

2/4/2008

NO EXPOSURE

**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) Vulani Thuketana
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) Enrico Angelo de Bruin Signature of person nominating [Signature]

DECLARATION BY PERSON WHO SIGNS NOMINATION

I (print the full names and surname) Enrico Angelo de Bruin

Declare that I am a South African citizen resident in the Republic at (state full residential address and telephone) [Redacted]

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 at [Redacted] on 2/4/2008

Commissioner of Oaths

Name

Signature

Rank/Designation

Date

CONSENT TO NOMINATION

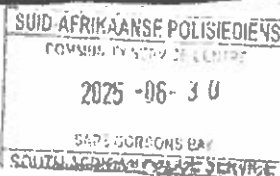
I (print full names and surname) Vulani Thuketana

declare that

a) Consent to nomination ☒

b) I am a South African citizen ☒

c) I am permanently resident in the Republic at (state full residential address) [Redacted]



d) Agree to accept the nomination
Signature of nominee [Signature]
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 [Signature] on

Commissioner of Oaths

Name: [Signature]

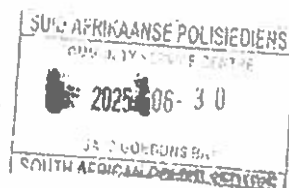
Rank/Designation: [Signature]

Signature: [Signature]

Date: [Signature]

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 [Redacted]
or Mr Mogotsi Kalaeamodimo at [Redacted]



Vulani Thuketana Social Worker

Cape Town • [REDACTED] • [REDACTED]

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Compassionate and results-driven Social Worker with a strong background in addiction and substance abuse prevention, child protection, and clinical social work. Skilled in providing trauma-informed counseling, risk assessments, and individualized care plans. Experienced in supporting clients affected by substance misuse, abuse, and domestic violence. Adept at collaborating with multidisciplinary teams to deliver holistic, client-centered care. Adept at working within multidisciplinary teams, including schools, healthcare providers, and legal services, to coordinate comprehensive care and advocacy.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

COMMUNITY KEEPERS

School Counsellor

Macassar, Cape Town, Western Cape

10/2022-Present

- Provide individualized and group counseling to children (ages 6-14) and adults, addressing trauma, grief, anxiety, and behavioral challenges through evidence-based modalities, including:
 - Play Therapy (i2we Therapy and Training Centre): Utilizing play-based techniques to promote emotional well-being and resilience in young learners.
 - Brain Working Recursive Therapy (BWRT): Certified in this neuroscience-backed approach to rewire automatic stress responses, enabling clients to achieve lasting relief from distressing thoughts/behaviors.
 - Lead substance abuse awareness campaigns and workshops in collaboration with teachers and external stakeholders.
- Design and lead workshops for educators on trauma-informed practices, including:
 - Positive Psychology in the Classroom: Implemented strategies like strengths-based feedback, mindfulness exercises, and growth mindset frameworks to reduce student disengagement by 30% (based on pre/post-workshop surveys).
 - Secondary Traumatic Stress (STS) Mitigation: Trained 50+ staff members in self-care plans, reducing burnout symptoms by 25% through tailored resilience techniques (e.g., boundary-setting, peer support systems).

NEW SOMERSET HOSPITAL

Clinical Social Worker

Waterfront, Cape Town, Western Cape,

08/2021 - 08/2022

- Provided specialized psychosocial support to patients with substance use disorders, including screening, assessments, and care planning for individuals experiencing addiction, in accordance with the Prevention of and Treatment for Substance Abuse Act No. 70 of 2008.
- Administered individual and group therapy sessions focused on trauma, relapse prevention, daily functioning, and life skills development.
- Provided family counselling and aftercare planning, incorporating hospitals community-led support model to promote long-term recovery.
- Designed and conducted training sessions for junior staff and interns on therapeutic techniques, legal implications, and ethical considerations in substance abuse treatment.
- Attended weekly supervision sessions to review client progress and refine therapeutic approaches using solution-focused techniques.
- Collaborated with a multidisciplinary team (medical staff, psychologists, occupational therapists, and spiritual leaders) to develop and implement holistic treatment plans addressing the physical, emotional, and spiritual dimensions of recovery.

LETABA HOSPITAL

Clinical Social Worker

Nkowa-Nkowa, Tzaneen, Limpopo

10/2020 - 07/2021

- Delivered evidence-based prevention, early intervention, treatment, and aftercare services for individuals affected by substance use disorders.
- Participated in multidisciplinary case management teams to design and monitor individualized care and reintegration plans for substance-dependent patients.
- Ensured compliance with ethical and legal standards of care, providing psychosocial reports and referrals for in-patient detox and rehabilitation when needed.
- Engaged with families of admitted clients to provide education, resolve conflict, and mediate difficult interpersonal dynamics that may affect the client's emotional state or care outcomes.
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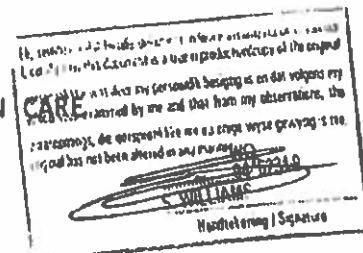
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VULANI NWAMENCISI THUKETANA

*had complied with all the conditions prescribed
in the Act, Statute and Rules of the University,
and the qualification*

**POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN ADDICTION
(PGDip (Addiction Care))**



*with all the rights and privileges pertaining thereto was awarded
at a congregation of the University in December 2022.*


RECTOR AND VICE-CHANCELLOR




DEAN




REGISTRAR
2 December 2022



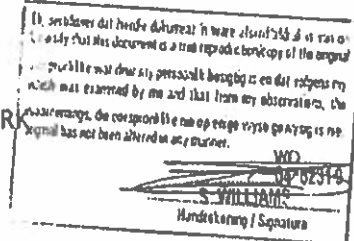
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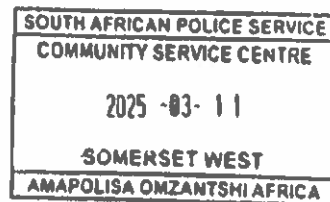
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and the five-year degree*

**BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK
(B Social Work)**



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DEAN




REGISTRAR
6 March 2020

 **REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**
NATIONAL IDENTITY CARD

THUKETANA
VULANI NWAMENCISI

P
RSA
[REDACTED]



ID
CITIZEN

This card has been issued by the
Department of Home Affairs in terms of the
Identification Act, Act 68 of 1997
If you are older than 65 years of age, you must also apply for a
National Identity Number (NIN) and a National Identity Card (NIC)

06 JUL 2022



I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the original document and that the same has been compared with the original and found to be correct. I further certify that the document is a true reproduction of the original and that the same has been compared with the original and found to be correct. I further certify that the document is a true reproduction of the original and that the same has been compared with the original and found to be correct.

S. WILLIAMS
10/02/2022
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COMMUNITY SERVICE CENTRE

2025 -03- 11

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Registration No. 1054098

MS V N THUKETANA
DEPT MENT OF SOCIAL WORK

Registered

THIS RECEIPT IS VALID UNTIL

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RECEIPT NUMBER

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DATE RECEIVED

17-Dec-2024

DETAILS

AMOUNT

ANNUAL FEE

500,00

VAT AMOUNT

61,40

TOTAL

500,00

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REGISTERED TO

PRACTISE

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This is to certify that the following person is registered
by the Council to practise as indicated:

MS V N THUKETANA

Name

SOCIAL WORKER

Reg No

Period: 01 April 2025 to 31 March 2026


(Registrar)

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