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paramount in everything we do.*

DR. MARIA MADIOPE

Campus Principal for the University of the Free State, South Campus. It is indeed a great honor to introduce to you the South Campus.

Hello, I am...

The South Campus is a non-traditional campus without faculty structures. The entire focus of the South Campus is to provide open and lifelong-learning opportunities, to broaden access to higher education, and to offer continuing and distance higher-education programmes to students who are unable to study at a university through a traditional, full-time, on-campus mode. The South Campus provides expert support to faculties, departments, and lecturers to enable online and other distance-education programme offerings. Here you will experience beautiful gardens and a tranquil atmosphere geared to ensure a conducive learning environment.

The programmes offered by the South Campus are divided into two categories. These are University Access Programmes or the UAP as we refer to it, and the distance-education programmes. The UAP provides prospective students who have a UFS Admission Point between 18 to 24, with the opportunity to “perform themselves into higher education”. Successful UAP students gain access, with credit recognition, to appropriate further degree studies at either the:

- University of Free State (UFS),
- other Universities,
- Universities of Technology
- TVET Colleges,
- Post-matric vocational colleges, such as Nursing or Agricultural colleges.

IN THE UAP WE HAVE THE FOLLOWING STUDY OPTIONS



**Higher Certificate in Economics
& Management Sciences:**
Commerce and Administration Routes



Higher Certificates in Humanities

Currently we offer a number of Advanced Certificate in Teaching, or the ACT as we refer to it, which specialise in the distance-education mode. The ACT is aimed at continuing professional and academic development of teachers. It is specifically intended to develop knowledge and competences in a new subject, or strengthen their subject specialisation. We offer this ACT through blended distance mode of delivery at various centres across South Africa. The blended mode is a well thought of structured mix of contact and distance learning methodologies. We also offer some of the ACT programmes fully online where students are guided by an online learning facilitator.



Your success as a student is paramount in everything we do. Our programmes use the resource-based learning teaching and learning methodology where students are provided with comprehensive study guides on day one of their classes. There are not more than 45 students in a class. The smaller classes ensure more effective and individual contact session engagements with the students.

Overall, the South Campus is the vibrant hub for open, distance and e-learning education activities. I look forward to welcoming you to the South Campus.



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