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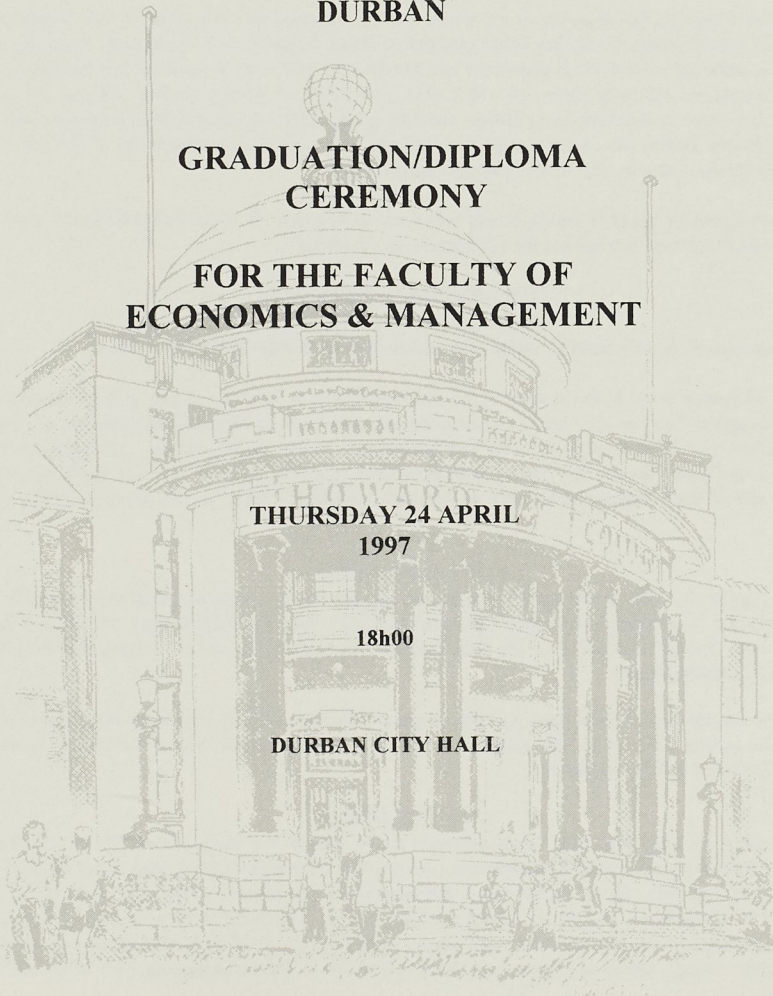
GRADUATION/DIPLOMA  
CEREMONY

FOR THE FACULTY OF  
ECONOMICS & MANAGEMENT

THURSDAY 24 APRIL  
1997

18h00

DURBAN CITY HALL



# ERRATA IN GRADUATION PROGRAMME ON 24 APRIL 1997

## BCom NOT COMPLETE

Thushen Agambaram

Govender

OMITTED	BCom(Hons)	Khumalo	Gideon Mandlenkosi
absent	BCom(Hons)	Takacs	Dominic Steven
OMITTED	BCom	Hlatshwayo	Eric Musa
fix Zamokuhle	BCom	Majola	Zamokuhle Mamqoba
fix Mbongeleni	BCom	Mgwaba	Mbongeleni Thembalihle
fix Thagaraj	BCom	Naicker	Thagaraj
OMITTED	BCom	Singh	Sohana Rakhee
OMITTED	PgDipIR	Jiyane	Ntokozo Velile
OMITTED	PgDipPersMan	Nhlapo	Dumisani Mdabu
accents	BCom	Grobler	Emile Roche H
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## OFFICERS

**Chancellor** The most Reverend D E Hurley, *OMI, DD*  
Archbishop Emeritus of Durban  
*PhL (Rome), STL (Rome)*

**Vice-Chancellor and Principal** B M Gourley  
*CTA (Witwatersrand), MBL (Unisa), CA (SA)*

**Chairman of Council** A Rogoff  
*CA (SA)*

**Deputy Vice-Chancellor and  
Durban Principal** A C Bawa  
*BSc (Hons)(Natal), MSc(UDW), PhD (Durham)*

**Deputy Vice-Chancellor  
Planning and Resources** E Ngara  
*BA(Hons), MPhil, PhD (London)*

**Deputy Vice-Chancellor and  
Pietermaritzburg Principal** D A Maughan Brown  
*BA (Cape Town), MA (Cantab), DPhil (Sussex)*

