

SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

Diploma in Women Development and Microfinance; Bachelor of Agriculture; Bachelor of Science in Agriculture; Bachelor of Science in Forestry; Bachelor of Science in Food Science and Technology; Bachelor of Agriculture Honours; Masters in Rural Development; Master of Science in Agriculture; Master of Science in Food Science and Technology.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Advanced Certificate in Education – School Management and Leadership; Bachelor of Education in Foundation Phase; Bachelor of Arts in Education; Bachelor of Education in Further Education and Training; Postgraduate Certificate in Education; Bachelor of Education Honours in Educational Management; Bachelor of Education Honours in Guidance and Counselling; Master of Education.

SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

Bachelor of Environmental Sciences; Bachelor of Earth Sciences in Mining and Environmental Geology; Bachelor of Earth Sciences in Mine Survey; Bachelor of Earth Sciences in Hydrology and Water Resources; Bachelor of Environmental Management; Bachelor of Urban and Regional Planning; Bachelor of Environmental Sciences Honours; Master of Earth Sciences and Environmental Geology; Master of Earth Sciences in Hydrology and Water Resources; Master of Environmental Management; Master of Environmental Sciences; Doctor of Philosophy.

SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

Diploma in Nursing Science; Diploma in Psychiatric Nursing; Bachelor of Nursing Science in Education, Management and Community; Bachelor of Nursing; Bachelor of Science in Nutrition; Bachelor of Psychology; Bachelor of Science in Biokinetic; Bachelor of Science in Recreation and Leisure Studies; Bachelor of Science in Sport; Bachelor of Nursing Honours in Administration; Bachelor of Nursing Honours in Education; Master of Nursing; Master of Public Health.

SCHOOL OF HUMAN AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Bachelor of Arts; Bachelor of Arts (Development Studies), Bachelor of Arts in International Relations; Bachelor of Arts (Media Studies); Bachelor of Arts in Social Work; Bachelor of Arts, Youth in Development; Bachelor of Arts Honours; Bachelor of Arts Honours in International Relations; Honours Degree in Gender Studies; Master of Arts; Master of Arts in African Studies; Master of Gender Studies.

SCHOOL OF LAW

Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice; Bachelor of Laws; Master of Laws.

SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

Bachelor of Administration in Human Resources Management; Bachelor of Administration in Public Administration; Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting; Bachelor of Commerce in Business Information Systems; Bachelor of Commerce in Business Management; Bachelor of Commerce in Cost and Management Accounting; Bachelor of Commerce in Economics; Bachelor of Commerce in Human Resources Management; Bachelor of Commerce in Tourism Management; Bachelor of Economics; Bachelor of Administration Honours; Bachelor of Commerce Honours; Master of Public Management; Master of Administration; Doctor of Philosophy.

SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICAL AND NATURAL SCIENCES

Bachelor of Science; Bachelor of Science Honours; Masters of Science; Doctor of Philosophy.

OFFICERS OF THE UNIVERSITY

Chancellor

Mr. Kgalema Motlanthe

Chairperson of the Council

Mr. Serobi Maja, B.A. (UNIN)

Vice-Chancellor and Principal

Prof. P.A. Mbatia, B.Ed Hons. (Sci.), MSc, PhD (Kenya)

Deputy Vice-Chancellor: Academic

Prof. J.E. Crafford, PhD (Pret)

Deputy Vice-Chancellor: Operations

Dr. J.J. Zaaiman, BCom (UP), B.Proc. (Unisa). HBA, MBA and PhD (PUCHE)

University Registrar

Prof. A.E. Nesamvuni, BSc.Agric. (University of Natal), BSc.Agric.Hons., M.Sc.Agric. (University of Fort Hare), PhD (Oklahoma State University), (Pr.Nat.Sci.)

