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UNIVERSITY OF NATAL &

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PIETERMARITZBURG

Graduation / Diploma Ceremony

Faculty of Education

Thursday, 10 April 2003

18h00

St Johnâ\200\231s Diocesan School for Girls Sports Hall

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## THE CHANCELLOR

The Chancellor is an office that goes back to antiquity: the original Chancellor or cancellarius (as the office was known) regulated access to the Roman Tribune. In medieval times, the office became associated with the heads of the writing departments of the early kings. Because so few people were literate, a chancellor was necessarily learned. This is why the heads and spokespersons of the early universities were also accorded the title. More recently, the office has become largely symbolic. The executive head of a university is its vice-chancellor.

Justice Pius Langa is the sixth Chancellor of the University of Natal. His predecessors are : The Honourable D G Shepstone (1949-1966), Dr G G Campbell (1967-1973), Dr B A Armitage (1973-1983), the Honourable R N Leon QC (1983-1992), and Archbishop D E Hurley (1993-1998).

## THE MACE

The Chancellor's Mace is used on ceremonial occasions presided over by the Chancellor and is regarded as the Chancellor's staff of office. It symbolises the University's protection of its Chancellor.

The use of the mace as a symbol of authority has a long history. The head of a copper mace, which apparently dates back to the 12 Century before Christ, has been excavated at Beyce Sultan in Asia. In the early centuries, churchmen who went to war often carried a mace in preference to a sword. On one side of the mace-head was beautifully decorated with the owner's emblem and on the other side was as a large knob which served as a weapon, but was always round as a reminder of church law forbidding the shedding of blood. In the early centuries the mace was a symbol of the king's authority. During the power struggle between the king and the Commons in the 13<sup>th</sup> Century, the king gave the speaker the mace as a symbol of his indemnity against arrest.

The Mace was designed by Mr G H Atkins, senior lecturer in sculpture in the University's Department of Fine Arts. The Mace was made in England, it was first used at the 1970 graduation ceremonies.

## THE ARMORIAL BEARINGS

(see front cover)

The armorial bearings of the University of Natal were awarded by the College of Arms in London.

The two black wildebeest come from the arms of the Province of KwaZulu-Natal, They are shown in full course to symbolise movement and progress. The two open books represent the universal heritage of knowledge and the two centres of the University, Durban and Pietermaritzburg. The five pointed star refers to the naming of Natal by Portuguese navigators when they landed for the first time at Durban on Christmas Day in 1497. Stella Aurorae (star of the dawn) symbolises the role of the University in bringing to light new knowledge and spreading the enlightening influence of education.

## ACADEMIC DRESS

The wearing of gowns by judges, ministers, teachers and scholars is an ancient and significant

ant custom.

When the graduating students at universities receive their diplomas or degrees, they, too (and for some, only once in their lives) wear the caps and gowns and so participate in this long tradition. By wearing the ancient regalia, they join hands with students past and students present.

In modern academic ceremonies the standard cap and gown are almost universally worn. Of all the components of the costume, the hood conveys the greatest amount of information: it makes clear the level of the degree, the faculty in which it was given, and the institution which awarded it.

#### CONVOCATION

After being capped by the Chancellor, each graduate moves across the stage and hands the hood to the

President of Convocation (or representative). The President places the hood upon the graduate's shoulders.

At the end of the ceremony, after the Chancellor's procession has left the stage, the President leads a

procession of the new graduates out of the hall, row by row, to symbolise their acceptance into, and future

membership of, the Convocation of the University of Natal, the statutory body through which graduates have

the opportunity to play a continuing role in the affairs of the University.

## OFFICERS

Chancellor

Vice-Chancellor and Principal

Chairman of Council

Deputy Vice-Chancellor  
(Students and Transformation)

Deputy Vice-Chancellor  
(Research and Development)

Acting Deputy Vice-Chancellor  
(Academic)

Acting Deputy Vice-Chancellor  
(Administration)

Pro Vice-Chancellor  
(Executive Director: NUDF and  
Public Affairs)

Pro Vice-Chancellor  
(Merger and Planning)

Acting Registrar

President of Convocation

The Honourable Justice PN Langa

Deputy Chief Justice of South Africa

Bluris, LLB(Unisa), LLD(honoris causa)(UNIZUL),  
LLD(honoris causa)(CapeTown),

LLD(honoris causa)(UWC)

