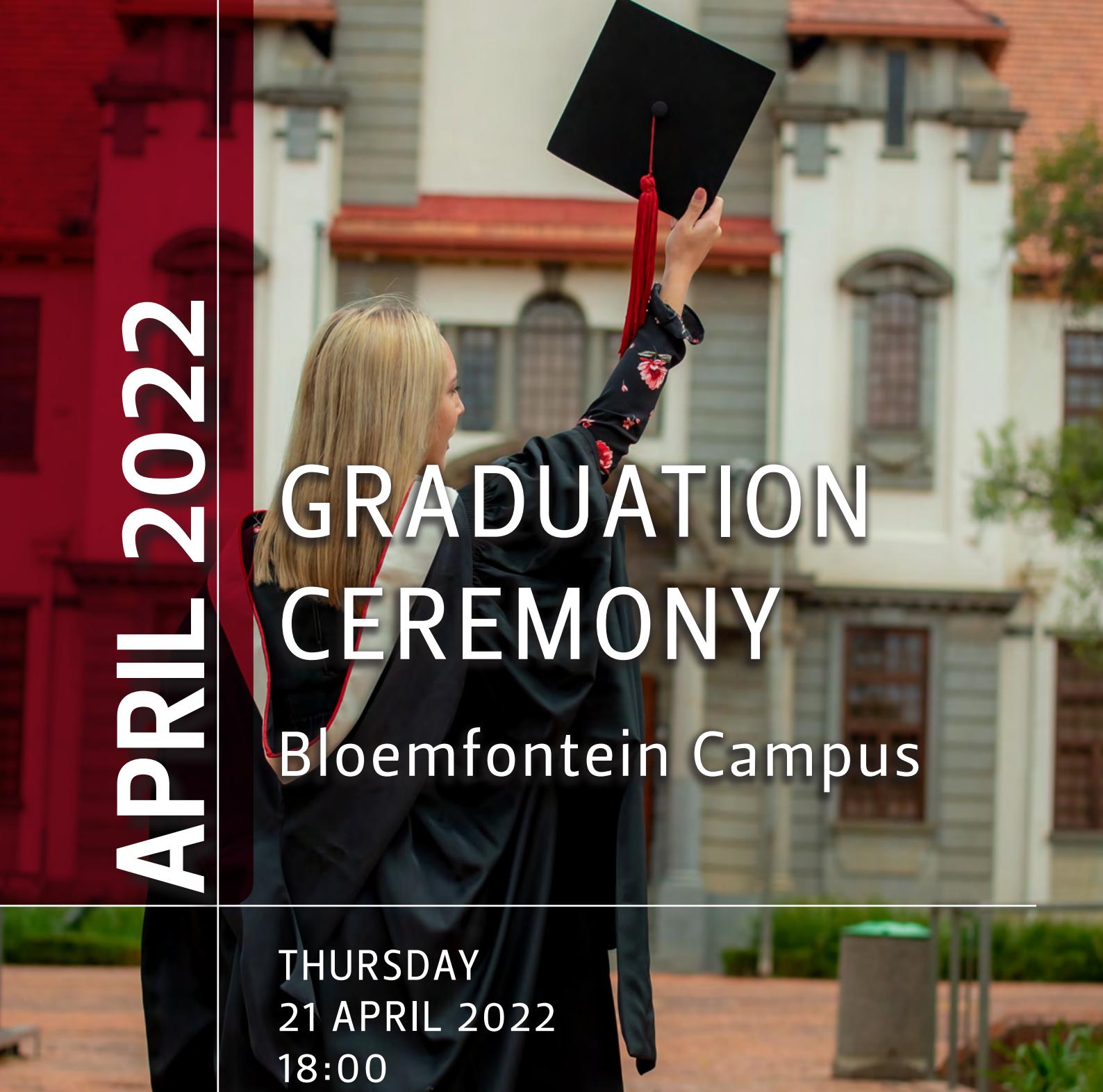


**APRIL 2022**



# GRADUATION CEREMONY

## Bloemfontein Campus

THURSDAY  
21 APRIL 2022  
18:00

Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences

Higher Certificates, Bachelor's Degrees, Postgraduate Diplomas,  
Master's Degrees, and Doctor of Philosophy



UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE  
UNIVERSITEIT VAN DIE VRYSTAAT  
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# PROGRAMME