President of Convocation

Mr. L.L. Ndou, BA, BA (Hons) (Univen), MA (Development and Management) North West University

Director: Student Affairs

Dr. MC Selepe, BA Hons (Univen), MA (RAU), PhD (Unizul)

Dean: School of Agriculture

Prof. G.R.A. Mchau, Dip. (Horti), Bsc (Fruit Ind), MSc (Agric) (Pomona) PhD (California)

Dean: School of Education

Dr. M.P. Mulaudzi, JSTC (Venda College of Education), BAEd, B.Ed (Univen), M.Ed (Bowie State Univ. USA), DEd (Unisa)

Dean: School of Environmental Sciences

Prof J.O. Odiyo, BSc(Hons)(Egerton). MSc(Dar-es-Salaam) PhD (Wits)

Dean: School of Health Sciences

Prof. L.B. Khoza, BACur (Nur Ed), Hons. BA Cur MA cur, D Litt et Phil Nur Sc (Unisa), Dipl. Nur. Ed (UL)

Dean: School of Human and Social Sciences

Prof. M.A. Makgopa, BA (Hons) (Unisa) MA (STELL), D Litt et Phil (Unisa) JSTC (Setotolwane)

Dean: School of Law

Ms. A. Lansink, cand., Meester in die Rechten (Groningen); LLM (Unisa)

Dean: School of Management Sciences

Prof A. Kadyamatimba, MSc (Electronic Eng: Lvov-USSR), PhD (Comp Sci: Lancaster, UK), MZCS(Zim), MBCS, MIEE, & Chartered Eng (UK)

Dean: School of Mathematical and Natural Sciences

Prof. N. Potgieter, BSc (Biological Sciences) RAU, BSc Hons (Medical Virology) University of Pretoria, MSc (Medical Virology) University of Pretoria, PhD (Medical Virology) University of Pretoria

VISION

The University of Venda aspires to be at the centre of tertiary education for rural and regional development in Southern Africa

MISSION STATEMENT

The University of Venda, anchored on the pillars of excellence in teaching, learning, research and community engagement, produces, graduates imbued with knowledge, skills and qualifications which are locally relevant and globally competitive.

PROGRAMME

Director of Ceremony : Mr. Takalani Dzaga – APR
Director: Communications and Marketing

Date : Wednesday, 11 May 2016

Time : 13h30

Academic procession enters the Hall. University Choir sings Gaudeamus Igitur.

NB: The audience is requested to stand as the procession enters the Hall, and to remain seated throughout the ceremony.

Constitution of the Congregation: Mr. Kgalema Motlanthe
Chancellor

Welcome Address : Prof. PA Mbatlana
Vice-Chancellor & Principal

Song : Univen Choir

Presentation of Graduandi : Deans of Schools

Song : Univen Choir

Congratulatory Message : Mr. Kgalema Motlanthe
Chancellor

Singing of National Anthem : Univen Choir and Congregation

Dissolution of Congregation : Mr. Kgalema Motlanthe
Chancellor

Academic procession leaves the Hall. Univen Choir sings Gaudeamus Igitur.

NB: The audience is requested to remain standing until the procession has left the Hall.

GAUDEAMUS IGITUR

Let us live then, and be glad
While young life's before us!
After youthful pastime had,
After Old age hard and sad,
Earth will slumbe o'er us.

Brief is life, and brevity
Briefly shall be ended:
Death comes like whirlwind strong
Bears us with his blast long;
None shall be defended.

Live this University
Men that learning nourish!
Live each member of the same
Long live all that bear its name;
Let them ever flourish!

GAUDEAMUS IGITUR

Gaudeamus igitur, juvenes dum sumus (Rep)
Post jucundam juventutem, post molestam senectutem,
Nos habebit humus, nos habebit humus.

Vita nostra brevis est, brevi finietur (Rep)
Venit mors velociter, rapit nos atrociter,
Nemini parceret, nemini parceret.

Vita Academia, Vitat Professores, (Rep)
Vitat mebrum quodlibet, vivant membra wuaelibet,
Semper sint in flore, semper sint in

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Nkosi sikelel' iAfrika
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.

