery to different end-user groups.

**Supervisor:** Prof RY Barnes

**Co-supervisors:** Dr K Ferrar and Dr S Mayes

## SCHOOL OF PATHOLOGY

### DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY WITH SPECIALISATION IN MEDICAL VIROLOGY

**SOKHELA, Cebolenkosi Maxwell**

Cebolenkosi Maxwell Sokhela was born in Bergville on 4 August 1992. He received his secondary education in Vryheid, where he matriculated at Vryheid High School in 2010 with distinctions in Life Sciences and Life Orientation. He obtained the degree Bachelor of Science majoring in Microbiology in 2013 from the University of the Free State. During this time, he joined the Golden Key International Honour Society and the International Scholar Laureate Program. He subsequently continued his studies at the University of the Free State by obtaining a Bachelor of Medical Science Honours with specialisation in Medical Microbiology in 2014 and a Master of Medical Science in Medical Microbiology in 2016.

With his thesis titled: **CHARACTERIZATION OF YELLOW FEVER AND ZIKA VIRUS EDIII REGIONS AND ANALYSIS OF SEROLOGICAL CROSS-REACTIVITY**, the candidate makes a contribution to knowledge regarding immunological cross-reactivity of the co-circulating flaviviruses yellow fever and Zika. Using bioinformatics and



protein modelling, the candidate identified potential epitopes within the respective EDIII proteins and identified overlapping epitopic regions that could result in cross-reactive immune responses. The research further investigated cross-reactivity and cross-protection in vitro and by means of a systematic review. The research confirms cross-reactive antibody induction, which was shown to be cross-protective in some cases. The research confirms the potential of yellow fever virus and Zika virus EDIII proteins as vaccine candidates.

**Supervisor:** Prof D Goedhals

**Co-supervisor:** Prof FJ Burt

**MASTER'S DEGREES**

**DIVISION HEALTH SCIENCES  
EDUCATION**

**MASTER OF HEALTH  
PROFESSIONS EDUCATION  
(COURSE WORK)**

MAHARAJ, Niren Ray

**DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

**MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

**GUMENGE, Nosikhumbuzo**

**Dissertation Title:**  
PERCEPTIONS AND  
EXPERIENCES OF  
PSYCHOSOCIAL CARE  
PROVIDED TO ADULT PATIENTS  
WITH HYPERTENSION AT  
NELSON MANDELA BAY  
MUNICIPALITY

**Supervisor:** Dr NML Meko

**Co-Supervisor:** Dr MG Chipu

**LETSIE, Puleng Relebohile**

**Dissertation Title:** THE NEXUS  
BETWEEN INEQUALITIES,  
PUBLIC HEALTH AND  
DEVELOPMENT OUTCOMES IN  
LESOTHO

**Supervisor:** Prof DT Hagemeister

**MATSOAI, Moikabi Lucille**

**Dissertation Title:** DIGITAL AND  
SOCIAL MEDIA INTERVENTIONS  
FOR DEPRESSION AND  
SUICIDAL BEHAVIOUR AMONG  
ADOLESCENTS AND YOUNG  
ADULTS IN LOW AND MIDDLE-  
INCOME COUNTRIES (LMICs): A  
SCOPING REVIEW

**Supervisor:** Dr ZPC Shangase

**Co-Supervisor:** Prof I Shaw

**MTHETHWA, Mlungisi Siphwiwo**

**Dissertation Title:**  
PSYCHOSOCIAL STRATEGIES  
THAT SAFEGUARD THE MENTAL  
HEALTH OF UNEMPLOYED  
WORKING-AGE MEN IN AFRICA  
PRE & POST-COVID19: A  
SCOPING REVIEW

**Supervisor:** Dr MA Mulondo

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**Dissertation Title:** EVALUATION OF IN VITRO ANTICANCER ACTIVITIES OF CANNABIS SATIVA L. EXTRACTS ON DU145 PROSTATE CANCER CELLS

**Supervisor:** Prof MG Matsabisa

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**Dissertation Title:** AN IN VITRO MECHANISTIC STUDY OF CANNABIS SATIVA EXTRACTS TOWARDS MITIGATING ANTI-AGGREGATION EFFECTS OF AMYLOID BETA PROTEIN IN ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