21 APRIL 2022 | 18:00  
BLOEMFONTEIN CAMPUS

**CONSTITUTION OF THE CONGREGATION**

**OFFICIAL WELCOME**

**MUSICAL ITEM**

**PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES**

**CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE**

**NATIONAL ANTHEM OF SOUTH AFRICA**

**DISSOLUTION OF THE CONGREGATION**

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*Due to the nature of the graduation ceremony and the number of students who will be graduating, it will not be practically possible to uphold social distancing in the venue. To ensure the protection of all individuals present on campus, the university has implemented the COVID-19 Regulations and Required Vaccination Policy, which regulates the access of staff, students, and visitors to the campuses.*

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# Nkosi sikelel' iAfrika

## NATIONAL ANTHEM OF SOUTH AFRICA

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.

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 unable to attend may watch the full graduation ceremonies through our livestream link at <http://livestream.ufs.ac.za>.

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



## ABOUT THE UFS

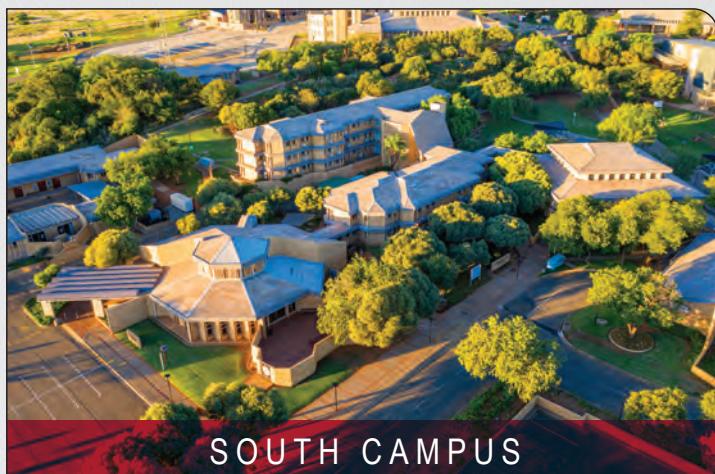
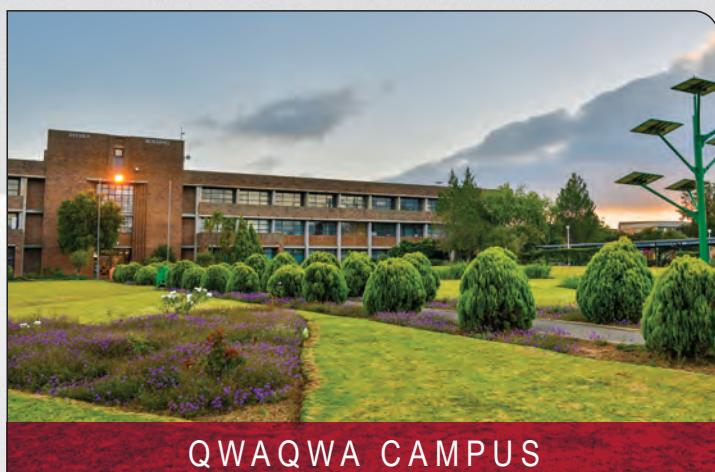
The University of the Free State (UFS) has a proud history as one of the oldest, most respected institutions of higher education in South Africa. It opened its doors in Bloemfontein in **1904** as the Grey University College, with six students in the Humanities. Today it is a **multi-campus institution**, with two diverse campuses in Bloemfontein and one in Qwaqwa in the scenic Eastern Free State, accommodating more than 40 000 students in its **seven faculties** (Economic and Management Sciences, Education, Health Sciences, the Humanities, Law, Natural and Agricultural Sciences, Theology and Religion), with an increasing number of international students and associates, and an ever-widening scope of active involvement in and contribution to its surrounding communities.

For the past **118 years**, the UFS has been delivering quality graduates who have made their mark in various sectors. What sets the institution apart is its holistic student support initiatives, enabling it to achieve some of the highest success rates in the country. Delivering students who are in high demand in the global job market, remains a top priority. An established network of industry partners and close collaboration with the public and private sectors, as well as a continuous process of transformation and curriculum renewal, dovetail to produce highly employable graduates.

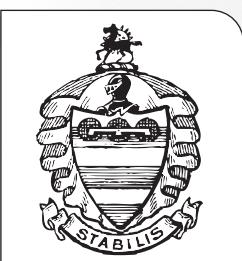
UFS research efforts are driven by dedicated scholars, some of whom are **international leaders** in their fields, with industry and social impact and real-world application.