2016 MAY GRADUATION CEREMONY: SESSION 2

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

BALOYI HLAMALANI
CHAUKE SYDWELL
DIKOBO PATIENCE LEBOANG
KHAZAMULA GOLIATH
KHOZA MARVIN TEDDY
MABASA ASHELEY
MABASA PEACE FUMANI
MAHAFHA NTSIENI NOEL
MAKAMU LINDUMUSA HOPEWELL
MAKHAVHU NAKISENI
MAMOKABI GLEN
MAPHAHA ANNAH DIKELEDI
MASHEGO TSHEPISO JOHANNES
MASHELE AMANDA
MATHEBULA NTSAKO
MATHYE DUDLEY
MAVASA SAKIE
MHLANGA CASSWELL MBUSO
MONYAYI MBONISENI
MPHAHLELE THABANG MOROATSHOGE
MULAUDZI THILIVHALI BRIDGET
MUNYAI EMMANUEL
NEBA SEDZANI
NEPHIPHIDI MULANGA
NGHONYAMA HLAMULO OSNAR
PANDELANI VHUTSHILO MICHAEL
PHOPHI SHAKANDINNYI
RAMARU ALUWANI PORTIA
SHIRINDA VONGANI LILLY
SIDOGI ELLIAH
SIKHITHA TAKALANI VUYANI
TSHILONGO LUTENDO

BACHELOR OF LAWS

BALI MARUBINI
BALOYI ARTIST
BALOYI FANISA PATIENCE
BALOYI PAMELA
BELL PHUMUDZO PRISCILLA
BORE OBERT
DAMASANE PHYLLIS NQOBILE
GABAZA FAITH
GAZI FAITH TATENDA
HATLANE MATIMBA MICHAEL
JENA TAPIWANASHE JOCYLINE
KEKANA NKHULU HUDSON
KODIBONA WILFRED
LENAKE TEBOHO
MABUZA MANCOBA GOODENOUGH
MAEKELA MOTEKU JOHANNES
MAGADANI VHUTHUHAWE GOODNESS

(CUM LAUDE)

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MAKAKAVHULE NTANGANEDZENI
MAKAMU ELESTER NHLANGANO
MAKAMU NTSWANANO OLGA
MAKATU ROFHIWA
MAKHUVHA FAITH DIDIMALANG
MAKHODE TSHIFHIWA GLEN
MALADZE NTHONIFHENI ANIKIE
MALEKA TEBOGO OUMA
MALIGAVHADA NDANDULENI
MALULEKE NKATEKO PEACEMAKER
MALUMANE TIENS
MANDIWANA HUMBELANI HAPPY
MAREMA FOREVER ALUWANI
MASANGO AMUKELANI JOHANNAH
MASEDA MURIEL
MASWANGANYI RIVONINGO GEZANI WINSTON
MATHEBULA STAMOND
MATHIBA MOKEBE ONCIMA
MATHOGO REMBULUWANI
MATIBA MURENDENI CYNTHIA
MATOME MOKGADI ROSINAH
MATSA NYASHA CHARLOTTE
MATSU LEBOGANG COLLEN
MATSEPANE PRECIOUS KHOLOFELO
MATUMBA DEMANE
MATUMBA ENGEDZANI
MATUMBA KHUTHADZO
MAUMELA RUDZANI
MAZIYA THULILE GRACE
MBEDZI FHUMULANI
MBOWENI TSEMBEDZO
MBULAHENI PHATHUTSHEDZO
MBUNGELWA ZWELITHINI REGINALT
MERIRI NNDITSHENI LIZZY
MHLANGA SHARON
MHLONGO NONTSIKELELO CLMENTINE
MHONDA EDDIE NYASHA
MMOLA JOHN SAMUEL
MNDEBELE NQOTSHELWE CALVIN
MNISI JAMEYANA
MOKONE REBOTILE
MOLOKOMME MAROPE EGNESIA
MPHAHLELE PUSHELETJO LETHAMAGA
MPHAPHULI TSHAMAANO
MOSUPYA FRANCINA MASEKITLA
MOTSHEGARE TONKANA MAVIS
MPOFU KUDZAI
MPOFU NOKUTHULA MILLICENT
MUDAU NDUVHO CONFIDENCE
MUDAU ROTSHIDZWA
MUFAMADI AVHENAVHO
MUHLUMUPHI FUMANI
MUKANSI JUSTICE

