

**NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES TO BE APPOINTED BY THE MINISTER OF
SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AS MEMBERS OF THE CENTRAL DRUG AUTHORITY**

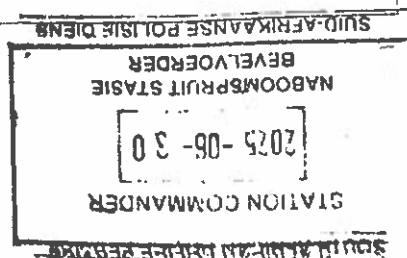


NOMINATION FORM

I nominate (print the full names and surnames of the candidate)	Dr Tumelo Sekgobela
As a candidate to be appointed by the Minister of Social Development as a member of the Central Drug Authority	
(Print full first names and surname)	Signature of person nominating
Prof Kgashane Johannes Malesa	

DECLARATION BY PERSON WHO SIGNS NOMINATION

I (print the full names and surname)	
Kgashane Johannes Malesa	
Declare that I am a South African citizen resident in the Republic at (state full residential address and telephone:	
Signature of a person nominating:	
I certify that the deponent has acknowledged that he/she knows and understands the contents of this declaration.	
Sworn in/ affirmed and signed before me	
A	on.....30..... June 2025
Name:	Rank/Designation:
Signature:	Date:

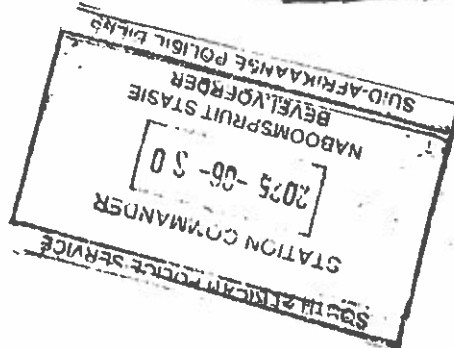


CONSENT TO NOMINATION

I (print full names and surname)		declare that:
a) Consent to nomination; Yes	b) I am a South African citizen; Yes	
c) I am permanently resident in the Republic at (state full residential address)		
d) Agree to accept the nomination to serve as a member of the Central Drug Authority		
Signature of nominee: <i>[Signature]</i>		
Simultaneously with the lodging, each candidate shall lodge with the Minister: -		
a) A curriculum vitae; and		b) ID/Passport photograph
Sworn in/affirmed and signed before me		
at... Mookgophong..... on..... 30..... June 2025		
Commissioner of Oaths		
Name: <i>N. M. M. M. M.</i>		Rank/ Designation: <i>Sergeant</i>
Signature: <i>[Signature]</i>		Date: <i>2025-06-30</i>

Each nomination shall be lodged with the Ministry by post, or by hand not later than 30 June 2025.

For more information please feel free to contact Dr Athalia Shabangu at [REDACTED] or Mr Mogotsi Kalaeamodimo at [REDACTED]



TUMELO SEKGOBELA

Residential Address :

Contact Number

Work tell

Email

Identity number

Gender

Race

Male

African

The candidate has been a lecturer at the University of Venda in the Department of Social Work since August 2022. He has conducted research on substance abuse at the undergraduate level (Mini-dissertation) for a Bachelor of Social Work degree and on nyaope substance for his Master of Social Work degree, and has written two papers on substances, which are under review. He has supervised more than 5 students with substance abuse research topics for honours. He has published a paper on nyaope substance abuse in a peer-reviewed journal. The candidate has worked with substance abuse clients from 2011 to 2021. He worked with outpatients and assisted some clients with rehabilitation. He has been the coordinator of substance abuse and VEP since 2013-2028 at DSD Mookgophong. He has been an independent contractor with the University of South Africa since 2022 to date. He is registered with the South African Council for Social Services Professions. He has practiced as a social worker for over eleven years and has been designated as a social work supervisor, probation officer, and social worker. The candidate completed his Doctor of Social Work degree in May 2024 and graduated on the 3rd of October 2024. He has been exposed to various fields of social work during his practice days and has acquired a wealth of experience. He is self-driven, focused, motivated, and dedicated, and can work individually and in a team. The candidate is dedicated to teaching, learning, research, community engagement, and entrepreneurship. He is certified as a champion for the STEP program of entrepreneurship in higher education. He has eight (8) published papers from peer-reviewed, accredited journals and has three (3) accepted papers awaiting publication. The candidate has one accepted book chapter and seven (7) papers under review. He invests a lot of time in teaching and research to improve student success, the graduation rate, and research output.

