

MEDIA ADVISORY

UNISA OPEN DAY

“Bringing the Exciting World of Science to Life”

ATTENTION: EDITORS, PRODUCERS, EDUCATIONAL AND SOCIAL REPORTERS

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Education remains the apex priority of the South African government. In support of this vision University of South Africa (UNISA) in 2011 embarked on the journey of building state-of-the-art laboratories and high-end equipment in Florida, Johannesburg; Gauteng province.

The Campus consist of disciplines such as Civil and structural Engineering, Mechanical, Industrial, Electrical, Mining and chemical engineering, Chemistry, Physics, Agriculture and Environmental Science Centre.

According to Prof Mandla Makhanya, Unisa Principal and Vice Chancellor “The Florida science campus support Unisa as a premier university – in South Africa, across continent, and as one of the mega universities worldwide – to play the more significant role in terms of the sciences

"The facilities enable UNISA to create an environment that truly stimulates research and innovation; supports researchers and scientists, and meets the educational and training needs of its distance learning students, at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels. In this way the university’s beneficial capacity is enhanced and extended as a resource to students, scientists and researchers alike." concluded Prof Makhanya.

With the **OPEN DAY** the university endeavours to showcase these state of art facilities to parents, learners and the Gauteng community at large. It is in that spirit that the university invites all members of the community to an Open day Exhibitions as scheduled below:

Date : 27 May 2017

Venue : UNISA Science Campus, Christian De Wet and Pioneer Avenue, Florida

Time : 09H00 – 15H00

Members of Media are invited to attend the event



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