MUKHELI ALUWANI
MUKHOMI TIYANI JULDA
MUKWEVHO PHUNZO
MULAUDZI AIFHELI LIVINGSTONE
MULAUDZI HULISANI
MULOVHEDZI VUSANI
MUNYAI TEBOGO INNOCENTIA
MUSEKENE NDAEDZO BRAIN
MUSIIWA CAREEN MODINAH
MUTAMBASERE CAROLINE TATENDA
MUTAVHATSINDI RUDZANI PRINCE
MUTHIVHITHIVHI KAGISO ANDY
MUTYASIRA VIVIAN
NCUBE GCINEKILE
NDLOVU VONANI MERLYN
NDOU LONDOLANI
NDOU MPFARISENI ISAAC
NEMARANZHE ROTONDWA
NGOBENI JACKY
NEPHAWE NOMSA
NEVHUTALU ELELWANI
NKWINIKA NORAH MMATHAPELO
NTSHANI SOLLY
NYAMBAYO NYASHADZASHE FAITH
PHASWANA HANGWANI
PHUTHU NDIVHUWO EMMANUEL
RABULANYANA MATODZI RECHEL
RAMPJA PITSO MOSES
RAMUTSINDELA LUFUNO ALBERTINA
RIKHOTSO BRIGHT FANNIE
RIKHOTSO MASINGITA EMMANUEL
RIKHOTSO TSAKANI HAPPINESS
SHINGANGE MMAPELO MELMORTH VANESSA
SHINGANGE WISANI
SILVER SANDRA RUMBIDZAI
SITHOLE KIEVEN
TABANE RAMATHABATHE JOHANNAH
THOBELA INNOCENT SHADRACK
THOPOLA DENIS KWETE
TJALE SHERE PATRICK
TSHABALALA NOMAKHWEZI THEODORA
TSHAMANO MASHUDU MARCUS
TSHILANDE MUDINDA MARCUS
TSHIRADO FHATUWANI AUSTIN
TSHIRADO VULEDZANI JESSICA
TSHIRANDO GAONGALELWE PRUDENCE
TSHISEVHE RILWELE
TSHISHONGA ZWIVHUYA WALTER
TSHISIMBA NDIVHUWO ELISABETH
TSHITANGANO TSHIFHIWA
TSHONGWE NOMQHELE
TSHUBWANA NDIVHUWO CAROL
VUKEYA VONANI WEBSTER

(CUM LAUDE)

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

AJMAL ANTOINETTE ALLIYA
BANDA MARLECIA DIMAKATSO
BVUMBI LUFUNO
CHABANI MAKUNGU GLENDA
CHAUKE RAMBANI EMMANUEL
CHAUKE WISANI
CHAUKE XIHLUKE CLIFF
CHUENE RAMORASWI HOPE
DHLAMINI NONHLANHLA FORTUNATE
GAVHI PFESESANI
GOBIYE GILBERT BATSIRAI
GUMANI THANYANI RODNEY
HLANGWANI MONICA
HLONGWANE NTANGANEDZENI
HLUNGWANI ISAAC
JAKIE PURITY
KGOETLANA CHARLIE MOLOPO
KHANGALE ARINAO
KHANGALE RUDZANI PHYLLIS
KHOROMBI NDIVHUWO KEVIN
KHOSA PROMISE
KHOZA BUSI PEARL
KWEYANA NOKUTHULA PRISCILLA
LALUMBE NDIVHUWO
LAMOLA MAPHUTI ELIZABETH
LEGODI MPHELA ABRAM
LETSOALO INNOCENTIA FULUFHELO
LUVHENGO ROTSHILA
LUVHIMBI LIVHUWANI LICOLLET
MABA NNDWAMBUYA
MABADAHANYE KHUMBELO
MABALA AVHATHOMI
MABELANE TSHEPHISO
MABUGANA MATAMELA CHARLES
MACHETE THABANG MISHACK
MADADZHE PFUNZO
MADONSELA BONISILE BRIDGET
MAFHALALE MATAMELA
MAGAU LUTENDO
MAGORO MURENDENI MARCUS
MAHANDANA NTHANBELENI ANDREW
MAHLALELA TREASURE THEMBINKOSI
MAHONISI NKATEKO OSCAR
MAIWASHE RONEWA
MAKHADO BVELEDZANI PERTUNIA
MAKWARELA MAANDA
MAKWARELA TSIRELEDZO GOODWILL
MAKHANIKHE THINANDAVHA
MAKUYA FHULUFHELO
MALUMA LIVHUWANI IGNOTIA
MANGANYE KOKETSO ROSE
MANGANYI CONNIE TIRHANI MAGAUGANE
MANGANYI TSHEMBHO

(CUM LAUDE)