EDUCATION

2022-2024

Doctor of Social Work –UNISA

Topic: Bullying malady in a learning context: Developing intervention guidelines for social work practice.

2020-2021

Master of Social Work-UNISA

Thesis: Resilience of social workers who are rendering services to Nyaope substance-dependent youth in the Waterberg District of Limpopo Province.

2007-2010

Bachelor of Social Work- University of Venda.

Position Held	:	External examiner (M & D Dissertation)
Period of service	:	January 2023 to date
Institution	:	University of South Africa
Position Held	:	Independent contractor: Marker/Supervision
Period of service	:	2022 to date.
Institution	:	University of Venda
Position Held	:	Council Member (Academic Representative)
Period of Service	:	01 April 2025 to date
Institution	:	University of Venda
Position Held	:	Institutional Forum Member (Academic Representative)
Period of Service	:	01 April 2025 to date
Institution	:	University of Venda
Position Held	:	Field work- researcher (Rural development)
Period of service	:	2009 August

4. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Institution	:	University of Venda
Position Held	:	Lecturer
Period of service	:	2022 to date
Institution	:	Johannesburg Health District
Position Held	:	Social Work Supervisor
Period of service	:	2021 December to July 2022.
Institution	:	Department of Social Development
Position Held	:	Probation Officer
Period of service	:	2018 April to November 2021
Institution	:	Department of Social Development
Position Held	:	Substance Abuse and VEP Coordinator
Period of service	:	March 2013 to March 2018
Institution	:	Department of Social Development
Position held	:	Social Worker (Substance Abuse)
Period of service	:	2011 March to March 2013

- Render supportive counseling to families affected by HIV/AIDS
- Monitor HIV/AIDS support group that are functional in the area of operation

Institution : Department of Social Development
Position Held : Social Worker
Period of service : 2011 March to March 2016

- Challenge structural sources of poverty, inequality, oppression, discrimination and exclusion using casework, group work and community work methods of social work practice.
- Intervene at the points where people interact with their environment in order to promote social well-being
- Assist and empower individuals, families, groups, organisations and communities to enhance their social functioning and their problem-solving capabilities
- Promote, restore, maintain and enhance the functioning of individuals, families, groups and communities by enabling them to accomplish tasks, prevent and alleviate distress and use resources effectively
- Provide social work services toward protecting people who are vulnerable, at risk and unable to protect themselves.

Institution : Department of Social Development
Position Held : Probation Officer
Period of service : 2016, April to November 2021.

- Assess a children in conflict with the law after arrest and before the preliminary inquiry;
- Make a recommendation at the preliminary inquiry;
- Arrange and monitor any diversion options; and
- Prepare pre-sentence reports with recommendations.

5. PUBLISHED PAPERS

Sekgobela, T., & Budeli, N.J. (2024). The role of social work intervention in promoting mental health and resilience in communities: Kurdish studies

Sekgobela, T., & Malesa K.J. (2024). The social and emotional effects of bullying on learners in learning institutions in South Africa. International of Research in Business and Social Science.

Sekgobela, T., Mundzhelele, D., & Budeli, N.J. (2024). Devastating effects of gender inequality on female students in South African higher education. International of Research in Business and Social Science.

Chiloane, K., Sekgobela, T. & Budeli, N.J. (2024). Bullying of learners living with disabilities: fears of reporting bullying incidents. International Journal of strategy and ecosystem

Rakgwata, P.A., & Sekgobela. T. (2024). Conflict resolution in indigenous communities: A social

Munzhelele, D. & Sekgobela, T. (2025). Factors Influencing Substance Abuse among Adolescent Girls in Secondary Educational Settings: A Critical Exploratory Investigation. Journal of Social Development in Africa.