MW Makgoba  
MBChB(Natal), DPhil(Oxon), FRCP(Lond), FRSSAf, MASSA,  
AMP(INSEAD)

A Rogoff  
CA(S4)

EA Ngara  
BAHons, MPhil, PhD(London)

SS Abdool Karim

MBChB(Natal), MS(Epidem)(Columbia),  
DipDatametrics(CompSc)(Unisa), FFCH(CommMed)(SA),  
MMed(CommHith), PhD(Natal)

HD Schreiner  
PrEng, BScEng, MScEng(Natal), DIC, PhD(London), MSAICE  
MICE

H Staniland  
BAHons, LLB(Natal), LLM, PhD(Southampton)

JD Volmink  
BScHons(UWC), MS, PhD(Cornell)

R Miller  
BAHons, MA, PhD(Witwatersrand)

GJ Trotter  
BAHons(Natal), MA(Duke)

Z Mlisana  
MBChB(Natal), FCPaed(SA4)

Dean of Faculty

Education

T Mwamwenda  
BA(Spicer), MScEd(Suny), MA(Ottawa), PhD(Alberta)

## PROGRAMME

The Academic Procession enters the Hall  
(Fanfare)

The Chancellor constitutes the Congregation

Welcome to Guests  
Professor MW Makgoba  
Vice-Chancellor and Principal

Address  
Students' Representative Council

Presentation of Doctoral Graduand  
Dean of the Faculty

Honorary Graduand  
The Orator presents the Honorary Graduand

Address  
Professor Edith Hildegard Raidt  
BA, BAHons, BEd, MA, PhD (CapeTown)

Musical Interlude  
University of Natal Chorale

Presentation of Graduands and Diplomates  
Dean of the Faculty

The Chancellor dissolves the Congregation

National Anthem  
The Congregation is invited to join in the singing of the National Anthem

The Academic Procession leaves the Hall

The congregation is requested to stand while the procession enters and leaves the Hall  
Only officially authorised persons may take photographs and record videos during the ceremony  
Graduands are requested to remain in the Hall for the duration of the ceremony

Please ensure that cell phones are turned off

Doctor of Philosophy

Lyster, Elda Susan, BA,BAHons Adult Education

Dissertation: Real or Imagined worlds: an analysis of beginner level reading books for Adult Learners in South Africa.

Supervisor: Professor J Aitchison

Doctor of Education (honoris causa)

Raidt, Edith Hildegard, B4, BAHons, BEd,MA,PhD(CapeTown)

Master of Education

Chadwick, Alistair Knighton, BSc, BScHons,MSc(Lundt-Sweden) ..... Adult Education

Dissertation: ~ An exploration of the factors enabling educators to respond effectively to the work environment: Case studies of three participants within the context of a professional development programme for Southern African environmental

educators.

Supervisor: Mr I Baatjies

Dickson, Dennis Collins Selvam, BEG ..... Curriculum Studies

Dissertation: Addressing racism within Curriculum 2005: A case study of Grade 7 Educators at two schools for the visually impaired.

Supervisor: Dr V Wedekind

DoyynsY@ollcenilhelma B cly S cy R S Higher Education

Dissertation: Investigation into the academic performance of students in Bioscience at the University of Natal, Pietermaritzburg, with a particular reference to the Science Foundation Programme Students.

Supervisor: Mrs R Searle

Mathe, Khulekani .... Adult Education

Dissertation: A policy study of the Growth Employment and Redistribution (GEAR) strategy with respect to social development and adult basic education and training

(ABET).

Supervisor: Mr I Baatjies

IRATN UG Y TN e T Ty AT Â© N 7 SO Curriculum Studies

Dissertation: ~ Teachers' perspectives on their roles as Curriculum Developers with in the context of Curriculum 2005 and outcomes based education in 2001.

Supervisor: Dr V Reddy

Ramsaroop, Jeevaloshini, B4(PhysEd)(UDW),BEd,BCom(Unisa) ..... Curriculum Studies

Dissertation: ~ Outcomes Based Education in Practice: A Case Study of Six Educators at a Secondary School in KwaZulu-Natal.