MANGUPANE NDIVHO
MANOTWANE THATO MASHIANOKE
MANYAGA MUELETSHEZI
MARINGA MERCY
MARINGA MUSA MARVIN
MASEVHE HAMISI MBULUNGE
MASHABA THEMBI RENKIE
MASHABA VINCENT
MASHAMBA TSHANDUKO ANCY
MASHAU THERMINAH
MASHAVHELA DZULANI
MASINDI TSHIVHUSI
MASILELA SITHANDWA SUCCESS
MASUKU NONHLANHLA
MASUVHE LAWRANCE
MASWUBA LIVHUWANI
MATHADA MALIMA MAANEA
MATHULE ANDY ROFHIWA
MATIDZA ROFHIWA
MATIKA ASIVHANGA
MATLALA KHUTJI WITNEY
MATSENENE EMMANUEL
MATSIELA MATOME SELINA
MATSHIDZA VHUTSHILO
MAVHUNGA RONEWA
MAWELEWELE NTONDENI
MBHIZA NYIKO KNOWLEDGE
MDAKA STHEMBELE
MHLANGA LUCKY ISAAC
MLOTSHWA THOKOZANE MXOLISI
MOABELO KOENA LEAH
MOKELA BONGA GLAD
MOKWEBO EVA
MPFUMALI PHATHUTSHEDZO
MPHEPHU MUOFHE GRACE
MPOSHOMALI MUKOVHE KINGDOM
MTHOMBENI CECIL DZUNANI
MUDAU KHANGWELO
MUDAU MPHATHELENI
MUDZANANI NDIFELANI COLLEN
MUGERI MASALA
MUKHWA ROTONDWA
MUKOSI EDZANI
MUKWEVHO THENDO PRAISY
MULAUDZI ELIAH
MULAUDZI FULUFHELO CYNTHIA
MULAUDZI MULANGA LUSCIOUS
MULAUDZI NKHETHENI DANELY
MULAUDZI RUDZANI
MULAUDZI VULEDZANI
MULONDO GOODMAN
MUREI ARINAO
MUSETSHO PFANO
MUSOLIWA RENDANI

(CUM LAUDE)

MUTHEVHULI MPHO
MUTUWA MARUBINI JESSICA
NDHLOVU HELLEN MAKOTI
NDHLOVU LIVERS TIRHANI
NDOU DANIEL DZIVHULUWANI
NDOU MBUDZISO
NDOU EMMANUEL
NDOU MILLICENT
NDOU NZUMBULULO
NDOU SHUDUFHADZWANI
NEKHWEVHA NDITSHENI
NEMAGOVHANI ZWIVHUYA
NEMALILI ROTONDWA
NEMUFANDANI MUSHE
NEMUKONDENI NDIVHUWO
NEMUVUMONI NTAKADZENI
NENGUDZA CHRISWELL ALUWANI
NENGWEKHULU NDIVHUWO
NENZHELELE REACTION AMBANI
NEPHAWE THEMBULUSO
NEPHAWE TSHILIDZI
NESINDANDE VHUDZISANI
NETHOMBONI NDIVHO
NETILI MURENDENI
NETSHAULU NDAEDZO JUSTICE
NETSHIOMVANI ROFHIWA
NETSHITONGWE PHULUSO
NETSHITUKA NDIVHUHO
NETSHIYA ADIVHAHO ANDREW
NETSHIYA ROFHIWA
NETSHIVHUMBE DAKALO
NGIDI KHATHUTSHELO LINKY
NGWANA MUANO
NKHUMELENI THAKHANI REDSON
NTLHAMU MATIMBA ISHMAEL
PHAPHANA FHUMULANI EDNA
RAGAU ERIC MPHO
RAKGWALE MATSATSI LINDAH
RALEWEDZA KHUMBELO
RALIGIDIMA NDAMULELO
RAMADIBA IPFI
RAMAKULUKUSHA KHODANI
RAMALATA RENDANI
RAMALISA EDWIN
RAMATSAUI LEBOGANG
RAMAZHAMBAMBA PARDON TAKALANI
RAMESE NNYADZENI
RAMUFHI DAKALO VINCENT
RAMULIFHO LAWRENCE
RAMUTUMBU MUDZUNGA FULUFHELO
RAMUYA ROTONDWA SHADRACK
RANKHODODO MATAMELA WHITENY
RANWAHA TSHIFHIWA STEVEN
RAPHAHLELO MABETHA EMANUEL