Rakgwata, P.A. & Sekgobela, T. (2025). Experiences of Unemployed Single Mothers in Women-Headed Households in Collins Chabane Municipality: Insight from a Social Work Perspective. Southern African Journal of Social Work and Social Development.

Sekgobela, T., Matsea, T & Nemutandani, V. (2024). Promoting rural women's economic empowerment through social work interventions. UJ IWISA conference proceedings.

Sekgobela, T. Netshandama, V. (2025). Integrating an Entrepreneurial Mindset into Social Work Education at the University of Venda: A Collaborative Ecosystem Approach. Journal of Entrepreneurship. Sage publications

9. PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND ACTIVITIES

2011 to Date: Member, South African Council for Social Services Professions (SACSSP 10-30269)
2022 to Date : Member of ASWASWEI

10. LANGUAGE COMPETENCIES

English	- oral and written
Sepedi	- oral and written
Tswana	- oral and written
Venda	- oral and written
Tsonga	- oral and written

11. REFERENCE

Prof Adv Matshidze P: Deputy Dean, Teaching and Learning
University of South Africa

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Dr Budeli N.J : HOD: Social Work
University of Venda

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Prof K.J. Malesa: Associate Professor: Social Work



REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

REPLACEMENT CERTIFICATE

issued to

TUMELO SEKGOBELA

Identity number

Subjects the candidate passed and the symbols obtained:

Sepedi : First Language	HG	D	58%-59%
Afrikaans : Second Language	HG	F	33.3%-39%
English : Second Language	HG	E	40%-49%
Economics	HG	G	50%-59%
Business Economics	SG	D	50%-59%
Accounting			40%-49%
Aggregat			950-1199

Certificate awarded with **SENIOR CERTIFICATE**
ENDORSEMENT

This candidate has complied with the minimum statutory matriculation requirements for admission to bachelor's degree study of a university in the Republic of South Africa

With effect from December 2004

M. S. LAKHOTA
Chief Executive Officer



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Council for Quality Assurance in
General and Further Education and Training
South Africa



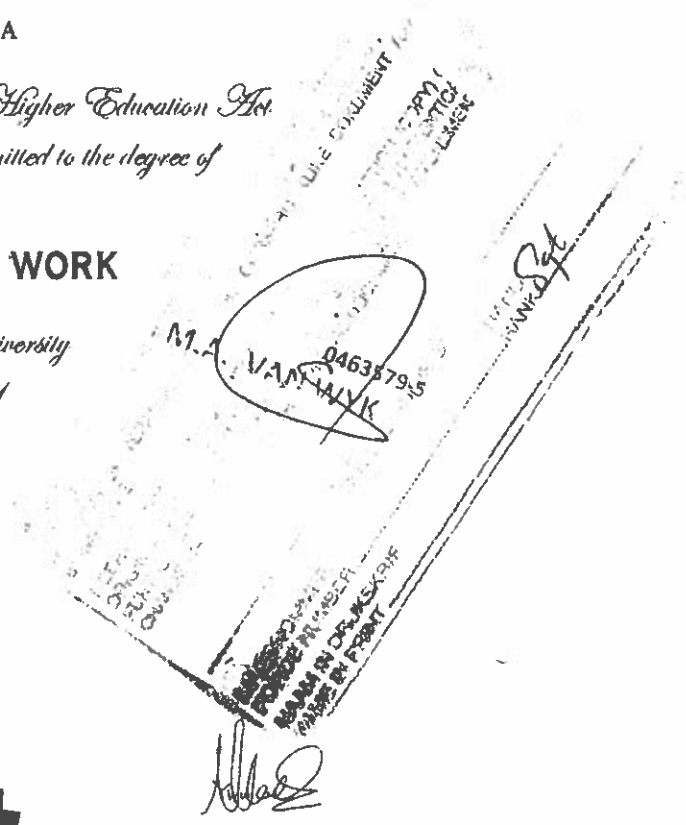
We certify that

TUMELO SEKGOBELA

*having complied with the requirements of the Higher Education Act
and the Institutional Statute, was admitted to the degree of*