Through the principle of **engaged scholarship**, the UFS responds to societal needs, using its **scholarly and professional expertise** with an intentional public purpose and benefit.

The UFS is an institution that goes all out to provide its students and staff with an outstanding **university experience**. Anchored in a value bedrock of **social justice, respect, and caring**, the institution has managed to remain steadfastly relevant in a challenging and ever-changing national higher education landscape.

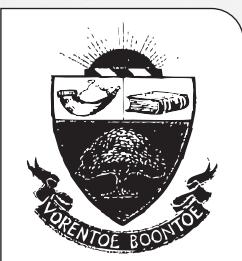


# DEVELOPMENT OF THE UFS CREST OVER MORE THAN A CENTURY



1904

Up to 1935, the same coat of arms was used as the Grey College School.



1935

By 1935, with the name change to University College of the Orange Free State, the coat of arms fell into disuse, especially among students.



1947

In 1947, an agreement between management and students led to the new motto *Per Fidem ad Sapientiam* (Through faith to wisdom).



1950

In 1952, it was changed to *In Deo Sapientiae Lux* (In God is the light of wisdom). The traditional orange, white and blue, linking the UFS to the South African national colours, changed in the late 1990s.

The orange was replaced by cherry red.



2011

The academic brand - the historic University of the Free State crest that has been the symbol of the university since 1952, has evolved to embrace the aesthetic expectations of the stakeholders.

The shape of the traditional academic shield has been simplified and contemporised. Much of the symbolism of the crest remains intact, acknowledging the location of the UFS brand as one of the country's premier institutions of higher education, with a proud history of academic excellence and an ever evolving, vibrant culture.