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RAPHAHLELO TSHEPISO BRILLIANT
 RASENGANI FULUFHELO GODFREY
 RAVELE THAKHANI (CUM LAUDE)
 RIKHOTSO SAMUEL
 SAMBO MOALUSI SELBY
 SEABE PHUMUDZO LLOYD (CUM LAUDE)
 SELAHLE SHIRLEY KHOLOFELO
 SEPHELLE JOHANNA (CUM LAUDE)
 SHAI NTSOAKI MIMMIE (CUM LAUDE)
 SIARULI HUMBULANI PRETTY
 SINGO DENZHE
 SIPHUMA TAKALANI
 SONO THULANI
 SUMBANA VHULENDA
 TAMBE LISA ARRACH MBANG
 TOLO MANTWAMPE MOTSE
 THIFHULUFHELWI KENNETH
 TSHAMANO SEDZESANI
 TSHEFULARO PHETHANI
 TSHIEDZA NDIVHUWO
 TSHIKALANGE THAPELO LUCIA
 TSHIKHUDO MASHUDU NICHOLUS
 TSHILANDE KHETHANI
 TSHILANDE NEANI
 TSHILUKA NDIVHUWO RAYMOND
 TSHIOLOLI MADUVHA
 TSHITHUKHE GETRUDE
 TSHIVHASE ROLIVHUWA
 UBISI SIPHO

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE HONOURS

BALOYI KENNETH	Physics	(CUM LAUDE)
DIMA RATSHILUMELA STEVE	Physics	
DELAWALA KAUSARBANU	Computer Science	
DLAMINI MTHUNZI LINDA	Statistics	
DUBE-JOHNSTONE NHLALO MICHAEL	Chemistry	
DUBE LIBERTY	Statistics	
DZIVHANI MULALO	Computer Science	
GORDON ALLEN TAUYA	Chemistry	
HLUNGWANE VUTOMI MSOLWA	Microbiology	
MABASA LUNGHANI JUNIOR	Biochemistry	
MACHEQUE VHUTSHILO	Computer Science	
MADZENA OMPHULUSA LUCIA	Computer Science	
MADZUNYA MUKONDELELI	Conservation Biology	
MAFUNA THENDO	Microbiology	
MAHADA AWELANI SYDNEY	Mathematics	
MANAVHELA MURENDENI	Microbiology	
MANNGO MAKHADZI PORTIA	Biochemistry	
MORASWI MASEHLE JOHANNES IKARABE	Botany	
MUGWENA DAKALO SANDRA	Chemistry	
MULAUDZI KHODANI	Microbiology	
MULAUDZI KHUMBUDZO DANIEL	Chemistry	
MULUVHAHOTHE MULALO MERIAM	Zoology	
MUNYAI VUKOSI EDWIN	Microbiology	

MUNYAMELA PHATHUTSHEDZO OZIAS	Computer Science
MUSEDELI JUFTER NNDWAMATO	Zoology
MUTHAPHULI NGALIRENDWE	Botany
MUTHELO TSHIFHIWA	Biochemistry
MWALE YEAL KUDAKWASHE ROPAFADZWA	Microbiology
NDLOVU MERCY	Chemistry
NDOU NDIVHUWO	Mathematics
NEMASISI JESSICA EDZA	Computer Science
NEMUDZIVHADI HULISANI	Physics
NENGWANI PHATHUTSHEDZO	Botany
NESANE MASHUDU	Biochemistry
NETHAVHANI ZWANNDI	Zoology
NETSHIFHEFHE HUMBELANI KELLY	Chemistry
NETSHIVHUMBE RUDZANI	Microbiology
NGOMANE ALEX OTAVIA	Physics
NOBELA EPHRAIM	Computer Science
NTHANGENI ALUWANI	Conservation Biology
OJARIKREH SAMUEL ONORIODE	Mathematics
RAMALEVHA TSUMBEDZO LEONARD	Botany
RAMOOKI KHATHUTSHELO	Physics
RANANGA SEANI	Computer Science
RIKHOTSO RIXONGILE RHENNY	Microbiology
SESHOKA MOKGADI FLESHER	Zoology
SHABANGU CHARLOTTE BEUTY	Physics
TIBANE MANDLA	Chemistry
TLHAPI BAFEDILE DORCAS	Chemistry
TSHILO THINANDAVHA PRECIOUS	Zoology
TSHISIKULE RENDANI EMMANUEL	Mathematics
TSHIVHASE LUFUNO	Biochemistry
XITSAVI JANE	Statistics

MASTER OF LAWS

LUBISI TIVONELENI EDMOND

Title : Children of asylum seekers and the realization of social security rights in South Africa.