**Pro Vice-Principal  
Durban** P M Zulu  
*BA (Hons), PhD*

**Registrar** G J Trotter  
*BA (Hons), MA (Duke)*

**Convocation Representative** M J Dubois  
*BA (Hons), LL.M*

**Orator** M E McMurtry  
*BA (Hons), MA, PhD*

## Dean: Faculty of Economics & Management

A B Lumby *B Com (Hons) (Witwatersrand), PhD (Natal)*



## THE CHANCELLOR

"Chancellor" is an office that goes back to Antiquity: the original *cancellarius* 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 automatically learned. This explains why the heads and spokesmen 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.

Archbishop Hurley is the fifth Chancellor of the University of Natal. His predecessors were: The Honourable D G Shepstone (1949-1966), Dr G G Campbell (1967-1973), Dr B A Armitage (1973-1983), and the Honourable R N Leon QC (1983-1992).

## THE MACE

The Chancellor's Mace, generally referred to as "the 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 12th 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. One side of the mace-head was beautifully decorated with the owner's emblem and on the other side was a large knob which served as a weapon, and was always round so that the church law never to shed blood was always carefully observed! 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 13th 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, was made in England and 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 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 impressive custom. When the graduating students at universities receive their diplomas or degrees, they, too, (and perhaps, for some, only this once in their lives), wear the caps and gowns of this long tradition. By wearing the ancient regalia, they hold hands with ~~students past and students present~~.

In modern times 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 to the President of Convocation or his representative a hood incorporating colours that indicate the degree being awarded and the Faculty in which it is being awarded. The President places the hood upon the graduate's shoulders, and, at the end of the ceremony, after the Chancellor's procession has left the stage, 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 part in the affairs of the University.



## **PROGRAMME**

**The Academic Procession enters the Hall**

**The Chancellor Constitutes the Congregation**

**Welcome to Guests**

The Vice-Chancellor and University Principal

**Address**

The President of the Students Representative Council

**Award of Honorary Degree**

The Orator will present the Honorary Graduand

ALEXANDER ERWIN

**Address**

Dr Alexander Erwin

**Musical Interlude**

*"I'm beginning to see the light" (James, Ellington, Hodges & George)*

NU VOICES.....Directed by Mageshen Naidoo

with

Simon Bates, Bronwyn Forbay, Paul Kock, Janice Laurie, Xolisile Nkosi,  
Naomi Pearl, Kenny Qualaza, Bojana Ristic, Natalie Rungan, Paul van Zyl

**Presentation of Graduands and Diplomates**

The Dean

**The Chancellor dissolves the Congregation**

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

**The Academic Procession leaves the Hall followed by the Convocation Procession**

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***The congregation is requested to stand while the academic procession enters and leaves the hall and to remain seated until the conclusion of the ceremony***

***Only officially authorised persons may take photographs during the ceremony***

***Cell Phones must be switched off during the ceremony***

**Refreshments will be served in the first floor Gallery above the main entrance facing Francis Farewell Square at the conclusion of the ceremony**

## Honorary Graduand

**Erwin, Alexander, *BEcon (Hons)***

### Master of Commerce

	<i>Discipline</i>
<b>Gouws, André Renier, <i>BCom</i></b> .....	Economics
Dissertation: An analysis of export support measures with special reference to South Africa and the impact of the General Export Incentive Scheme (Professor M Holden)	

<b>Mashinini, Sandra Ellen, <i>BCom (Hons)</i></b> .....	Industrial & Labour Studies
Dissertation: Will the implementation of a competency-based management approach assist in the achievement of a flexible organisation ? (Professor A Sitas)	

### Master of Accountancy

	<i>Discipline</i>
<b>°Mitchell, Lindsay David, <i>BCom, CA(SA)</i></b> .....	Accounting
Dissertation: A critical analysis of the income tax implications of taxpayers investing in various kinds of investments available in the Republic of South Africa (Professor R Jacobson)	

<b>Peters, Linda Dawn, <i>BCom, CA(SA)</i></b> .....	Accounting
Dissertation: Segment reporting and trade unions in South Africa (Professor R D C Jackson)	

<b>Stein, Michael Leslie, <i>CTA, Ad Dip Tax (Cape Town)</i></b> .....	Accounting
Dissertation: A critical commentary on and analysis of amending fiscal legislation promulgated in SA during 1994, 1995 & 1996 affecting income tax & estate duty and certain other taxes (Professor L D Mitchell)	

° degree awarded *cum laude*

### Bachelor of Commerce (Honours)

	<i>Discipline</i>
<b>Browne, Christopher Maxwell, <i>BSc (London)</i></b> .....	Economics
<b>Cansfield, Justin James, <i>BCom</i></b> .....	Business Information Systems
<b>Dallas, Bruce Ryan, <i>BCom</i></b> .....	Marketing
<b>Dias, Rosa Maria Leite, <i>BCom</i></b> .....	Economics
<b>Eerenstein, Andre Roberto Enrico, <i>BCom</i></b> .....	Economics
<b>Fourie, Erica, <i>BCom</i></b> .....	Economics
<b>Gibson, Louise, <i>BCom</i></b> .....	Business Information Systems
<b>Goosen, Jodi, <i>BCom</i></b> .....	Business Administration
<b>Govenden, Rama, <i>BSc (Unisa)</i></b> .....	Industrial Relations
<b>Monteiro, Miguel Rodrigues, <i>BCom</i></b> .....	Marketing
<b>Pepper III, Ennis Barr, <i>BCom</i></b> .....	Marketing



<b>Rampete</b> , Nomfundo, <i>BCom</i> .....	<i>Discipline</i>
<b>Roper</b> , Lewis Alexander, <i>BCom</i> .....	Economics
<b>Ross</b> , Veronica Marion, <i>BCom</i> .....	Marketing
<b>Seeburrun</b> , Kiran, <i>BCom</i> .....	Business Administration
<b>Zietsman</b> , Warren Geoffrey, <i>BCom</i> .....	Marketing

### Bachelor of Commerce

<b>Abdulla</b> , Masood	<b>Dharamlall</b> , Lallchand
<b>Adam</b> , Naeem	<b>Dladla</b> , Helen Gugu
<b>Adamjee</b> , Sallim	<b>Dlamini</b> , Ayanda
<b>Airey</b> , Wendy Lynne	<b>Dlongwana</b> , Thomas Phila
<b>Allsop</b> , Timothy Philip	<b>Docrat</b> , Farhanah
<b>Angamuthu</b> , Sodhimani	<b>Doherty-Bigara</b> , Jean-Pierre
<b>April</b> , Sibongiseni Simangele	<b>Dumisa</b> , Mandlenkosi Menzi
<b>Asmal</b> , Aadila	<b>Edelstein</b> , Eric Morris
<b>Asmal</b> , Shahana	<b>Essop</b> , Zubair
<b>Avellini</b> , Domenico Roberto	<b>Ewer</b> , Kevin Edward
<b>Becker</b> , Peter Erich Nicholas	<b>Fareed</b> , Shabnum
<b>Beckley</b> , Kurt	<b>Figg</b> , Janitha Lauren
<b>Bhoola</b> , Hitesh Narotam	<b>Fourie</b> , Liezel
<b>Bijou</b> , Nivan	<b>Gardner</b> , Susan Linda
<b>Blackmore</b> , Warren Paul	<b>Garrioch</b> , Daniel Francis
<b>Blose</b> , Sibusiso Magnificent	<b>Geeanpersadh</b> , Praveck
<b>Boki</b> , Sithembile	<b>George</b> , Susan Jane
<b>Bolton</b> , Karen Jane	<b>Gosai</b> , Mitesh
<b>Brazier</b> , Mark Lionel	<b>Gounden</b> , Logandree
<b>Butt</b> , Charlton Kenneth	<b>Govender</b> , Loginie
<b>Cele</b> , Nobuhle Amanda Jabulisile	<b>Govender</b> , Rojesperi
<b>Cele</b> , Patson Simphiwe	<b>Govender</b> , Thushen Agambaram
<b>Chetty</b> , Logeshim	<b>Govender</b> , Vernon
<b>Chi</b> , Mei-Tso	<b>Greig</b> , Carolyn Anne
<b>Chili</b> , Sifiso Goodenough	<b>Greyling</b> , Quentin
<b>Clarke</b> , Heather Lynn	<b>Grobler</b> , Emile Roche
<b>Classen</b> , Catharina Elizabeth	<b>Gumbi</b> , Charles Themba
<b>Coetzee</b> , Jan Hendrik Wilmans	<b>Gumbi</b> , Gugulethu Patricia
<b>Cracknell</b> , Steven Wallace	<b>Gumede</b> , Dumisani Desmond
<b>Crutchley</b> , Christopher Bruce	<b>Gupta</b> , Varun
<b>Davies</b> , Mark Thomas	<b>Haffajee</b> , Muhammad
<b>da Silva</b> , Carlos Manuel Martins	<b>Hall</b> , Colin Graham
<b>Davis</b> , Gregory John Winford	<b>Hamid</b> , Shabnam
<b>Deane</b> , Nicola	<b>Harcourt</b> , Matthew Richard
<b>De Gryse</b> , Paul	<b>Harkoo</b> , Janitha
<b>de Oliveira</b> , Carlo Jorge Matias	<b>Hart</b> , Shaun Antony
<b>Deonarain</b> , Danjay Jairaj	<b>Henn</b> , Peter
<b>Desai</b> , Kiran Natverlal	<b>Hickman</b> , Bruce Vivian, <i>BSocSc</i>
<b>Desplace</b> , Marc Robert	<i>(Hons), LLB</i>

**Hicks**, Timothy Peter  
**Hsu**, Chuan-Chuan  
**Hubbard**, Greig Morton  
**Hurrienarain**, Avin  
**Ismail**, Fawzia  
**Jagan** Govan, Prithi  
**Jansen**, Calvin  
**Jeena**, Bonita Keesore  
**Jenkins**, Andrea Louvain  
**Jonquier**, Giselle Louise  
**Jugdeo**, Priya  
**Kadwa**, Jameel Ismail  
**Kajee**, Razia Farouk  
**Kamwendo**, Mary  
**Karim**, Raeesa  
**Kemp**, Gina Lynne  
**Khan**, Shaeen  
**Kharwa**, Salma Essop  
**King**, Garth MacGregar  
**King**, Vincent Raymond  
**Kissun**, Nival Rabichand  
**Knox**, Graeme Hugh  
**Koobair**, Theodore  
**Korycka**, Katarzyna Maria Magdalena  
**Kreutzner**, Branden Robert  
**Kuzwayo**, Mzamo Clement  
**Lalla**, Natasha  
**Langeni**, Phumzile  
 \***Leenstra**, Marc  
**Lincoln**, Cyril Henry Jean  
**Lockhat**, Zarina Ahmed  
**Lunn**, Gary John  
**Lyes**, Paul Andrew  
**Mabaso**, NkosiyePhana Jerome  
**Macartan**, Catherine Mary  
**Mackie**, Lorna Maude  
**Maharaj**, Akash  
**Maharaj**, Neridha  
**Maharaj**, Raksha  
**Maharaj**, Shaneel  
**Mahlambi**, Musawenkosi Gift  
**Maistry**, Kubeshnee  
**Majola**, Zamokhule Mamqoba  
**Maleka**, Dakela Joseph  
**Marescia**, Brandon Trevor  
**Martin**, William Alexander  
**Mathur**, Amit  
**Matthews**, Kim Linda

**Mbambo**, Xolani Frederick  
**Mbhele**, Mlungisi  
**Mbuyazi**, Thobani Casper  
**Mgidi**, Moses Steven  
**Mgwaba**, Mbongleni Thembalihle  
**Mistrey**, Barka  
**Mohamudbucus**, Zaheer  
**Monahadi**, Ntsoaki Euphemia  
**Mongwaketsi**, Tsepo Aubrey  
**Monty**, Michael Peter  
**Moodley**, Navenderi  
**Moola**, Naseema  
**Moolla**, Nafisa  
**Moonasur**, Nerashni  
**Morty**, Andrew David  
**Mosheshe**, Roland Mothusi Jacob  
**Mosikatsana**, Tshepiso Lerato  
**Motaung**, Kefentse Benedict  
**Mpolokeng**, Tebogo Thembekile  
**Msindo**, Edwin Rhulani  
**Msomi**, Thembelihle  
**Mtombeni**, Nontobeko Sanelisiwe  
**Mtshontshi**, Pinkie Ziyanda  
**Mudaly**, Paroshni  
**Munro**, Andrew Howard  
**Munu**, Dinesh  
**Mwandla**, Andile Stella  
**Myeni**, Wiseman Bellingham Wanda  
**Myeza**, Nompumelelo Inez  
**Naicker**, Deenadayalan  
**Naicker**, Dhanasagree  
**Naicker**, Serashini  
**Naicker**, Thagara  
**Naidoo**, Brindha  
**Naidoo**, Devan  
**Naidoo**, Gonaselan Parasuramen  
**Naidoo**, Sarojanie  
**Naidoo**, Sundragasen  
**Naidoo**, Vinay  
**Naidu**, Thiruvashani  
**Ngqola**, Bongani Samuel  
**Nkosi**, Sizwe Mfundo Sydney  
**Norton**, Andrew David  
**Norton**, Brigitta Margaret  
**Ntuli**, Bongiwe  
**Nupponen**, Antti Tapani  
**Osman**, Muhammad Taahir  
**Parkin**, Shaun Mark



**Penn, Justin Brett**  
**Perumal, Jessecca**  
**Perumal, Michele**  
**Pieterse, Bianca Adele**  
**Pillay, Devika**  
**Pillay, Melanie**  
**Pillay, Rodney Michael**  
**Pillay, Samendran**  
**Prange, Eric**  
**Premlall, Ranesh**  
**Pretorius, Katherine Louise**  
**Prevost de Langristin, Natasha**  
**Qwabe, Bheki Thulani**  
**Qwabe, Mkhumbuleni Thuthukani**  
**Justice**  
**Raffinetti, Marco**  
**Raidoo, Neeroshine**  
**Ramadene, Shameen**  
**Ramchurran, Nerisha**  
**Ramdial, Lavisha**  
**Ramlagan, Shresthi**  
**Ramluckan, Aveena**  
**Ramsaroop, Yudesthra**  
**Reddy, Louise Anne**  
**♦Redman, Shannon Lee**  
**Rees, Bryon Powell**  
**Roopanand, Rahul**  
**Salmon, Matthew Robert**  
**Sandham, Lewis Eric**  
**Sandri, Claudio**  
**Saunders, Claire Elizabeth**  
**Schmolmuller, Fiona Deborah**  
**Scott, Gary**  
**Sekokope, Lucas Makgamatha**  
**Sekwele, David**  
**Sewdutt, Suresh**  
**Shaik, Fazila**  
**Shangase, Sibusiso Percy**  
**Shaw, John Paul Huntly**  
**Shozi, Peacemaker Vukile**  
**Shusha, Favourite Makhosi**  
**Simamane, Silindile Mbaliyethu**  
**Singh, Saan**  
**Singh, Sharita**  
**Singh, Sunita**

**Singh, Ulisha**  
**Sishi, Zenzile**  
**Sithole, Siphamandla Blessing**  
**Sithole, Welcome**  
**Sitlu, Viranna**  
**Slabbert, Julie**  
**Smeeton, Timothy**  
**Smith, Deidre` Angela**  
**Spetsiotis, Nicolas**  
**Spicer, Mark Allan**  
**Spinola, Mafalda Patricia Perestrelo**  
**Stephanou, Anthony Theo**  
**Stoffels, Dean Ross**  
**Suleman, Asima**  
**Suliman, Yasmeen**  
**Sultan, Muhammad Akram**  
**Summers, David Alexander**  
**Symmons, David Anthony Thomas**  
**Taylor, Raoul Jonathan**  
**Taylor, Zarina Begum**  
**Thekiso, Pearl**  
**Timber, Godfrey Ernest**  
**Timol, Somayya**  
**Tirrell, Steven Mark Harborne**  
**Topp, Ian James**  
**Traill, Cameron Charles Milburn**  
**Triani, Riccardo Simon**  
**Tullock, Elsie**  
**van Niekerk, Charene**  
**van Rensburg, Grant Clive**  
**Vayej, Mohammed Zunaid**  
**Vilakazi, Siyakhula**  
**Viljoen, David Graeme**  
**Viljoen, Noleen Lynn**  
**°Vowles, Jayson Ian**  
**Wayne, Brett John**  
**Welman, Sarah Nicolette**  
**Whitfield, Greig Kevin**  
**Whittingham, Beverly Michele**  
**Wishart, Tammy Lee**  
**Woodburn, Helen Elizabeth**  
**Wormald, Bruce Thomas Croft**  
**Zimu, Dean Wandile**  
**Zulu, Phumelele Cynthia**  
**Zulu, Thulisile Octavia**

