

**The Mandela Rhodes Community
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invite you to attend our 7th annual

Conversations for Change

“Mandela@100: Promises and paradoxes of reconciliation”

Join us in a critical conversation that will unpack the legacy of Nelson Mandela, who would have turned 100 this year. In 2018, is his vision of reconciliation still possible, 24 years since he became South Africa’s first democratically elected president? Join us as our speakers and you, the audience, grapple with this complex but urgent social dilemma.

DATE: 23 May 2018

TIME: 17h00 for 17h30 until 19h30

VENUE: Howard College Theatre, Howard College Campus, University of KwaZulu-Natal (enter via gate 1 – main entrance)

SPEAKERS:

Makhosi Busisiwe Khoza: newly appointed Executive Director and Head of Local Government Programmes at the Organisation Undoing Tax Abuse (OUTA)

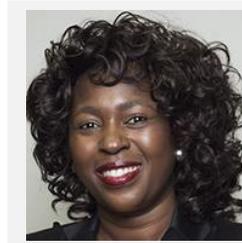
Yaa Ashantewaa K. Archer-Ngidi: Director of the Institute of Afrikology

Lukhona Mnguni: PhD Intern Researcher: Maurice Webb Race Relations Unit: UKZN

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Makhosi Busisiwe Khoza is the newly appointed Executive Director and head of the local government programme at the Organisation Undoing Tax Abuse (OUTA), as of 1 June 2018. She recently announced retirement from politics to work in service of civil society. She is also a former chairperson of the Portfolio Committee on Public Service and Administration as well as the Standing Committee on Public Accounts and Finance in the KZN Legislature and has over 20 years of collective experience at both public and private sector institutions. Makhosi’s previous employers include Standard Bank, Msinsi Holdings, Akani Retirement Fund Administrators and the South African Local Government Association (SALGA) where she was at the helm, as well as Universities of the Witwatersrand Business School and Natal. She holds a PHD in Administration, a Master’s degree in Social Science (Policy and Development Studies) and is a fellow at the Aspen Global Leadership Institute. Makhosi is currently studying towards a Master’s degree in Finance at the University of London. Her achievements include groundbreaking research culminating in a textbook that unpacks the logic and sophistication of indigenous languages. Using South Africa’s lingua franca Zulu as an example, she has proven the consistency of Zulu with mathematical formulas and science principles. Makhosi has since created a language order called UZALO (Ubuntu Zulu Alphabetical Logic Order) comprising of a 12-noun cluster system which drives the construction of meaningful sentences.



Yaa-Ashantewaa K Archer-Ngidi is a facilitator, motivational speaker, Afrikan history educator and lecturer. She has had several international training/facilitating as well as speaking engagements and has done extensive travelling in Europe, Africa, Asia, the Caribbean and the Americas. Ashantewaa has inter-disciplinary experience working with topics related to education, personal and organisational development, youth and community development and inter-cultural learning with the emphasis on African-Centred Approach. Ashantewaa has started and managed several successful projects and has been engaged as a lecturer, consultant, co-ordinator, motivational speaker and facilitator in many forums. She has developed African Centred Leadership Training programmes, facilitated workshops and conferences and worked as a liaison between organisations and projects in the Caribbean and Africa.



Lukhona Mnguni holds a Bachelor of Community and Development Studies and an Honours Degree in Conflict Transformation and Peace Studies, both cum laude from UKZN. He holds an MSc in Africa and International Development from the University of Edinburgh in November 2015 after having received the Commonwealth Scholarship to pursue his studies. He currently serves as a PhD intern Researcher in the Maurice Webb Race Relations Unit at UKZN. Lukhona is the founder of TheGiveback Initiative. He received the UKZN Distinguished Students Award in 2012 and the Abe Bailey Travel Bursary in 2013. Lukhona is an alumnus of the Brightest Young Minds in South Africa and a lifetime member of the Golden Key International Honours Society. He is a Board Associate for Akhani Education Social Investment Management and serves as a Trustee in the McCord Trust. He has presented to the Presidential Commission of Inquiry and is a contributing political analyst on eNCA, SABC news, 702 Radio and many other platforms.