

## A summary of published, unpublished and current research on ODL in the CHS

Researchers	Project/publication
Schulze, S & Lessing, AC.	2003. Lecturers' experience of postgraduate supervision in a distance education context. <i>South African Journal of Higher Education</i> , 17(2):159-168.
Lessing, AC & Schulze, S.	2002 Postgraduate supervision and academic support: students perceptions. <i>South African Journal of Higher Education</i> , 16(2):139-149.
AC Lessing & S Schulze.	2003. Postgraduate supervision: a comparison of the perceptions of students and supervisors. <i>Acta Academica</i> , 35(3):161-184.
Schulze, S.	2009. Teaching research methods in a distance education context: concerns and challenges. <i>South African Journal of Higher Education</i> , 23(5):992-1008.
Steyn, GM & Schulze, S.	2003 (Summer). Assuring quality of a module in human resource management: learners' perceptions. <i>Education</i> , 123(4):668-680.
Lintvelt, R	2008. The personal contexts of undergraduate students in social work at Unisa.
Loubser, C P & Dreyer, J	Current. The role of face to face contact in improving the results of teachers in an ACE (Natural Science) course presented by ODL.
Lubbe, J et al.	Current. Factors that impact on Unisa student's success rate: Analysis of selected modules

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Pitsoe, Victor	Current. Open Distance Learning (ODL): The bridge to effective Teacher Professional Development
Proctor, J D (Goodwin-Davey & Steyn)	Current. Working with tutors at a distance.
WJ Greeff & R Barker	2010. Exploring the use of podcasts as a supportive learning tool to enhance open distance learning at undergraduate tertiary level.
Mpako, Nombeko	Current. Investigating the causes of race disparities in the open distance learning of visual arts at the university of south Africa
Marié (MC) Kriel	No date. "n Model vir praktykbegeleiding vir afstandsonderrig in verpleegkunde". DCur.
Moeketsi Letseka & Victor Pitsoe	2010. "Access to higher education through Open Distance Learning (ODL): reflections on the University of South Africa (UNISA)", in Rubby Dhunpath (ed) <i>Models of Alternative Access to Higher Education</i> , UTLO Books: University of KwaZulu-Natal.
Victor Pitsoe & Moeketsi Letseka	2010. Mobile learning (m-learning) as an alternative educational tool in UNISA's Open Distance Learning (ODL). Collaborative Learning 2.0. , <i>Open Educational Resources</i> . Open University UK.
Ndlangamandla, Sibusiso Clifford	Current. The interface between Professional and Academic discourses in policing: Case studies of graduate research writing at an Open Distance Learning Institution'
Kemp, C	2009. The creative use of music to support learning disabled learners in an inclusive classroom: a continuous learning programme in distance education.

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Petro Botha	Current. Proposal for my doctorate has been approved . Title: "A life coaching model for social work students within an ODL context."
Lynette Naidoo & Blessing Mbatha.	Current. Research project entitled "An Assessment Of The ODL Experience Of BA Communication Science Students At The University Of South Africa".
Lubbe, Henriette	Current. Reseach project about the <i>Short Course in School History Enrichment</i> in education History teachers by means of ODL. An article to appear in <i>Historia</i>
Anderson, Penny	Current. Doctorate on Multiple-choice questions: a linguistic investigation of difficulty for first-language and second-language students. This is not specifically ODL, but it does involve Unisa students and an important aspect of written assessment.
Lemmer, EM, Bergh AM, van der Linde N, Van Niekerk, MP & van Wyk JN	1995. Distance learners and their experience of text. Article published in SAJE in 1996
Bagwandeem, D.R.	1999. A study of the provision of distance education for the upgrading and improvement of the qualifications of teachers in the province of Kwazulu-Natal. Unpublished D.Ed thesis. Pretoria: University of South-Africa. (promoter: L J van Niekerk)
Heydenrych, J.F.	2003. Changing practices and systems: implementing the online learning community at the University of South Africa. Unpublished D.Ed thesis. Pretoria: University of South Africa(promoter: L J van Niekerk)
Chikuya, H.H.	2007. Teacher education within the context of open and distance learning in Zimbabwe: a case study. Unpublished DEd thesis, Tshwane: University of South Africa. (promoter: L J van Niekerk)

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Hau Yoon, L.	2002. The evaluation of a Mandarin Chinese course taught as a foreign language for distance learners. Unpublished M.Ed dissertation. Pretoria: University of South Africa. (promoter: L J van Niekerk)
Mays, T.J.	2004. From policy to practice: an evaluation of the Unisa National Professional Diploma in Education from the perspective of social critical theory. Unpublished MEd dissertation. Pretoria: University of South Africa. (promoter: L J van Niekerk)
Ntuli, A.Z.S.	2008. Management of open distance learning at Unisa: meeting students' needs and expectations. Unpublished MEd dissertation, Tshwane: University of South Africa. (Promoter: L J van Niekerk).
Deribssa Abate Fayessa	2010. Title of thesis: Distance learning at the tertiary level in Ethiopia as a strategy for promoting human resource development. (promoter: L J van Niekerk)
Thomas, P. Y.	2010. Towards developing a web-based blended learning environment at the University of Botswana. (promoter: L J van Niekerk)
Van Niekerk, L.J.	1996. Investigating the role of current theories of education in distance education universities. Progressio. vol. 20, no.2.
Heydenrich, J.F. , Higgs, P. & Van Niekerk, L.J.	2003. Implementing the online learning community in Africa: a Unisa case study. African and Asian Studies. 2(4) .
Van Niekerk, L.J.	2004. Distance education as a function of African community. South African Journal for Higher Education. 18(3).

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Van Niekerk, L.J.	1998. The university: a case of spontaneous deconstruction. (in De Beer, C.S (ed.) Unisa as a distinctive university for our time. Pretoria: Unisa. p.73-88)
Van Niekerk, L.J.	1993. The Radio Unisa research project. SRHE News. Issue no. 19.
De Munnik, E.O., Steyn, P.J.N. en Van Niekerk, L.J.	1990. Report on the use of radio broadcasts in distance education at Unisa. Radio Unisa. 1990-projek. Pretoria: Universiteit van Suid-Afrika.