# GRADUATION CEREMONY 2022

## Honorary Awards | Honorary Doctorates

1950	GLP Moerdyk – DLitt (h.c.)		FP Retief – DMed (h.c.)	T (Karel) Schoeman – DLitt (h.c.)
1951	NC Havenga – LLD (h.c.)		JA Stegmann – DCom (h.c.)	YK Seedad – DMed (h.c.)
1952	Thos Blok – DEd (h.c.)	1987	WA Joubert – LLD (h.c.)	MK Seely – DSc (h.c.)
	SHS Rubidge – DSc (h.c.)		B Kok – DPhil (h.c.)	C Seerveld – DPhil (h.c.)
1955	CR Swart – LLD (h.c.)		WP Venter – DCom (h.c.)	F van Z Slabbert – DPhil (h.c.)
	CA v Niekerk – LLD (h.c.)	1988	JJN Cloete – DAdmin (h.c.)	JC Steyn – DLitt (h.c.)
1958	CPB Brink – LLD (h.c.)		FC Fensham – DLitt (h.c.)	PA Verhoef – DTh (h.c.)
	CF Visser – DEd (h.c.)		JW vd Riet – DPhil (h.c.)	L van den Heever – LLD (h.c.)
1959	DB Bosman – DLitt (h.c.)	1989	BJ Meyer – DSc (h.c.)	HA Wessels – LLD (h.c.)
	SP le Roux – DScAgric (h.c.)		N van Uden – PhD (h.c.)	A du P Heyns – DMed (h.c.)
	DF Malherbe – DLitt (h.c.)	1990	MG Corbett – LLD (h.c.)	JJF Durand – DPhil (h.c.)
	GH v Rooyen – MA (h.c.)		JS Rabie – DLitt (h.c.)	JA Groenewald – DSc (h.c.)
1960	SPE Boshoff – DLitt (h.c.)	1991	SS Brand – DCom (h.c.)	WH Neuser – DTh (h.c.)
1961	T Boydell – DPhil (h.c.)		JWL de Villiers – DSc (h.c.)	M Ramos – PhD (h.c.)
1962	ES Botes – DEd (h.c.)		GT Fagan – DArch (h.c.)	SJ Terreblanche – DCom (h.c.)
	PE Rousseau – DSc (h.c.)		JH Hofmeyer – PhD (h.c.)	T Moss – PhD (h.c.)
1963	EH Louw – LLD (h.c.)		E v Heerden – DLitt (h.c.)	PV Cox – PhD (h.c.)
	EN Roberts – DSc (h.c.)	1992	JP Louw – DLitt (h.c.)	BJ (Bannie) Britz – DArch (h.c.)
	JGF (Kaalkop) vd Merwe – DCom (h.c.)		H Olivier – DSc (h.c.)	KPD Maphallia – PhD (h.c.)
1966	HF Verwoerd – DLitt et Phil (h.c.)	1993	JD Anderson – DMed (h.c.)	D Ferreira – DSc (h.c.)
	PSZ Coetzee – DPhilTh (h.c.)		RR Arndt – DSc (h.c.)	JC Loock – PhD (h.c.)
	PJ du Toit – DSc (h.c.)		SJ Naudé – LLD (h.c.)	LTC Harms – LLD (h.c.)
	MS Louw – DCom (h.c.)	1994	JJ Human – DPhil (h.c.)	P Gordhan – PhD (h.c.)
1967	SM Naudé – DSc (h.c.)		JA Myburgh – DMed (h.c.)	BBS Ngubane – PhD (h.c.)
	LC Steyn – LLD (h.c.)		JP vd Walt – DSc (h.c.)	AH Strydom – PhD (h.c.)
	BJ Vorster – LLD (h.c.)	1995	WA Landman – DEd (h.c.)	M Jones – PhD (h.c.)
1968	SJ Naudé – DCom (h.c.)		WL Mouton – DPhil (h.c.)	D Tutu – DTh (h.c.)
1969	CW (Nellie) Swart – DPhil (h.c.)	1996	WDO Marasas – DSc (h.c.)	P Fourie – DLitt (h.c.)
	AJJ Wessels – DCom (h.c.)		NE Wiehahn – LLD (h.c.)	OG Winfrey – DEd (h.c.)
1970	GS Nienaber – DLitt (h.c.)	1997	AP Brink – DLitt (h.c.)	RWM Frater – PhD (h.c.)
	HO Mönnig – DSc (h.c.)		B Hurwitz – DPhil (h.c.)	A Sawyer – DEd (h.c.)
1971	N Diederichs – DCom (h.c.)	1998	FC Müller – DMed (h.c.)	RJ Goldstone – LLD (h.c.)
	RS Verster – DPhil (h.c.)	1999	FM Claerhout – DPhil (h.c.)	ER v Heerden – DLitt (h.c.)
1972	LW Hiemstra – DPhil (h.c.)		JFF Hefer – LLD (h.c.)	M Nussbaum – DLitt (h.c.)
	PJ Meyer – DPhil (h.c.)		S Nigam – DSc (h.c.)	OW Prozesky – MD (h.c.)
1975	PJ Nienaber – DLitt (h.c.)		WL Nkuhlu – DCom (h.c.)	FDJ Brand – LLD (h.c.)
	De la H de Villiers – DScAgric (h.c.)		MA Ramphele – DPhil (h.c.)	ZKG Mda – DLitt (h.c.)
	GJ Stander – DSc (h.c.)	2001	HJO van Heerden – LLD (h.c.)	ML Blum – PhD (h.c.)
1976	AJA Roux – DSc (h.c.)		FJ van der Merwe – PhD (h.c.)	L Mulvey – DLitt (h.c.)
1978	SP Botha – DSc (h.c.)	2000	MH Daling – DCom (h.c.)	L Brahimji – DPhil (h.c.)
	EM van Zinderen Bakker – DSc (h.c.)		TN Liversedge – PhD (h.c.)	JM Samuel – DEd (h.c.)
	HB Thom – DEd (h.c.)		I Mahomed – LLD (h.c.)	MA Oduyoye – DTh (h.c.)
1979	FCL Bosman – DPhil (h.c.)		BP Gilbertson – DCom (h.c.)	JD Sacks – DEcon (h.c.)
	G Cronje – DSocSc (h.c.)		NR Mandela – LLD (h.c.)	RJ Khoza – DEcon (h.c.)
	CJF Human – DCom (h.c.)	2002	EC Taglaeu – DSc (h.c.)	TA Manuel – DEcon (h.c.)
1980	G Boonzaier – DPhil (h.c.)		BH Meyer – PhD (h.c.)	M du Preez – PhD (h.c.)
1981	PW Botha – DPhil (h.c.)		BAK Rider – LLD (h.c.)	J Samoff – DPhil (h.c.)
	B Human – DCom (h.c.)		CF Slabber – PhD (h.c.)	F Haffajee – PhD (h.c.)
	SG Shuttleworth – DSc (h.c.)	2003	JM Stetar – DEd (h.c.)	PH Holloway – DSc (h.c.)
1982	BLS Franklin – DPhil (h.c.)		EWA de Corte – DEd (h.c.)	M Botha – LLD (h.c.)
	GvN Viljoen – DEd (h.c.)		HA Serebro – DPhil (h.c.)	BL Fanaroff – DSc (h.c.)
1983	L Luyt – DCom (h.c.)		AG Sykes – DSc (h.c.)	J Mofokeng wa Makhetha – DLitt (h.c.)
	SF Zaaiman – DPhil (h.c.)	2004	S Badat – DPhil (h.c.)	MB Molemela – LLD (h.c.)
1984	HS Steyn – DSc (h.c.)		R Bringle – DPhil (h.c.)	ZM Yacoob – LLD (h.c.)
	FR Tomlinson – DScAgric (h.c.)		J de Wet – DMus (h.c.)	SM Pitanya – DPhil (h.c.)
	JH vd Berg – DMed (h.c.)		CF Fauconnier – DSc (h.c.)	RJ van Niekerk – DLitt (h.c.)
1985	L Alberts – DSc (h.c.)		GJ Gerwel – DPhil (h.c.)	WK Byanyima – PhD (h.c.)
	GG Cillie – DPhil (h.c.)		WD Jonker – DTh (h.c.)	DM Davis – LLD (h.c.)
	SPD le Roux – DLitt (h.c.)		A Krog – DLitt (h.c.)	DE Mosenike – LLD (h.c.)
	A Polson – DPhilMed (h.c.)		K Mokhele – DPhil (h.c.)	AL Sachs – LLD (h.c.)
	J du P Scholtz – DPhil (h.c.)		CJC Nel (Postuum) – PhD (h.c.)	MJ Wingfield – DSc (h.c.)
1986	S Grové – DMus (h.c.)		L Quayle – DMus (h.c.)	