° degree awarded *cum laude*  
 ♦ degree awarded *summa cum laude*

## Postgraduate Diploma in Industrial Relations

**Dlamini**, Benedicta Aquinetta  
Nomfundo, *BA (UDW)*  
**Dlamini**, Mfanafuthi James, *BA*  
**Khathi**, Sibongiseni Phiwihlanhla, *BA (UZ)*  
**Kunene**, Simphiwe Vusumuzi, *BA (UNITRA)*  
**Lebele**, Laura Lerato, *BA*  
**Majoko**, John Matthews, *BProc*  
**Malatji**, Kgagelo Eileen Johannah, *BA (UNIN)*  
**Malthoo**, Raakhee, *BA (UDW)*  
**Mchunu**, Nombuso Irene, *BProc*  
**Mesatywa**, Nomonde, *BProc (UDW)*  
**Mgaga**, Nimrod Bongani, *BA (UZ), BEd (Natal)*  
**Mhlongo**, Maxwell Sibusiso, *BProc*  
**Mmbara**, Ningi, *BProc*  
**Mncube**, Makhosazana Beryl, *BSocSc*  
**Mokoteli**, Napo, *BA (N.U.L)*  
**Moodley**, Preyalin Vasudevan, *BSocSc*

**Motebang**, Likhapha Gloria, *BA (N.U.L)*  
**Msebeni**, Themba Donatus, *BAdmin (UZ)*  
**Mthethwa**, Princess Makhosazane, *BA (UDW)*  
**Mthimunye**, Elmah, *BSocSc*  
**Naidoo**, Nerusha, *BA, LLB*  
**Ndlovu**, Nompumelelo Prescious, *BAdmin (UDW)*  
**Nhlapo**, Dumisani Mdabu, *BA (UZ)*  
**Ntlabati**, Phumelele Zamashuku, *BLuris (Unisa)*  
**Quma**, Mteto Rainwell, *BAdmin (UWC)*  
**Shweni**, Nobuntu Nompilo, *BA (UDW)*  
**Singh**, Shamaladevi, *BA, LLB (UDW)*  
**Skhosana**, Dorcas Velisiwe Thandazile, *BProc*  
**Tshabalala**, Siphwiwe Phillip, *BSocSc*  
**Zama**, Zenith Zenzele, *BA (UDW)*  
**Zulu**, Zanele Audrey, *BA (UDW)*

## Postgraduate Diploma in Management Accounting

**Allison**, Michael Denis Ashton, *BCom*  
**Baker**, Brett Allan, *BCom*  
**Coreejes**, Adrian Wayne, *BCom*  
**Cowan**, Leigh Yvonne, *BCom*  
**Dada**, Ashraf, *BCom*  
**Dähn**, Michael Bernhard, *BCom*  
**Dildar**, Mahomed Salim, *BCom*  
**Dingle**, Bradley Paul, *BCom*  
**Fakude**, Menzi Sabelo Patrick, *BCom*  
**Haley**, John Warwick, *BCom*  
**Hardie**, Richard Charles, *BCom*  
**Lugemwa**, Motseoa Alix-Mary, *BA (N.U.L)*  
**Maharaj**, Deepak Yoogoolkishor, *BCom*

**Marcos**, Korallia, *BCom*  
**Mia**, Osman Mahmood, *BCom*  
**Naidoo**, Manu, *BCom*  
**Nunkoo**, Rishie, *BCom*  
**Palminha**, Ana Elizabeth Castanheira, *BCom*  
**Peter**, Alvin Lloyd, *BCom*  
**Pillay**, Kasenthrie, *BCom*  
**Singh**, Avika, *BCom*  
**Theunissen**, Marieka, *BCom (Pret)*  
**Vahed**, Zeenath, *BCom*  
**Watt**, Andrew Gibson, *BCom*  
**Wood**, Andrew Kingsley Leach, *BCom*