**Supervisor:** Prof MG Matsabisa

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**Dissertation Title:** MUSAPELO (TRIFOLIUM BURCHELLIANUM SER) FOR ANTI-INFLAMMATORY RESEARCH - ITS POTENTIAL TOWARDS DEVELOPMENT FOR MANAGEMENT OF ACUTE AND CHRONIC PAIN

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Annah Kahari was born on 5 October 1979 in Harare, Zimbabwe. She matriculated from Mabelreign Girls High in 1998 and later graduated from Rhodes University with a Bachelor of Social Science in 2002 and an LLB degree in 2004. Her career began in 2004 as a Public Prosecutor at the Attorney General's Office in Zimbabwe. In 2009, she moved to South Africa, where she worked in the NGO sector leading national and regional teams to advance community access to healthcare rights. She graduated from the University of South Africa in 2020 with a Master's in Human Rights Law.

This study, titled **Protecting Women Migrant Workers' Rights in South Africa: The Need for a Gender-Responsive Framework**, examines the growing feminisation of migration and the distinct vulnerabilities faced by women migrant workers. Although migration offers economic opportunities, many women in South Africa continue to face exploitation, discrimination, precarious employment, and gender-based violence. The study argues that South Africa's gender-neutral migration and labour frameworks fail to address the intersectional risks these workers face, creating a gap between formal legal protection and lived experiences. Drawing on feminist legal theory, intersectionality, and migration theory, the research analyses international, regional and domestic instruments to assess their gender responsiveness. The Gender Legislative Index (GLI) is applied to evaluate South African legislation, revealing significant misalignment with international standards and limited consideration of gendered vulnerabilities. The findings highlight the urgent need for a transformative, gender-responsive legal framework that strengthens protection, enhances enforcement and ensures migrant women's access to justice.

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Justina Martin Danda was born on 28 February 1988 in the Mbeya Region of Tanzania. She obtained a Bachelor of Laws (with Honours) in 2011 from Ruaha Catholic University in Iringa, Tanzania. She later earned a Postgraduate Diploma in Legal Training at the Law School of Tanzania and was admitted as an Advocate of the High Court. She graduated with a Master of Laws (with distinction), specialising in Constitutional Law and Philosophy of Law, at the University of the Free State in 2023. She is currently an Assistant Lecturer at the University of Dodoma, Tanzania.

With her thesis titled: **GENDER-RELATED CULTURAL PRACTICES AND THE VIOLATION OF THE RIGHT TO EDUCATION OF THE GIRL CHILD IN TANZANIA**, the candidate makes a contribution towards the legal protection



of the right to education amidst harmful cultural practices. With this contribution, she attempts to examine the adequacy of Tanzania's legal and institutional framework to effectively safeguard girls' right to education against harmful cultural practices. Using doctrinal legal analysis complemented by an empirical approach, her study finds that Tanzania's current legal and institutional frameworks are inadequate to protect girls' right to education amid harmful cultural practices. The findings highlight the need for targeted interventions, drawing lessons from Kenya and South Africa, and advocate for constitutional reforms, amendments related to locus standi and public interest litigation, harmonisation and enactment of relevant laws, as well as reforms in institutional frameworks and strategies.

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Leani van Niekerk was born in Pretoria on 16 September 1983. She received her secondary education in Bloemfontein, where she matriculated at Jim Fouché High School in 2001. She obtained the degrees LLB, LLM and MA (HES), as well as a Postgraduate Diploma in Financial Planning Law and a short-course qualification in Mediation, from the University of the Free State. She is an admitted attorney of the High Court of the Free State. She commenced with her academic career at the University of the Free State in 2010 and was appointed in the Faculty of Law, where she currently serves as a lecturer. Her research focuses on advancing the social justice imperatives of access, redress and equity in legal education, with particular emphasis on the extended LLB programme. She has published extensively and presented her work at national and international conferences.

With her thesis titled: **AN EXPLORATORY CASE-STUDY OF THE APPLICATION OF SOCIAL JUSTICE CONCEPTS OF ACCESS, REDRESS AND EQUITY IN EXTENDED BACHELOR OF LAW (LLB) PROGRAMMES AT HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS IN SOUTH AFRICA**, the candidate contributes to the scholarship on social justice in legal education and the transformation of higher education in South Africa. With this contribution, she attempts to critically examine how extended LLB curriculum programmes operationalise the constitutional imperatives of access, redress and equity to promote both meaningful entry and academic success for students from disadvantaged backgrounds. The results of this investigation indicate the value of this type of curricular intervention for addressing structural inequality and advancing substantive equality within South African legal education.

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**Supervisor:** Prof E Snyman-Van Deventer

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	De la H de Villiers – DScAgric (h.c.)		S Nigam – DSc (h.c.)
	GJ Stander – DSc (h.c.)		WL Nkuhlu – DCom (h.c.)
<b>1976</b>	AJA Roux – DSc (h.c.)		MA Rampele – DPhil (h.c.)
<b>1978</b>	SP Botha – DSc (h.c.)		HJO van Heerden – LLD (h.c.)
	EM van Zinderen Bakker – DSc (h.c.)		FJ van der Merwe – PhD (h.c.)
	HB Thom – DEd (h.c.)	<b>2000</b>	MH Daling – DCom (h.c.)
<b>1979</b>	FCL Bosman – DPhil (h.c.)		TN Liversedge – PhD (h.c.)
	G Cronjé – DSocSc (h.c.)		I Mahomed – LLD (h.c.)
	CJF Human – DCom (h.c.)	<b>2001</b>	BP Gilbertson – DCom (h.c.)
<b>1980</b>	G Boonzaier – DPhil (h.c.)		NR Mandela – LLD (h.c.)
<b>1981</b>	PW Botha – DPhil (h.c.)		EC Taglauer – DSc (h.c.)
	B Human – DCom (h.c.)	<b>2002</b>	BH Meyer – PhD (h.c.)
	SG Shuttleworth – DSc (h.c.)		BAK Rider – LLD (h.c.)
<b>1982</b>	BLS Franklin – DPhil (h.c.)		CF Slabber – PhD (h.c.)
	GvN Viljoen – DEd (h.c.)		JM Stetar – DEd (h.c.)
<b>1983</b>	L Luyt – DCom (h.c.)	<b>2003</b>	EWA de Corte – DEd (h.c.)
	SF Zaïman – DPhil (h.c.)		HA Serebro – DPhil (h.c.)
<b>1984</b>	HS Steyn – DSc (h.c.)		AG Sykes – DSc (h.c.)
	FR Tomlinson – DScAgric (h.c.)	<b>2004</b>	S Badat – DPhil (h.c.)
	JH vd Berg – DMed (h.c.)		R Bringle – DPhil (h.c.)
<b>1985</b>	L Alberts – DSc (h.c.)		J de Wet – DMus (h.c.)
	GG Cillié – DPhil (h.c.)		CF Fauconnier – DSc (h.c.)
	SPD le Roux – DLitt (h.c.)		GJ Gerwel – DPhil (h.c.)
	A Polson – DPhilMed (h.c.)		WD Jonker – DTh (h.c.)