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

1994	Prof FO Müller (Shield of Honour)	2003	Prof HC Janse van Rensburg (Council Medal)
	RE Schoombie (Shield of Honour)	2008	Prof SA Petersen (Shield of Honour)
1995	Prof FO Müller (Chancellor's Medal)		Ludo Heisen (Shield of Honour)
	RE Schoombie (Chancellor's Medal)	2009	Prof JU Grobelaar (Council Medal)
1996	Prof S Mittman (Shield of Honour)	2010	Mrs AM Dippenaar (Chancellor's Medal)
1997	Prof M Jansens (Shield of Honour)	2014	Dr H Verster (Chancellor's Medal)
1998	Prof CJC Nel (Chancellor's Medal)	2014	Mr JL Pretorius (Chancellor's Medal)
	Prof C Swanepoel (Chancellor's Medal)	2016	Mr AD Osler (Chancellor's Medal)
1999	WJ (Hansie) Cronje (Shield of Honour)		Ms M van der Merwe (Chancellor's Medal)
	Prof David Justice (Shield of Honour)	2017	Ms JS Isaacs (Chancellor's Medal)
2000	Prof P Rosseel (Shield of Honour)	2019	Mr JF de Villiers (Chancellor's Medal)
	Prof MJ Viljoen (Chancellor's Medal)		Ms EM Oosthuizen (Council Medal)
2001	Prof PC Potgieter (Chancellor's Medal)	2022	Dr N Pearce (Chancellor's Medal)
2002	T Moss (Shield of Honour)		Mr N Janse van Rensburg (Council Medal)
	Prof CD Roode (Chancellor's Medal)		

# MESSAGE FROM THE RECTOR AND VICE-CHANCELLOR

Dear Student

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

We are especially pleased that your graduation ceremony can take place in person and in the presence of the university congregation.

Today is a memorable day and a culmination of the time you spent here at the UFS. You are not only becoming an alumnus of this great 118-year-old institution, but you are now also part of a fraternity of exceptional individuals who have graduated before you.

Congratulations to our graduands – this is a special day indeed and it is certainly heart-warming to see so many of you being conferred these well-deserved qualifications today. You should be proud of your achievements – take a moment to celebrate and acknowledge YOU.

At the same time, you would not have reached this milestone without the support of many people around you – let us also acknowledge and express gratitude to your support structures – the parents, family, friends, guardians, and lecturers who made it possible for you to be here today.

As you venture into the world, you will find yourself contemplating what your role in the world is and what kind of a world you want to live in. Sometimes the road ahead can be challenging and complex – however, remember that the skills of hard work, resilience, determination, and focus will help you forge ahead. After all, these are the skills that have helped you to achieve your UFS qualification.

