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Cape Town Alumnus Dinner

Mr Fanle Sibisi
President of Convocation
and

Alumni Relations
University of KwaZulu-Natal

cordially invite you and your spouse/partner
to enjoy a Dinner at the

12 Apostles Hotel

Victoria Street,
Camps Bay,
Cape Town

Date
Saturday, 11 May 2019

Time
18h30 for 19h00

Cost
R200 per person
(Inclusive of food and selected drinks)

Guest Speakers
Mr Fanle Sibisi
President of Convocation

and a

Special Address by Prof Nana Poku
Vice-Chancellor and Principal (Acting)
University of KwaZulu-Natal

**Topic: UKZN - the Premier University of African
Scholarship: Context and Opportunity.**

Seating is limited. Early bookings are advised
RSVP before Friday, 3 May 2019

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Profile of Guest Speaker

Professor Nana Poku

Professor Nana Poku is the acting Vice-Chancellor and Principal of the University of KwaZulu-Natal. Before assuming this position he was Deputy Vice-Chancellor and Head of the College of Law and Management Studies and previously served as the Executive Director of the Health Economics and HIV AIDS Research Centre (HEARD).

Professor Poku is a Political Economist with a research focus on health provision in Africa. Over the past two decades, his research on the political economy of Africa's HIV and AIDS epidemic has been amongst the most influential on the subject. Within the context of the World Health Organisation's global aim to treat three million persons living with HIV and AIDS by 2005, he directed operational research for the World Bank funded Treatment Acceleration Programme (TAP) to test the feasibility of complex medication scale-up in resource limited settings.

Professor Poku has a wide array of published work on globalisation and security; HIV/AIDS epidemic in Africa; global health; governance; migration and human security. He has published 16 books, over 50 book contributions and more than 30 peer-reviewed articles in internationally recognised journals.

Professor Poku was formerly Pro-Vice Chancellor of Research at the University of Bradford where he also served as Dean of School of Social and International Studies. Prior to Bradford, he held senior faculty posts at Universities of Southampton and Nottingham Trent, UK.