	A Krog – DLitt (h.c.)		
	K Mokhele – DPhil (h.c.)		
	CJC Nel (Posthumous) – PhD (h.c.)		
	L Quayle – DMus (h.c.)		
	T (Karel) Schoeman – DLitt (h.c.)		
	YK Seedat – DMed (h.c.)		
	MK Seely – DSc (h.c.)		
	C Seerveld – DPhil (h.c.)		
	F van Z Slabbert – DPhil (h.c.)		
	JC Steyn – DLitt (h.c.)		
	PA Verhoef – DTh (h.c.)		
	L van den Heever – LLD (h.c.)		
	HA Wessels – LLD (h.c.)		
<b>2005</b>	A du P Heyns – DMed (h.c.)		
	JJF Durand – DPhil (h.c.)		
	JA Groenewald – DSc (h.c.)		
	WH Neuser – DTh (h.c.)		
	M Ramos – PhD (h.c.)		
	SJ Terreblanche – DCom (h.c.)		
<b>2006</b>	T Moss – PhD (h.c.)		
	PV Cox – PhD (h.c.)		
<b>2007</b>	BJ (Bannie) Britz – DArch (h.c.)		
	KPD Maphalla – PhD (h.c.)		
<b>2008</b>	D Ferreira – DSc (h.c.)		
<b>2009</b>	JC Loock – PhD (h.c.)		
	LTC Harms – LLD (h.c.)		
<b>2010</b>	P Gordhan – PhD (h.c.)		
	BBS Ngubane – PhD (h.c.)		
	AH Strydom – PhD (h.c.)		
	M Jones – PhD (h.c.)		
<b>2011</b>	D Tutu – DTh (h.c.)		
	P Fourie – DLitt (h.c.)		
	OG Winfrey – DEd (h.c.)		
	RWM Frater – PhD (h.c.)		
	A Sawyer – DEd (h.c.)		
<b>2012</b>	RJ Goldstone – LLD (h.c.)		
	ER v Heerden – DLitt (h.c.)		
	M Nussbaum – DLitt (h.c.)		
	OW Prozesky – MD (h.c.)		
	FDJ Brand – LLD (h.c.)		
		<b>2013</b>	ZKG Mda – DLitt (h.c.)
		<b>2014</b>	ML Blum – PhD (h.c.)
			L Mulvey – DLitt (h.c.)
		<b>2015</b>	L Brahimi – DPhil (h.c.)
			JM Samuel – DEd (h.c.)
			MA Oduyoye – DTh (h.c.)
			JD Sachs – DEcon (h.c.)
		<b>2016</b>	RJ Khoza – DEcon (h.c.)
			TA Manuel – DEcon (h.c.)
			M du Preez – PhD (h.c.)
			J Samoff – DPhil (h.c.)
			F Haffajee – PhD (h.c.)
		<b>2017</b>	PH Holloway – DSc (h.c.)
			M Botha – LLD (h.c.)
		<b>2019</b>	BL Fanaroff – DSc (h.c.)
			J Mofokeng wa Makhetha – DLitt (h.c.)
			MB Molemela – LLD (h.c.)
		<b>2021</b>	ZM Yacoob – LLD (h.c.)
			SM Pityana – DPhil (h.c.)
			RJ van Niekerk – DLitt (h.c.)
		<b>2022</b>	WK Byanyima – PhD (h.c.)
			DM Davis – LLD (h.c.)
			DE Moseneke – LLD (h.c.)
			AL Sachs – LLD (h.c.)
			MJ Wingfield – DSc (h.c.)
		<b>2023</b>	M Musk – DDiet (h.c.)
			A Ekwamu – DSc (h.c.)
			D Pepler – DSc (h.c.)
			PCJ Vale – PhD (h.c.)
		<b>2024</b>	Salim Abdool Karim – PhD (h.c.)
			Thabo Cecil Makgoba – PhD (h.c.)
			Murray Leibbrandt – PhD (h.c.)
			Bineta Diop – PhD (h.c.)
		<b>2025</b>	RMM Zondo – LLD (h.c.)
			T Falola – LLD (h.c.)
			J Siwani – PhD (h.c.)
		<b>2026</b>	I G Gouws – DLitt (h.c.)
			Z Wanner – DLitt (h.c.)
			R Moletsane – DEd (h.c.)
			M S Sisulu – DEd (h.c.)

## Shields of Honour, Council and Chancellor's Medals

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	RE Schoombie (Shield of Honour)	<b>2009</b>	Prof JU Grobbelaar (Council Medal)
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	RE Schoombie (Chancellor's Medal)	<b>2014</b>	Dr H Verster (Chancellor's Medal)
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	Prof David Justice (Shield of Honour)		Ms EM Oosthuizen (Council Medal)
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	Prof MJ Viljoen (Chancellor's Medal)		Mr N Janse van Rensburg (Council Medal)
<b>2001</b>	Prof PC Potgieter (Chancellor's Medal)	<b>2023</b>	Prof MG Lötter (Chancellor's Medal)
<b>2002</b>	T Moss (Shield of Honour)		Prof SC Brown (Council Medal)
	Prof CD Roode (Chancellor's Medal)	<b>2026</b>	Prof A van der Westhuizen (Council Medal)
<b>2003</b>	Prof HC Janse van Rensburg (Council Medal)		
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Maluphakanyisw' uphondo lwayo,  
Yizwa imithandazo yethu,  
Nkosi sikelela, thina lusapho lwayo.  
Morena boloka setjhaba sa heso,  
O fedise dintwa le matshwenyeho,  
O se boloke, O se boloke setjhaba sa heso,  
Setjhaba sa South Afrika -  
South Afrika.

Uit die blou van onse hemel,  
Uit die diepte van ons see,  
Oor ons ewige gebergtes,  
Waar die kranse antwoord gee,  
Sounds the call to come together,  
And united we shall stand,  
Let us live and strive for freedom,  
In South Africa our land.



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