Also be mindful that collective and individual responsibility is important to our success – this became very clear during the pandemic. Reach out to others, lend a helping hand wherever you can, support each other, involve yourselves in your communities, and most of all, be kind and humane. Be mindful of these in everything that you do.

Graduands, I am proud of your resilience. You are truly inspiring, and I am confident that you are well prepared to embrace the future and flourish in anything you set your mind to.

Be brave, be bold, and make a difference in this world.

Best wishes

**PROF FW PETERSEN**

RECTOR AND VICE-CHANCELLOR | UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE

Beste Student

Welcome by die Universiteit van die Vrystaat se gradeplegtigheid.

Ons is veral bly dat jou gradeplegtigheid in persoon en in die teenwoordigheid van die universiteitsgemeenskap kan plaasvind.

Vandag is 'n onvergeetlike dag en 'n hoogtepunt van die tyd wat jy hier aan die UV deurgebring het. Jy word nie net 'n alumnus van hierdie wonderlike 118-jaroue instelling nie, maar jy is nou ook deel van 'n broederskap van uitsonderlike individue wat voor jou gegradeer het.

Baie geluk aan ons graduandi – vandag is voorwaar 'n spesiale dag en dit is inderdaad hartverblydend om te sien dat hierdie welverdiende kwalifikasies aan so baie van julle toegeken word. Jy moet trots wees op jou prestasies – neem 'n oomblik om JOU te vier en erkenning te gee.

Terselfdertyd sou julle nie hierdie mylpaal bereik het sonder die ondersteuning van baie mense rondom julle nie – laat ons ook erkenning gee en ons dank uitspreek teenoor julle ondersteuningstrukture – die ouers, gesinne, vriende, voogde en dosente wat dit vir julle moontlik gemaak het om vandag hier te wees.

Waar julle die wêreld aandurf, sal julle vind dat julle dalk wonder oor wat julle rol in die wêreld is en die soort wêreld waarin julle wil leef. Die pad vorentoe kan soms uitdagend en kompleks wees – onthou egter dat die vaardighede van harde werk, veerkrachtigheid, vasberadenheid en fokus julle sal help om vooruit te gaan. Dit is immers die vaardighede wat julle gehelp het om julle UV-kwalifikasies te behaal.

Dink ook daaraan dat gemeenskaplike en individuele verantwoordelikheid belangrik is vir ons sukses – dit het baie duidelik geword tydens die pandemie.



Reik uit na ander mense, sit 'n handjie by waar julle ook al kan, ondersteun mekaar, raak betrokke by julle gemeenskappe, en bowenal, wees welwillend en menslik. Hou dit in gedagte in alles wat julle doen.

Graduandi, ek is trots op julle veerkrachtigheid. Julle is waarlik inspirerend, en ek is vol vertroue dat julle goed voorbereid is om die toekoms aan te gryp en te floreer in eniglets wat julle aanpak.

Wees dapper, wees sterk en maak 'n verskil in hierdie wêreld.

Beste wense

**PROF FW PETERSEN**

REKTOR EN VISEKANSELIER | UNIVERSITEIT VAN DIE VRYSTAAT

## Moithuti ya Ratehang

**R**e a le amohela moketeng wa kabo ya dikgau wa University of the Free State (UFS).

Re thaba ka ho kgethehileng hore mokete wa lona wa kabo ya dikgau o tla etswa le le teng moo ka seqo pela mokgopi wa yunivesithi.

Lena ke letsatsi leo le tla le hopola kamehla mme ke seholoholo sa nako eo o e qetileng mona UFS. Ha se feelsa hore le fetoha alumnus setheong sena se seholo sa thuto se nang le dilemo tse 118, empa jwale le boela le fetola karolo mokgatlo wa batho ba hlaletseng ka mahetla ba ile ba fumanthwa dikgau tsa yunivesithi pele ho wena.

Ditebophiso ho baithuti ba rona ba di-graduate – lena ke letsatsi le kgethehileng ka nnete mme dipelo tsa rona di thabile haholo ho bona ba bangata ba lona le fuwa mangolo a lona a tshwaneleho ao le tshwanelehang ho a fumantha kajeno. O tlameha ho ikotla sefuba ka sena seo o se fihleletseng – iphe nako ya ho nahana ka mokete ona le ho IKAMOHELA.