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

*at a congregation of the University
on 15 October 2021*

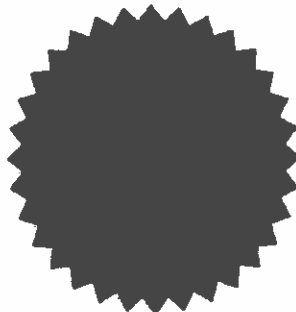


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Vice Chancellor

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University Registrar



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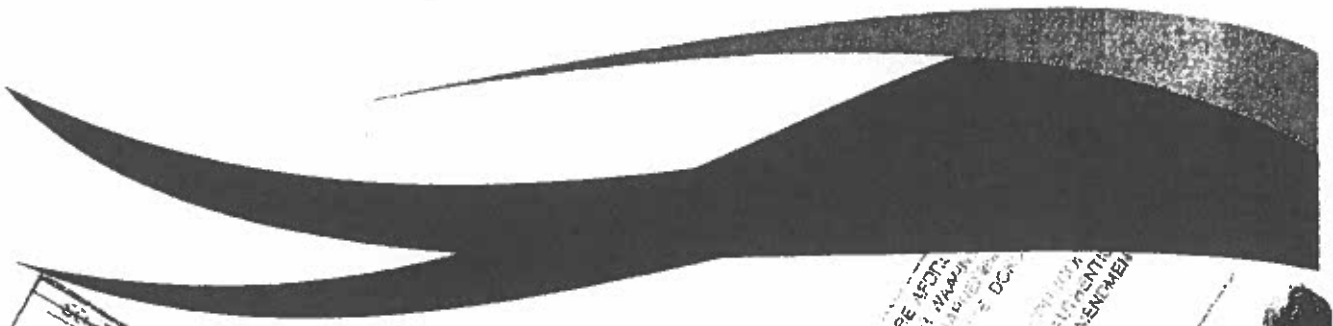
Executive Dean

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College of Graduate Studies

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE



The University of South Africa Certifies that

SEKGOBELA TUMELO

Attended and participated in a workshop on

**Advanced Postgraduate Supervision Capacity
Development Programme**

From

21 April 2022 to 14 July 2022



Prof Tennyson Mgutshini
Acting Executive Dean: College of
Graduate Studies



Prof Thenjiwe Meyiwa
Vice-Principal: Research, Postgraduate
Studies, Innovation and Commercialisation



**SOUTH AFRICAN
COUNCIL FOR SOCIAL SERVICE PROFESSIONS**

Registration Certificate

It is hereby certified that the name of

TUMELO SEKGOBELA

Registration number:

In terms of section 19(1) of the Social Service Professions Act, 1978, has been entered in the Register and that the said person has thus been registered in terms of section 17(1) as a

SOCIAL WORKER

with the Council.

09 March 2011

Registration date

Registrar

The validity of this certificate is subject to the submission of the receipt proving that the annual fee for the current financial year, which ends on 31 March, has been paid.

If the name of the holder of this certificate is removed from the Register, this certificate will in terms of regulation 4(2) be deemed to be cancelled as from the date of deletion.

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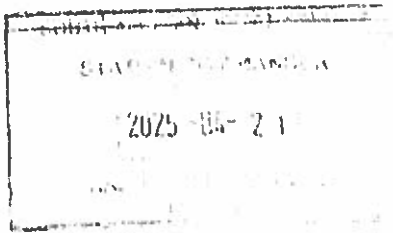
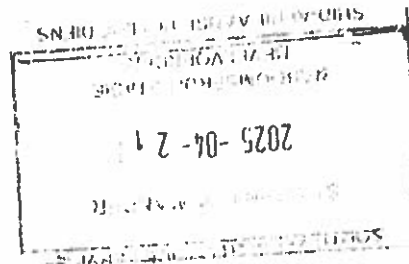
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