Supervisor : Dr AO Jegede

Co-Supervisor : Mrs PP Letuka

NWAFOR GLORIA CHIDIMMA

Title : Protection of the rights to healthcare of people infected with Ebola virus disease (EVD): A human rights based approach.

Supervisor : Prof GNK Vukor-Quarshie

Co-Supervisor : Mrs PP Letuka

MASTERS OF SCIENCE

ADEYEMI OLUWASEGUN JERRY Chemistry

Title : Synthesis, characterization and In vitro studies of some transition metal complexes of artesunate and chloroquine diphosphate antimalarial drugs

Supervisor : Dr MA Legodi

Co-Supervisor : Dr A Traore

- MBAMBALA SIPHO GLEN Botany
Title : The utilization of alien invasive medicinal plants in the treatment of HIV/aids related symptoms by traditional healers of Vhembe district municipality, Limpopo Province, South Africa.
- Supervisor** : Prof. MP Tshisikhawe
Co-Supervisor : Dr NA Masevhe
- MOCHEKI TEBOGO ALLISON Botany
Title : The distribution patterns, utilization and conservation of *Sclerocarya birrea* (A.Rich.) Hochst, subsp. *Caffra* in two villages of the Limpopo Province, South Africa.
- Supervisor** : Mr MH Ligavha-Mbelengwa
Co-Supervisor : Prof. MP Tshisikhawe
- MUTAVHATSINDI THABELO ERNEST Microbiology
Title : Fungi associated with postharvest disease of fruits produced by small holder farmers in the Vhembe region, Limpopo Province.
- Supervisor** : Prof N Potgieter
Co-Supervisor : Dr EJ van der Linde
- MUTAVHATSINDI HYGON Biochemistry
Title : Characterization of PFF1010c. A Type IV *Plasmodium Falciparum* heat shock protein 40
- Supervisor** : Prof A Shonhai
Co-Supervisor : Dr A Burger
- NETHAVHANI SEDZANI ALVINA Chemistry
Title : Design and synthesis of potential malaria cysteinyl protease inhibitors
- Supervisor** : Prof T Van Ree
Co-Supervisor : Prof Idi Ramaite
- NNDWAMMBI MATODZI Botany
Title : The effects of debarking and seasonal variations on physical structure, phenolic content and biological activities *Sclerocarya birrea* in the Nylsvley Nature Reserve.
- Supervisor** : Mr MH Ligavha-Mbelengwa
Co-Supervisor : Prof IDI Ramaite
- NYATHI FREEMAN Mathematics
Title : Existence and uniqueness of a solution to a flow problem about a rotating obstacle at low Reynolds number
- Supervisor** : Dr S Moyo

TAWANDA ZININGA

Biochemistry

Title : Characterization of heat shock protein 70-Z (PFHSP70-Z) from Plasmodium Falciparum.

Promoter : Prof. A. Shonhai

Co-promoter : Dr. A. Burger

Citation

Most victims of malaria are children that live in Southern Africa. Mr. Zininga studied the role of PfHsp70-z, a protein that is important for the survival of malaria parasites. His findings demonstrated that the protein plays a house-keeping role by ensuring that other malaria parasite proteins function optimally. He established that PfHsp70-z partners closely with another malarial protein, PfHsp70-1 in maintaining parasite proteins functionally competent. He also established that the production of PfHsp70-z by malaria parasites is increased by fever-like conditions synonymous with clinical malaria. He further observed the protein is heat-stable protein, as its function is to make other proteins resist stress. His findings suggest that PfHsp70-z is crucial for the survival of malaria parasites especially against the hostile conditions that malaria parasites encounter during their development in the human host. In addition, the findings suggest that PfHsp70-z is not only essential for parasite survival but may augment parasite drug resistance. This is important as one of the challenges in managing malaria is due to parasite drug resistance. Mr. Zininga also mapped out the structural features of PfHsp70-z, and in the process noting that the protein exhibits structural uniqueness, making it amenable for antimalarial drug targeting.