Ka nako e tshwanang, le ne le ke ka kgona ho fihlella mohato ona wa bohlokwa ntle le tshehetso ya batho ba bangata ba le potapotileng – le leboga diteo tse ileng tsa le tshehetso – batswadi, lelapa, metswalle, bahlokomedi, le dilektjhara ba ileng ba le thusa ho fihla mohatong ona kajeno.

Jwalo ka ha le tswela kantle lefatsheng, le tla iphumana le nahana ka hore seabo sa lona e tla ba sefe lefatsheng le hore na le lakatsa ho phela lefatsheng la mofuta ofe. Ka dinako tse ding tsela e larileng kapele e ka ba le diphephetso le ho rarahaha – le ha ho le jwalo, hopolang hore tsebo le bokgoni ba ho ikakgela ka setotswana mosebetsing, mameollo tlasa maima, boikemisetso, le ho tsepamisa dikelello ho tla le thusa ho hatela pele. Ho phaela mona, ena ke tsebo le bokgoni bo le thusitseng ho fihlella mangolo a lona a tshwaneleho mona UFS.

Le boele le hopole hore boikarabelo bo kopanetsweng le boikarabelo ba motho ka bomong ke ba bohlokwa bakeng sa katleho ya rona – sena se ile sa bonahala ka ho hlakileng nakong ya lefu la sewa. Ottololla batho ba bang letsoho la hao, ba thuso kae kapa kae ha o kgona, tshehetsanang, e bang le seabo mesebetsing ya thuso ya setjhaha metseng ya lona, mme ka hodimo ho tsena kaofela, e bang batho ba mosa le ba nang le botho. Hopolang dintho tsena nthong efe kapa efe eo le e etsang.

Ke hlile ke motlotlo ka mamello ya lona, di-graduate. Ka sebele le fana a kgothatso, mme ke kgodisehile hore le malala-a-laotswe ho amohela bokamoso le ho atleha nthong efe kapa efe eo o tsepamisang mehopolo ya lona ho yona.

E bang sebete, mme le etse phapang lefatsheng lena.

Ditakaletso tse ntle

**MOPROFESARA FW PETERSEN**

MOREKTORO LE MOTLATSA MOKANSELIRI | YUNIVESITHI YA FREISTATA

## **VISION**

The University of the Free State is a research-led, student-centred and regionally engaged university that contributes to development and social justice through the production of globally competitive graduates and knowledge.

## **MOTTO**

**IN VERITATE SAPIENTIAE LUX**

(In Truth is the Light of Wisdom)

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**CAMPUS PRINCIPAL:  
QWAQWA CAMPUS**  
Dr M Mandew  
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**PRESIDENT OF  
CONVOCATION**  
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Mr S Dube

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ECONOMIC AND  
MANAGEMENT SCIENCES**

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PhD in Economics (UFS)



**DEAN:  
EDUCATION**

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PhD (MSU)



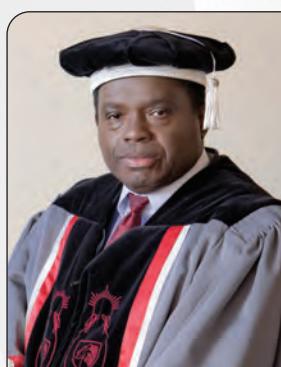
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THE HUMANITIES**

Prof H Hudson  
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LAW**

Prof JC Mubangizi  
LLD (UDW)



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#### **SEPTEMBER, Motlatsi Thomas**

Motlatsi Thomas September grew up on a farm next to Rouxville in the Free State and moved to Botshabelo when he was 17. He matriculated from the Popano High School in Botshabelo in 1998. He started his banking career on 1 April 2006 and completed his MBA in 2011. Thomas is currently the Regional Head for Relationship Banking in ABSA for the Free State and Northern Cape provinces. He is married to Yvonne September and the couple has one daughter, Hlonolofatso September.

With his thesis, titled: **A CONSUMER CREDIT EDUCATION FRAMEWORK TO MANAGE CREDIT RISK IN THE UNSECURED LENDING MARKET OF A SOUTH AFRICAN COMMERCIAL BANK**, the candidate makes a valuable contribution to the understanding of the serious debt problem of South Africans and to recommend a solution for addressing a desperate situation contributing to the socio-economic challenges in the country. The financial industry of South Africa is instrumental in providing consumer education relating to financial education and literacy to manage credit risk in the unsecured lending market of South Africa. It is imperative to deliver financial education to diminish all the negative consequence of the debt problem experienced in South Africa. This study recommends a practical financial education framework to be used by the financial sector to ensure that financial education becomes part of the solution in overcoming the scourge of over-indebtedness in the unsecured lending market in South Africa.