## Postgraduate Diploma in Personnel Management

**Amarasinghe**, Mangalee Tharanga, *BA*  
**Armitage**, Bradley Jon, *BSocSc*  
**Backhouse**, Michael Allan, *MSocSc*

**Chiliza**, Vangeli Newcomen, *BA (Unisa)*  
**Dlomo**, Nokwanda Yoliswa, *BSocSc*



**Jagot**, Firoza, *BSocWk (Unisa)*  
**Kaura**, Roswitha, *BCur*  
**Khan**, Soraya, *BSocSc*  
**Khathali**, Clemencia Palesa, *BSocSc*  
**Khauoe**, Lawrence, *BA (UDW)*  
**Khumalo**, Bhekani Nkuliso, *BA (UZ)*  
**Kunene**, Mirriam Kgatile, *BSocSc*  
**Lephuthing**, Palesa Pearl, *BSocSc (Cape Town)*  
**Mabaso**, Mlungisi Maurice, *BCom (Hons) (UDW)*  
**Mabusela**, Mmalesiba Dorothea, *BA (UDW)*  
**Machi**, Thembisile Sisana Faith-Lynette, *BAdmin (UZ)*  
**Makan**, Heena, *BSocSc*  
**Makhubalo**, Augustine Nceba, *BSc*  
**Marimuthu**, Ugan Thanapal, *BCom*  
**Masondo**, Nhlanhla James, *BPaed (UDW)*  
**Mavundla**, Zanele Queen, *BSocSc*  
**Mbatha**, Stuart Seneliso, *BSocSc*  
**Mbeje**, Arnold Celintethelelo, *BSocSc*  
**Mbonane**, Zakithi, *BSocSc*  
**Memka**, Nontuthuzelo, *BProc (UDW)*  
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CONFERMENT OF THE DEGREE OF  
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*HONORIS CAUSA* UPON  
ALEXANDER ERWIN

Born in Cape Town on 17 January 1948, **Alexander Erwin** grew up in Southern Africa, including Cape Town, Johannesburg, Lusaka, Harare and Mutare, attending various schools and matriculating at Durban High School in 1965. In 1967 he enrolled at the University of Natal, Durban, and completed his B Econ (Hons) in 1970. In his Honours year he assisted the Wages Commission, a project which linked students, academics and workers in the organisation of trade unions. Erwin accepted a post lecturing in economics at Natal University. In 1974 he travelled to the United Kingdom for a year to undertake his own research and study at the Centre for Southern African Studies, York University, where he also lectured. On his return he again lectured at the University of Natal until April 1978, when he began work for the Trade Union Advisory and Co-ordinating Council. Erwin was also involved in the activities of the Institute for Industrial Education, together with noted Natal academics Rick Turner and Eddie Webster, and union organiser Halton Cheadle. This involvement in the union movement stemmed from his interest in economics, his belief that the economic dispensation in South Africa was unjust and his knowledge that unions constituted an effective means of change.

In 1977 discussions began regarding the formation of the Federation of South African Trade Unions (Fosatu), which was launched in 1979. Erwin served as its general secretary from 1979 - 1981, and served on the Fosatu delegation when talks concerning the formation of a larger federation began in 1981. The Congress of South African Trade Unions (Cosatu) was launched in December 1985, and from February 1986 Erwin served as education officer with the task of developing training programmes within Cosatu and its affiliates. At the end of 1987 Erwin became national education secretary of the National Union of Metalworkers of South Africa (Numsa), based in Durban. He also served on the joint Cosatu/United Democratic Front committee dealing with violence. From 1986 onwards, Cosatu initiated a major economic research programme, and Erwin became responsible for co-ordinating this work within the federation. He participated in the economic trends project, a group involving academics and intellectuals concerned with economic policy, serving as the group's link with Cosatu.

Erwin subsequently became involved with the African National Congress's Macro-Economic Research Group, played a leading role on behalf of organised labour in the National Economic Forum, provided input for the ANC's reconstruction and development programme and edited its final policy document. In the first democratic elections in April 1994, Erwin stood as a candidate for the ANC and became a member of parliament. In May he was appointed Deputy Minister of Finance in the government of national unity. At the ANC's Bloemfontein congress held in December 1994, Erwin was elected a member of the organisation's national executive committee.

At present Erwin is President of UNCTAD and is Minister of Trade and Industry. In 1995 he was awarded the Dr Edgar Brookes Award for his outstanding contribution to Human Freedom and Endeavour by the Convocation of the University of Natal. Now, by the award of this honorary doctorate, this University continues to honour Alexander Erwin for his inspirational participation in the transformation of South Africa's economy and society.