As testimony to the novelty and importance of his research findings, Mr. Zininga published 5 research articles in internationally acclaimed, peer reviewed journals. Two conference presentations from his work were recently made in Lorne, Australia, at an international malaria conference held under the theme, "Molecular Approaches to Malaria".

CONFERMENT OF AN HONORARY DOCTORATE

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THE LATE MR TSHIFHIWA ISAAC MUOFHE

Tshifhiwa Isaac Muofhe was born in Musina in 1954. He was a founding member of the Bold Evangelical Christian Organization (BECO) with Cyril Ramaphosa at Mphaphuli High School in 1971. In 1972 he registered as a first year student at the then University of the North, together with his friend Mr. Ramaphosa, but later dropped out because of financial difficulties. As an ardent reader, he collected books – including banned material - and established his own library at his house. He enrolled with UNISA to study for his degree in Theology but did not finish his studies. He was a popular lay preacher in the Evangelical Lutheran Church.

As an anti-apartheid activist he established links with most banned organizations, travelling extensively through Swaziland, Lesotho, Botswana and Zimbabwe. The apartheid and homeland governments continuously monitored his movements. On the night of 26 October 1981, MK guerillas under the commander of Dambuza Malada attacked and bombed the Sibasa Police Station where about three police officers died. Although Tshenuwani Farisani and Tshifhiwa Muofhe were not within the area of Venda, they became the chief suspects. Farisani was arrested immediately and Tshifhiwa Muofhe later, on 10 November 1981, after which he was severely tortured. Two days after his arrest, on 12 November 1981, Tshifhiwa Muofhe was found and declared dead in his cell at Matatshe Prison. The police at the time alleged he jumped from the police van he was being transported in from Sibasa to Matatshe Prison.

Tshifhiwa Muofhe at the time of his death left a baby daughter Mulanga Muofhe, and his young wife Tendani Lillian Muofhe. The Department of Justice and Correctional Services has since made a proposal to the Muofhe family to rename the Matatshe Correctional Centre to Tshifhiwa Muofhe Correctional centre in honour of this gallant freedom fighter.

SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICAL AND NATURAL SCIENCES

MOSIBUDI MANGENA

Mosibudi Mangena was born on 7 August 1947 in Tzaneen. He matriculated at Hebron Training Institute in 1969 and in 1970, enrolled at the University of Zululand (Ngoye) for a BSc degree. In December 1972, he was elected the first National Organiser of the Black People's Convention at its inaugural Congress. In 1973, he was detained under the notorious Section 6 of the Terrorism Act. He was later charged, convicted and sent to Robben Island for five years, becoming the first Black Consciousness activist to be incarcerated on Robben Island. While on Robben Island and under banning orders, he completed a BSc and BSc Hons degrees with the University of South Africa. He now holds a Master of Science degree in Applied Mathematics. In 1981 Dr Mangena went into exile, and joined the Black Consciousness Movement of Azania (BCMA). On his return from exile in 1994, he was elected President of AZAPO at the merger Congress of the BCMA and AZAPO. He was elected a Member of Parliament in April, 1999, and appointed the Deputy Minister of Education in January 2001. In April 2004, he was appointed the first Minister of Science and Technology. In this portfolio he presided, inter alia, over:

- the expansion of relations between the South African science and technology system with those of other countries across the globe
- the commissioning and building of the South African micro-satellite, the SumbandilaSat
- the support and funding of the development of the South African electric car, the Joule, by the Innovation Fund, which is an instrument of the Department of Science and Technology
- the creation of the Technology Innovation Agency
- the launch of the South African Research Chairs Initiative
- the winning and launching of the African component of the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology
- the development of the South African Ten Year Innovation Plan.

He is the author of six books, viz., *On Your Own* (1989); *A Quest for True Humanity* (1996); *A Twin World* (1996), *My Grandmother is Permanent* (2004), *Let the Patriots Stand Up* (2013) and *Triumphs & Heartaches* (2015). Dr Mangena has been awarded Honorary Doctorates by the University of Stellenbosch, the University of Kwazulu-Natal, and the University of South Africa. He was awarded given the Order of Luthuli in Silver on the 27th April 2013.

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