Supervisor: Professor N Muthukrishna

\* Degree awarded cum laude

Bachelor of Education Honours

Badhai, Shoba  
Badrinarain, Sharina  
Bansipersad, Shymela  
Basi, Lucrecia Ntombifuthi  
Bhagwonparsadh, Yudvir  
Bilitane, Zelma Nomalizo  
Binase, Nozibele  
Botty, Joseph Mensah  
Bulala, Konanani Clara  
Buthelezi, [gnatia Nonhlanhla  
Cebekhulu, Angeline Thembelihle  
Chetty, Dhanum  
Chetty, Yugeswari  
Chuene, Kesentseng Adeline  
Cologu, Nosisi Patricia  
Conradie, Edmund  
Cooke, Pauline Judith  
Dandala, Rosanniah Nobahle  
Davey, Brenda Gaye  
Davies, Anita Gillian  
Dewoonarain, Rekha  
Dhlamini, Mapule Belemina  
Dladla, Tholakele Olga  
Dlamini, Beauty Landiwe,  
BATech(PETech)  
Dlamini, Philisiwe Judith  
Dlamini, Renee Thabile Yvonne  
Dlamini, Sifiso Alitha  
Dlamini, Welton Bhekinkosi  
Dubazane, Audrey Nelisiwe  
Dubazane, Daphney Duduzile  
Duma, Ntombifikile Gerty  
Duma, Daphney Busisiwe  
Duma, Nonhlanhla Florence  
Dzeha, Gabriel  
Ernst, Elzien Lolette  
Fuls, Alna Albertha  
Galane, Madimetja Daniel  
Gandini, Ntsundeni Esther  
Gasa, Sindisiwe  
Gobo, Nonqubela  
Goordeen, Umrita Seubajan  
Goosen, Kaylene Deirdre  
Govender, Lutchmee Emmanuel  
Govender, Umitha  
Govender, Roshnimala  
Gqwateka, Nonzwakazi

Gumede, Fidelus Bongani Sithela  
Gumede, Penelope Nonhlanhla  
Gwamanda, Lindiwe Phumelele  
Gxaba, Nobuntu Judith

Hadebe, Nomathemba Elizabeth  
Haripersad, Nishara Parthabsingh  
Hlahu, Ntjaku Ruth

Hlati, Nangamso

Hlatshwayo, Mandla Elijah  
Hlatshwayo, Thulane Hamilton  
Hlongwane, Elphas Lindelihle  
Hlongwane, Khethekile Angeline  
Hlophe, Lungile Beauty  
Holmes, Raymond Fettes  
Ismail-Allie, Rubeina



Jauza, Zandile

Jele, Dolly Buyisiwe

Jordan, Marilyn Megan

Kekana, Shibe Sarah

Keswa, Alfred Mchumani

Kgaphola, Majatladi Alfred

Kgaphola, Makgoale Meriam

Kgoele, Josephine Kili

Khanyile, Fano Abute

Khawula, Zilungile Edith

Khoarai, Nthabiseng Annastasia

Khorommbi, Mbulaheni Solomon

Khoza, Matthews Peter

Khoza, Nkosingiphile Goodness

Khumalo, Catrine Siphiwe

Khumalo, Bhekuyise Henry

Khumalo, Hazel Ruth Sikhona

Khumalo, Linda Heather

Khumalo, Monica Fikile

Khumalo, Princess Dumisile

Khumalo, Robert Zamokwakhe

Khumalo, Zodwa Gladness

Kubeka, Lindiwe Emma

Kubheka, Dumisani Elliot

Kubheka, Hedwig Zibuyile

Kubheka, Richard Dumisani

Kubheka, Vusumuzi Obed

Kumalo, Busisiwe Atria

Kunene, Lettie Vangile

Kutumela, Nomkhinana Emily

Lafuleni, Molly Constance

\* Degree awarded cum laude

Lambert, Gavin Kenneth  
Lambert, Leskin Judith

Lande, Gabula

Ledwaba, Doris Mmaphela  
Lentswana, Meisie Ramolwetsi  
Lepodisi, Kenosi Murriel  
Legela, Relebohile Lucia  
Letshwene, Mamodieh Priscilla  
Lourens, Joanna

Lubisi, Vusumuzi Mfana  
Lukheli, Takalani Michael  
Lukhozi, Thembani Emily  
Luphoko, Jane Susan

