

OUR VISION AND MISSION

We aspire to be a leading comprehensive university that provides quality education. Our mission is to produce globally competitive graduates, relevant for the human capital needs of the country, by providing quality education which upholds high standards of research and academic excellence.

THE TRANSFORMATION CHARTER

We, the community of the University of Zululand:

Recognise the great strides and achievements of the people that came before us that lay the foundation of UNIZULU becoming a comprehensive university;

Acknowledge that although the foundation has been laid, there is still a lot to be done to advance the values of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa specifically human dignity, the protection and attainment of equality, the advancement of human rights and freedoms, and the promotion of a non-discriminatory university environment;

Commit to heal prejudices and divisions of the past that are based on race, age, language, disability, ethnicity, culture, religion, nationality, class, sexual orientation, pregnancy, marital status and gender; and prioritise the well-being and growth of every staff member and student of the university;

Assert ourselves as an African university committed to the contextualisation of curriculum and pedagogy; and promote the use of Africanism that embraces African Knowledge Systems to advance the attainment of high quality graduates with an orientation for social justice;

Reposition ourselves as a comprehensive university that offers various reputable quality university programmes in science, engineering, technology, humanities and social science programmes;

Pledge to engage partnerships that recognise and advance social reform, justice and inclusion and responsiveness, advancement of local indigenous knowledge systems; and

AFFIRM THAT TRANSFORMATION AT UNIZULU IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS