 

**NOMINATION TO SERVE ON THE PILOT STEERING COMMITTEE FOR THE RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING (RPL): TRADITIONAL HEALING AND PRACTICES, LIMPOPO PROVINCE**

**Criteria for Nominations**

The nominees should exemplify qualities that will support, guarantee and promote the credibility of the Discipline of Competence.

**Eligibility Criteria**

Organisations, Constituencies, or Groups should ensure that nominees possess outstanding competences in the Tshivenda / Xitsonga healing systems reflecting knowledge, skills and expertise in the following areas:

**Technical Competencies**

1. Professional Competencies: knowledge of the Tshivenda/Xitsonga healing systems and competencies (e.g. norms & standards inherent in the system).
2. A person with a track record (minimum of 15 years practising in the field) – expert knowledge in a particular field and understanding of two additional areas of disciplines (i.e. Maine, Mubebisi and Nanga-thubwa).
3. He /She must have good understanding of the other ethnic health systems within South Africa.
4. He / She must have understanding of the laws of the country and with particular focus on the Traditional Health Practice (THP) related Acts, policies and Regulations.
5. He / She must be a member in good standing in his/her organisation of choice or the community where he/she lives.

**Submissions of Nomination Forms**

Full nomination forms and documents are obtainable from the following website:

<https://univen.ac.za> /or alternatively from Mr Robert Tshikwama.

Nominations submission (physical documents or electronic) opens on 01 July 2022 and closes on 31 July 2022 (17h00 for hand submissions and 23h59 for electronic submissions). Applications must be addressed to Adv. Dr Pfarelo Matshidze on the following address:

Electronic: [roberttshikwama@gmail.com](mailto:roberttshikwama@gmail.com)

Physical address: Vuwani Science Resource Centre (Zenex)

IKSDC office

Vuwani, 0952

Submissions must include the following information:

1. A completed nomination form,
2. A Reference letter from community leadership/authority,
3. A Reference letter from your Organisation of Choice,
4. A short CV of the nominee detailing his/her experience and other information describing how they meet the relevant criteria / competencies for the Steering Committee of the RPL.

NB: A group of people who share the same understanding and methodology of a given practice, craft or profession, which evolves spontaneously or is created based on people’s engagement in a process of collective learning in a shared domain of human endeavour.

**Nomination Elimination Criteria**

Nominations will be eliminated automatically under the following conditions:

* Submission after the deadline.
* Nominations submitted at incorrect address
* Nominations not meeting the criteria as stipulated in the call for nominations.

**UNIVEN Reserves the Right to:**

* Extend the closing date.
* Request documentary evidence regarding any issue.
* Cancel or withdraw this Call for Nominations as a whole or in part.

NB: - Correspondence will be limited to shortlisted candidates.

Further enquiries to be directed to Mr Robert Tshikwama at 0767864253 / 0828601366

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