Luvuno, Ntombikayise Maureen  
Mabaso, Bongiwe Eugenia  
Mabaso, Zinhle Mavis

Mabitsi, Makopa David  
Mabunda, Wonderboy Elvis  
Madi, Vivian Busisiwe  
Madiba, Mangalani Bernard  
Madlala, Makhosazane Constance  
Madlala, Cedric Jamela  
Madlala, Henry Bhekukwenza  
Madlala, Mzingelwa Goodwill  
Madlala, Thembekile Prudence  
Madondo, Nkosenye Solomon  
Mafifi, Meshack Vusumuzi  
Mafisa, Hlekane Maria  
Magadla, Pumza Patience  
Magidela, Nomalungelo Regina  
Magojo, Sandanezwe Emmanuel  
Magubane, David Mandla  
Mahabeer, Hashiela

Maharaj, Asha

Mahlaba, Anacletha Thandazile  
Mahlangu, Francis Setagnea  
Mahlangu, Rudolph Modise  
Mahlase, Leubane Grace  
Mahlobo, Filson Mhlomiseni  
Majola, Jabulile Ivy

Majozi, Bafana Abednigo  
Majozi, Kholisile Freda  
Makgahlela, Matlale Maria  
Makhanya, Jane Bonakele  
Makhaya, Buyisiwe Gladness  
Makhaye, Thembile Doris  
Makhoba, Angeline Nelisiwe  
Makhombothi, Zilungile Zizile  
Makhubela, Ousie Reginah  
Makhubo, Thobile

Makhubu, Jabulile Sylvia  
Makobela, Kgabo Philipus  
Makuru, Sylvia Selaledi  
Malesa, Joyful Nontobeko  
Malinga, Mathapelo Elinah  
Maluleka, Ouma Christinah  
Mametse, Joseph Matsobane  
Manamela, Phuti Stephen  
Mango, Dumisa Reuben  
Manyako, Raisibe Rosina

Maphakela, Molatelo Grace  
Maphanga, Siphiwe Selby  
Maphothoma, Letswitswa Iris  
Maphumuloe, Catherine Thokozile  
Mapulane, Rasiti Anna  
Maseko, Juliet Alzinah Nomggibelo  
Maseko, Ntombifuthi  
Maseko, Madoda Michael  
Mashala, Mamiki Maria  
Mashego, Thalebotse Robert  
Mashiane, Ephraim Sello  
Mashiane, Maria Mait  
Mashita, Kolobe Petrus  
Masilela, Matty Nomathemba  
Masilela, Kesaiah Rebecca  
Mathebula, Elsie  
Mathonsi, Makoti Sophy  
Mavundla, Gladys Nomasonto  
Mavuso, Themba Lucky  
Mazibuko, Faith  
Mazibuko, Sithembile Cynthia Patricia  
Mazibuko, Sthembela Clement  
Mbasela, Agnes Thulile  
Mbatha, Alice Sibongile  
Mbatha, Petsie Precious  
Mbatha, Thabsile Cynthia  
Mbhombi, Violet  
Mbonani, Annah Bathabile  
Mbongo, Joyce Khumbuzile  
Mbuli, Mthembeni Ezrom  
Mchunu, Sibongile  
Mchunu, Wiseman Sandla  
Mdlalose, Sibongile Ntombiyenkosi  
Glorious  
Madletshe, Nomusa Zinhle Patricia  
Mdunge, Ephraim Kwenzakufani  
Mehlape, Dikeledi Annah  
Memela, Sylvia Tholakele  
Mfino, Patheka  
Mgingqizana, Mabhelandile

Mhatu, Daniel Lunga  
Mhlongo, Johanna Nomakhosi  
Mhlophe, Nokulunga Princess  
Mjwara, Primrose Nolulamo  
Mkhize, Duduzile Matildah  
Mkhize, Makhosazane Sweetbetter  
Mkhize, Sylvia Lucky  
Mkhize, Teresa Thabisile  
Mkhize, Zodwa Thelma  
Mkhondo, Gabisile Martha  
Mkhonto, Princess Ntombithule  
Mkhonza, Jeaneth Sesi  
Mkhuma, Edward Sizwesandile Sibusiso  
Mkhumane, Cynthia Nothando  
Mkhwanazi, Ntombimpela Princess  
Milangeni, Rebecca Ntombifuthi  
Milotshwa, Patricia Nomusa  
Mnguni, Florence Lindiwe Nomsa  
Mnguni, Thembisile Outrinah  
Mntambo, Zodwa Wilhemina  
Moagi, Elizabeth Diseko  
Moeng, Mirriam Makgomo  
Mokgetle, Thoko Josephine  
Mokoena, Kenneth Harold  
Mokoena, Siphiwe Dorothy  
Mokoena, Magnolia Hyacinth  
Scelintethelelo  
Mokoka, Kefiloe Olivia  
Mokwele, Maphuti Francina  
Molefe, Malebo Alice  
Moleko, Supretan Spinare  
Mooketsi, Botshelo Violet  
Moropana, Mavis Raisibe  
Morumudi, Ramokete Calda  
Motha, Duisile Dina Patricia  
Mothijoa, Tsiliso Boniface  
Motolo, Stompie Esther  
Motsielwa, Eunice Dimakatso  
Motsoeneng, Ntombi Cynthia  
Mpanza, Florence Bongive  
Mpumlwana, Ntombozuko Patricia  
Msindwana, Phumla Nomatolo  
Mthalane, Marry-Anne  
Mthembu, Bonginhlanhla Prince  
Mthembu, Gugu Auxilia  
Mthethwa, Johannah Makhaokana  
Mthethwa, Nomalungelo Favourite  
Mthombeni, Tintswalo Eunice