**Promoter:** Prof Helena Van Zyl



## DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY WITH SPECIALISATION IN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

**ZINATSA, Farirai**

Farirai Zinatsa nee Mukonoweshuro was born in Bulawayo, Zimbabwe on 25 August 1977. She completed her A levels in 1995 at Arundel School in Harare. She began her career in 1997, fulfilling various roles in the corporate sector before furthering her studies at the University of Zimbabwe where she graduated with a BSc (Hons) in Psychology in 2010. She subsequently attained an MA in Development from the University of the Free State in 2017. She is the co-founder of Africa Advance Network for Development, a migrant welfare organisation where she presently serves as a member of the leadership team.

With her thesis, titled: **SELF-INITIATED STRATEGIES FOR LABOUR MARKET INTEGRATION AMONG TIED MIGRANTS IN SOUTH AFRICA**, the candidate contributes to scholarship on skilled migration and labour market integration as it pertains to tied migrants. This is an understudied field in the Global South context and therefore the study addresses a significant research gap. The study shows that tied migrants in South Africa face multiple disadvantages arising within a complex macroenvironment marked by factors such as gender inequality, ethnicised deskilling and poor returns to institutional cultural capital. Tied migrants however, remain agile and adept, employing various strategies to navigate these complexities, albeit with limited success in achieving full labour market integration. The study also proffers various solutions and practical recommendations incorporating policy and practice, if the benefits from the human capital skills of tied migrants for full labour market integration and economic development are to be fully realised.

**Promoter:** Dr MD Saurombe, Prof S Matebesi



# THE SEANAMARENA THE TRADITIONAL BASOTHO BLANKET

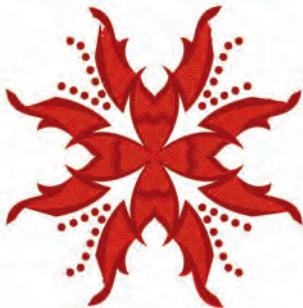
## The Main Procession Graduation Gowns – embroidered with rich diversity

**S**outh Africa, and the Free State in particular, has a long-standing friendship with our neighbouring country, Lesotho.

Through a shared history, we have become co-creators of our futures. For this reason, the UFS decided to incorporate our tradition with that of the Basotho in the design of our Main Procession graduation gowns.

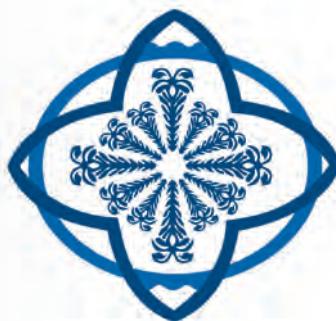
The gowns are inspired by the Seanamarena – the traditional Basotho blanket. The different patterns on the Seanamarena indicate the status one holds in the Basotho nation or reflect the occasion being celebrated. Keeping the Seanamarena pattern in mind, we combined our traditional academic designs with that of the Basotho nation.

## YOKE PATTERNS



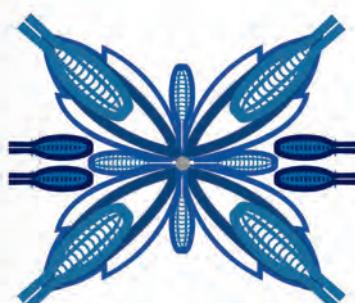
### Yoke pattern for the Chancellor and Vice-Chancellor

This Seanamarena pattern is an interpretation of a design – used exclusively for the king and chiefs – which means ‘to swear by the king’. This blanket has the highest status of all Basotho blankets.



### Yoke pattern for the Chairperson of the Council

This Seanamarena Victorian crest motif appeared after the visit of the Prince of Wales to Lesotho in 1925, which made a profound impression on the local people. Customers refer to this blanket as ‘lesiba’ – meaning feathers – when buying it.



### Yoke pattern for the Vice-Rector

This Seanamarena Poone design symbolises good crops, wealth, and fertility. The Poone is given as a present to honour an important visitor.



### Yoke pattern for Registrar

The same Seanamarena Poone design used for the Vice-Rector applies to the Registrar, with some slight design and colour alterations.

The Deans wear gowns made in the colours of the faculties, or others which indicate the office they hold.

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