



Office of the Principal and Vice Chancellor

23 April 2018

Dear Students

In our meeting earlier today a number of concerns were raised about the late payment of fees by NFSAS, the late registrations and study materials, admissions to the second semester for students who are currently registered for higher certificates and the performance of MyUnisa for the submission of assignments. These concerns affect the commencement of the May/June 2018 examinations.

We resolved in our discussions today as follows:

- Rescheduling of examinations in the first two weeks to be replicated in the last two weeks of the examinations for formal qualifications. This means that all examinations commencing from 7 May 2018 to 18 May 2018 will now also be written from 18 June 2018 to 29 June 2018. All attempts will be made that the extended dates will also be written in the same venues as the initial exams depending on the outcome of the negotiations with venue owners.
- Students who are currently registered for higher certificates e.g., Law and Education will get first preference in the second semester registration. The Vice Chancellor will engage in discussions with the Minister of Higher Education & Training and Council in discussions about qualifications that are already oversubscribed.
- Following the challenges of the performance of My-Unisa on 13 April 2018 and the difficulty of submitting assignments all students will be admitted to the examinations. This means two things: students who have already submitted assignments will gain entry into the examinations based on their year mark and students who could not submit assignments will be admitted to the examination and can still submit the assignments.
- The University will endeavor to make available phones in all regions so that students are able to access the NFSAS offices. On the other hand, the University will request NFSAS to make available a toll-free number for use by students.

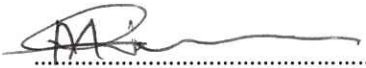

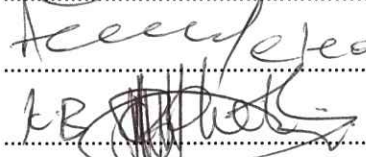

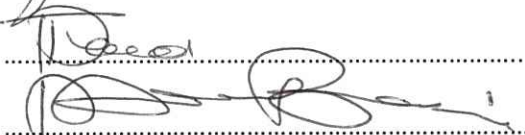



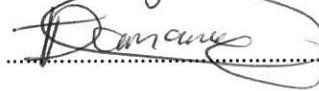
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I trust that these resolutions will go a long way forward in assisting students to prepare for examinations and we wish you well.

Sincerely Yours


Prof MS Makhanya
Principal and Vice Chancellor

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