Mitshali, Sibongile Keslina  
Mudzielwana, Nkhumeleni Nelson  
Muleya, Tovhowani Johannah  
Muthala, Mbulungeni Petrus  
Mvubu, Jacqueline Cabangile  
Mwelase, Catherine Thembelihle  
Myende, Pauline Zamekile  
Mzimba, Linda Lorraine

Mzizi, Phezile Hieronyma  
Mzobe, Gladys Nurse

Nakene, Mokgadi Evelyn

Nala, Glenrose Lindiwe  
Nandhlal, Shameen

Ndlela, Sindiswa

Ndlela, Eric Mbuso

Ndlela, Osborne Mvana

Ndlovu, Busisiwe Beauty

Ndlovu, Mbali Yvonne

Ndlovu, Nomvula Rosemary

Ndwandwe, Elizabeth Thembanani

Ndwandwe, Nonhlanhla Annah

Ndwandwe, Rosemary Pinky

Nefefe, Munzhedzi Ivy

Nemando, Maita Robson

Nemungumoni, Livhuwani Collins

Nene, Charity Nobuhle

Netshiheni, Tshimangadzo Selina

Ngcobo, Edward Jabulani

Ngcobo, Nontobeko Cynthia

Ngobese, Sylvia Sthelephi

Ngonyama, Thokozani Nozipho Charity

Ngubane, Bongani Enock

Ngubane, Hlengiwe Immaculate

Ngubane, Phumelele Promise

Ngubane, Rachel Ntombifuthi

Ngubane, Zamabomvu Carol

Ngubeni, Vincent Sibusiso

Ngudle, Nompucuko Cecilia

Ngwenya, Andries Mzwakhe

Ngwenya, Mylet Sibongile

Nhleko, Nompumelelo Gloria

Njobe, Rosewita Nomakholwa

Nkoana, Catherine Ramaesela

Nkomo, Mthandeki Kleinbooi

Nkosi, Nompumelelo S'Mangele

NKkosi, Sibongile Margaret

Nkosi, Tabita Khanysile Esmeralda

Nkumane, Vusumuzi Richard

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Nodada, Precious Lindiswa  
Nomgca, Nomveliso

Nondula, Thobeka

Nowbath, Ranuka

Nsibande, Khombisile Agrinneth  
Ntombela, Busisiwe Elizabeth  
Ntombela, Nelisiwe Yvonne  
Ntombela, Precious Nobuhle Zothando  
Ntombela, Tholakele

Ntondini, Nomvulo

Ntsaluba, Nolutando  
Ntshangase, Prudence Nonhlanhla  
Ntshiza, Nompumelelo Eunice  
Ntuli, Nobantu

Nxele, Lillian Edna Duduzile  
Nxumalo, Fikile Regina Sybil  
Nxumalo, Nicholas Velile, BA  
Nxumalo, Virginia Zodwa  
Nxumalo, Winnie Thobisile  
Nyandeni, Pauline Nokwazi  
Nzama, Silvia Duduzile  
Nzimande, Fikelephi Idah  
Nzimande, Tholakele Pinkrose  
Pelwan, Shehnaaz

Perumal, Jagatheesan

Petse, Ndileka Fezeka

Phakathi, Mumsy Monica  
Phakathi, Nelisiwe Eunice  
Phewa, Thembile Purity  
Pienaar, Johanna Cathrina Elizabeth  
Radebe, Precious