## **A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NATAL**

In 1910, partly on the initiative of the Natal Colonial Government, the Natal University College (NUC) in Pietermaritzburg enrolled its first 57 students. A handful of Professors taught in various venues, even in a corrugated iron annexe behind Maritzburg College! In 1912 the Old Main Building at Scottsville opened.

But from the beginning there had been a strong feeling that Durban, too, should have the advantage of tertiary education. Here the Natal Technical College supplied the foundation, though by 1922 NUC had taken over courses in engineering and commerce. In 1932, Howard College was opened on the Durban Berea. Thus was born an abiding feature of the NUC - its dual-based character.

With the dedicated assistance of the Fabian Socialist, Mabel Palmer, classes for so-called "non-europeans" were run by NUC from 1936 onward. Gradually the non-racial character of the institution established itself; though the Medical School, founded in 1951 for African, Indian and "Coloured" students still fitted the segregated pattern of the surrounding society. The National Party Government's University Act of 1959 was a blow to this emergent non-racialism. Overriding all protest, it not only imposed apartheid on the institution but also drew strict limits around the "autonomy" that the NUC had achieved in 1949 as the "University of Natal". Aside from the Medical School, persons of colour were forbidden to enter the University till racial restrictions were partly lifted in 1983. Since then the University has welcomed increasing numbers of black students, whose overall numbers now make up the majority of the student body.

A major step in developing "dualism" was taken in 1952, when Dr E G Malherbe moved the administrative function from Pietermaritzburg to Durban. Departments in the two centres separated in 1973; though when academic expertise is needed, there is still much fruitful interchange between Durban and Pietermaritzburg. Today 10 500 students are in the former centre and 6 000 in the latter. There is a considerable overlap of subjects offered in Humanities, Law, Commerce and Natural Sciences. However, the Durban campus has long been recognised for its Engineering, Architectural and Medical Faculties; while Pietermaritzburg developed its highly regarded Agricultural Faculty.

The University of Natal has been fortunate in having some outstanding men as Principals and Vice-Chancellors. A sign of changing historical times has been the recent appointment of the first woman to achieve this status at a South African university, Professor Brenda Gourley. The largely ceremonial Chancellors, too, have been distinguished, not least the present incumbent, Archbishop Hurley. Among the alumni are people as renowned in their somewhat different fields of endeavour as Alan Paton and Steve Biko; while Honorary Graduates include Roy Campbell, Abdullah Ibrahim and Nelson Mandela.

The old order yields place to the new. Today the University has embarked on a major re-evaluation of its role in future South African Society. This is reflected in its Mission Statement of 1989, which dedicates the University in practical and realistic terms to service of the whole regional community, irrespective of race, sex, colour, creed or nationality. In incorporating development as a key component of its Mission besides teaching and research, the University has declared its commitment to upliftment, but not at the cost of academic standards. The maintenance of these standards is the responsibility the University will have to shoulder in the stirring times that stretch up to the Centenary Year 2010.

## **National Anthem of South Africa**

Nkosi sikelel' iAfrika  
Maluphakanyisw' 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  
We can hear the land rejoicing  
With a voice not heard before  
Let the people of our country  
Live in peace for evermore

## UNIVERSITY ANTHEM

Natale solum canimus  
Cui sol adest faustissimus  
Almamque matrem dicimus  
Aurorae Stellam colimus

*O vivas, in aeternum, vivas,  
Alma mater, quae nos ditas,  
Fove serva protege  
Stella aurorae signum Natale*

Hic juvenes addiscimus  
Ad artes corda ferimus  
Qui domus species sumus,  
Quocumque nos dividimus.

Hinc etsi nos discedimus  
Scottarum rus meminimus  
Ad Umsinduzi tendimus  
Mentesque saltem vertimus.

## 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,  
Vivant membrum quodlibet, vivant membra quaelibet,  
semper sint in flore, semper sint in flore.







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Honorary Graduand  
Aung San Suu Kyi ✓  
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Honorary Graduand  
Mr Alexander Erwin ✓  
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**Friday 25 April 1997 at 18h00**  
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Honorary Graduand  
Professor Ralph Gordon Stanton ✓  
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