Radebe, Thokozani Ephraim  
Ramahala, Matodzi Nancy  
Ramjan, Saeeda

Ramorobi, Nonzwakazi Hectorine  
Ramsaroop, Kamini, B4  
Rapola, Mokgadi Joyce  
Rasithithi, Mashudu Edwin  
Reddy, Selvanagie  
Rembuluwani, Shumani Sylvia  
Sabela, Debora Zanele

Sayed, Kathija Begum

Sebola, Kholofelo Doris  
Sedoaba, Collen

Seete, Francina

Selapyane, Muita Bernard  
Sempe, Radiipone Nathaniel

Seshea, Appolonia Ntebohelong  
Shabalala, Thembisile Mildred  
Shange, Desideria Mbali  
Shelembe, Busisiwe Ntombifikile  
Shepherd, Beverley Joan  
Shoba, Ntombi Johanna

Shongwe, Jabulile Linah  
Sibanyoni, Betty Mantombi  
Sibiya, Octavia Sibongile  
Sididzha, Maria Patricia  
Sigwili, Nomazwi

Sihlali, Mamalope Bellina Mary  
Sikhosana, Vuyisile Yvonne  
Simelane, Nomusa Mevia  
Simelane, Phakamisile Olive  
Sinthumule, Thivhafuni Grace  
Sipika, Xoliswa Gloria

Skiti, Nomahlubi Elsina  
Skosana, Ntombi Lettie  
Sokhela, Celani Edister  
Sokhela, Khanyisile Lessiah  
Sokhela, Thamsanga Protus  
Somhlahlo, Michael Mbeko  
Sontshatsha, Nozibele

Sutu, Gloria Nokutula

Takalo, Mathabathe Monica  
Thabede, Khonzindaba Ephraim  
Thubane, Thulani Rebecca  
Tlomatsana, Buhle Ivy  
Tongwane, Mamoriri Linah  
Tshishonga, Mukondeleli Patience  
Tshitimbi, Ndifelani Lorraine  
Tswaedi, Moleboge Sanni  
Tswidi, Motshedisi Stephina  
Van Niekerk, Hendrik Johannes  
Vather, Aryamala

Waja, Roquiya

Waters, Rosalinda Esther  
Watkins, Patrick Ernest

Xaba, Alfred Mdelwa

Ximba, Victoria Success Phumelele  
Zantsi, Ntombelanga

Zembe, Sonwabile Wellington  
Zikhali, Nokwazi Julia

Zondi, Eunice Bongekile  
Zondi, Girlie Rachel

\* Degree awarded cum laude

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Zondi, Nonhlanhla Patricia  
Zondi, Nompumelelo Thandekile  
Zondi, Phumelele Pearl

Zondi, Sindisiwe Doreen

Zondi, Sconey Daisy Deliwe  
Zondo, Jabulile Constance  
Zondo, Qiniso Geoffrey

Zulu, Bonisiwe Nobuhle

Zulu, Dumisani Stanley  
Zuma, Thulile Sarah  
Zwane, Fikile Witness  
Zwane, Ntombi Lessiah  
Zwane, Sibongile Mabel  
Zwane, Thabile Mirriam  
Zwane, Zanele Beatrice

Postgraduate Diploma in Higher Education

Harries, Catherine Sara, BSc(Natal), MMedSc(Pharmacol) (UDW)

Postgraduate Certificate in Education

Adamson, Julie, BSc

Badenhorst, Carol, BCom

Bircher, Heather Ruth

Boyd, Kim Jennifer, BAFA

Breeds, Sarah Elizabeth, BA

Capper, Jason David

Carlyle Mitchell, Tanya

Charlesworth, Mark Thomas

Coppin, Colleen, BA

Dogan, Galit, BSocSc(MediaComm)

Dyson, Jean Elizabeth, BA, BAHons

Grobler, Lelanie Anna, BSocSc

Gurahoo, Rowena

Hebrard, Monique Lisa Edna

Kau, Sello Edgar, MTh

Kelmanson, Emma Jane

Keough, Catherine Grace, BScAgric

Khumalo, Mhlengi, BA



Kisten, Kesavan, BThHons,MA

Lee, Denise Alison

Lee, Tracy Anne, BA

Lewis, Jeevanayagie Shaku

Liesching, Tanya

Maipath, Melanie, B4

Meban, Elaine Denise,  
BSocPol,BAHons(Unisa)

Mills, Kerri-Lyn, BA

Mkhonza, Bongani Wisdom

Moonia, Ravinesh

Mthembu, Msqwenkosi Maxwell

Naicker, Diandree

Naidoo, Ramona

Naidu, Strini Loganathan

Niehaus, Cynthia Lorraine

Peterson, Nicole Beverly, BSocSc

Pletts, Didi

Ponsford, Vanessa Jane,  
BSc,BScHons(Biochem)

Pyke, Deborah Ann,  
BA(Unisa),BAHons(Psych)

Reich, Charlene Wendy

Richmond, Jacqueline, B4

Romeril, Bernice Claire, BA(Unisa)

Sangster, Philippa Jane, BSocSc

Scholtz, Paul Petrus Phillipus,  
BTech(NATTEK)

Schuermans, Jean Kayigire Hubert Anne,  
BSc

Simpson, Nicola Jane

Singh, Nishani, BSc

Smith, Bradford Traherne

Takis, Marion Nicolette,  
BA,BSocScHons(Psych)

Taylor, Deborah Leigh, BA

Van Der Schyff, Lies] Marie

Webster, Robert Mervyn, BScAgricHons

Wills, Bronwyn Elizabeth,  
BA,BAHons(FineArt)

Wright, Laura-Jo, BA,BAHons

Zungu, Phelelani Thamsanga Christian,  
BSc

# Certificate awarded with distinction

CONFERMENT OF THE DEGREE OF  
DOCTOR OF EDUCATION  
honoris causa upon

EDITH HILDEGARD RAIDT

Professor Raidt was born in Ellwangen, Germany but has studied and taught in South Africa since 1954. She has had a distinguished career as an academic first at the University of Cape Town and then at the University of the Witwatersrand, of which she is now an Emeritus Professor and Honorary Professional Research Fellow.

Professor Raidt has an impressive publication record in the areas of historical linguistics and Afrikaans literature and language, having published six books and over 80 articles, as well as educational publications and study guides. She has also held many editorships of journals in this field. One of her books, *Afrikaans en sy Europese Verlede*, first published in 1971, remains to this day the most thorough and authoritative account of the history of Afrikaans.

While excelling in this area of specialisation Professor Raidt is also highly regarded for her contributions to another important discipline - Ethics and Business Management. In 1993 she co-founded an international, accredited journal, *PRAXIS: Journal for Christian Business Management*, of which she is the Editor. She has written and lectured extensively on Christian Business Management both at home and abroad and has earned worldwide respect as a leader in this field.

Professor Raidt was a driving force in promoting the first Catholic University of Southern Africa, which was opened in 1999 as St Augustine College of South Africa. She became the first Vice-Chancellor and Chief Executive Officer. Under her leadership, St Augustine College, which currently offers degrees at Master and PhD levels, is already beginning to make a mark as a leading academic institution.

Professor Raidt is a distinguished academic who has dedicated her life to the pursuit of knowledge and scholarship, the promotion of academic values and the building of the new South Africa. The University of Natal honours her for excellence in the enhancement of academic learning and in promoting the progress of human society.

A professional video recording of this entire ceremony will be available from the University's Audio Visual Centre.

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## A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NATAL

### Early Days

Natal University College – the forerunner of the University of Natal – opened its doors in Pietermaritzburg in 1910 with eight professors and 57 students. Lectures in Classics, English and Philosophy, Law, Modern Languages, Botany and Geology, Chemistry and Physics, Mathematics and Zoology were held at various venues throughout the city, including Maritzburg College, the Natal Museum building and the City Hall.

In August 1912, Old Main Building (built on 16 hectares of land donated by the Pietermaritzburg Corporation) was opened and the core of the present-day Pietermaritzburg campus was established.

In 1923, NUC extended its tuition to Durban with university-level courses in Commerce and Engineering being offered at the Technical College. In 1928, NUC took over full responsibility for university classes in Durban. A generous donation by Mr T B Davis, whose son, Howard Davis, had been killed during the battle of the Somme in World War I, facilitated the building of Howard College on 20 hectares of land on the Berea, which formed the core of a separate campus in Durban. Howard College was formally opened in 1931.

Largely through the efforts of Fabian Socialist Dr Mabel Palmer, separate classes for 19 black education students at NUC were introduced in Durban in 1936. This number grew to nearly 900 by 1960. However, as in the case of the University's Medical School, founded for black students in 1951, classes still reflected the segregated nature of South Africa under apartheid.

### Multi campus system

In 1953, the administrative control of the University was moved from Pietermaritzburg to Durban. In response to mounting travelling costs, the two centres were academically separated in 1973. Recent restructuring has occasioned the re-merging of some faculties, with the establishment of university-wide single faculties of Engineering, Education and Law. At both centres, departments have been replaced by multi-disciplinary schools of cognate disciplines. With the incorporation of Edgewood College of Education in 2001, the University acquired another campus in Pinetown, while the Medical School, which was renamed The Nelson R. Mandela School of Medicine in 2000, constitutes a fourth campus.

### Leadership

The University of Natal is fortunate to boast among its past vice-chancellors and principals some exceptional leaders. Its first principal, Professor John Bews (1930–38), was a world-renowned botanist, while Dr E G Malherbe (1945–65) was known internationally as an educationalist. They were followed by Professor Owen Horwood (1966–70), Professor Francis Stock (1970–77), Professor N D Clarence (1977–84), Professor Piet de V Booyesen (1984–91) and Professor James Leatt (1991–93). South Africa's first female Vice-Chancellor, Brenda Gourley, served the University of Natal from 1993 to 2001. The present incumbent, Professor Malegapuru Makgoba, is an internationally-recognised Molecular Immunologist and a graduate of the University of Natal's Medical School. Chancellors have also been distinguished figures, not least the present Chancellor, Justice Pius Langa, and the recently-retired Archbishop Denis Hurley.

### The Struggle for Autonomy

A government ruling that the Medical School should be closed to white undergraduates was the

e first major inroad into the University's freedom to determine its own admissions criteria. In 1957, this was threatened further by a Bill that provided for the removal of the Medical School from the University's control, and the exclusion of non-white students from the University's other Faculties. Academic staff at the Medical School resolved to resign en masse if the Bill was enacted. As a result, the government withdrew the proposal to remove the Medical School from the University's control.

The government's Extension of University Act of 1959 limited new enrolments, other than those at Medical School, to whites only and thwarted the University's aspirations to serve the educational needs of broader society. Although NUC was granted full university status in 1949, it was not until 1983, when the University circumvented the government's racial admission "quotas" by an appeal to the High Court, that the University could attempt to meet its responsibility to serve the educational needs of the broader community.

The University today  
Today, the University of Natal has approximately 27 500 students who represent all sectors of South African society.

The University is known as a centre of excellence in Africa, is one of South Africa's top research institutions, and has links with hundreds of international institutions. The University has led the way in the establishment of a number of multidisciplinary innovations such as the Centre for Ethics, the Leadership Centre, a School of Maritime Studies, the Centre for Entrepreneurship and the Centre for Civil Society.

The University is also committed to community-based education and service learning. In keeping with its mission to be a socially-responsive institution, significant research is being conducted in many sectors of the University into issues such as HIV/AIDS.

The University has, over the course of time, built an impressive reputation as an institution of high academic standing. It has shown itself over time to be capable of adapting to a changing context and responding to the needs of the region. It is a mission that the University intends to fulfil with even greater efficacy as it engages with the opportunities presented by the intended merger with the University of Durban-Westville.



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# NATIONAL ANTHEM

Nkosi sikelelâ\200\235 iAfrika  
Maluphakanyiswâ\200\231 uphondo lwayo  
Yizwa imithandazo yethu

Nkosi sikelela

Thina lusapholwayo.

Morena boloka  
Setjhaba saheso  
Ofedise dintwa lematshwenyeho.

O se boloke, O se boloke  
Setjhaba saheso

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.

# GAUDEAMUS IGITUR

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

Ubi sunt qui ante nos in mundo fuere?  
Ubi sunt qui ante nos in mundo fuere?  
Vadite ad superos, transite ad inferos,  
Ubi jam fuere, ubi jam fuere.

Vita nostra brevis est, brevi finietur;  
Vita nostra brevis est, brevi finietur;  
Venit mors velociter, rapit nos atrociter,  
Nemini parcetur, nemini parcetur.

Vivat Academia, vivant Professores,  
Vivat Academia, vivant Professores,  
Vivat membrum quodlibet,

vivant membra quaelibet,

Semper sint in flore, semper sint in flore.

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