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BIO DATA – DR MARTIN MANDEW

Dr Martin Mandew is the Principal of the Qwaqwa Campus of the University of the Free State. Prior to that, he was the Campus Director of the Midlands Campus of the Durban University of Technology in Pietermaritzburg. He holds a Bachelor of Sacred Theology (Pontifical Urbaniana University, Rome), Master of Theology (University of Natal), University Diploma in Management Development (University of Durban-Westville), and a PhD (University of Natal). He started his academic career at the University of Natal, where he lectured in the School of Theology until 1997.

He served as Assistant Vice-Chancellor: Student Services at the erstwhile ML Sultan Technikon from 1998 until 2002, and in 2003 as Executive Director: Academic Development, Training and Skills Provision at the Durban University of Technology. He has served on the board of the South African Association for Academic Development, and on the editorial board of the *Academic Development Journal*. He is a founding member of the South African Association of Senior Student Affairs Professionals. Dr Mandew also worked as an independent consultant and as a general manager in a private company for a period of ten years.

He is the author of *A Guide to Student Services in South Africa* (2003), and co-editor of *Perspectives on Student Affairs in South Africa* (2014). He also serves on the International Editorial Executive of the *Journal of Student Affairs in Africa*, and on the Institutional Audit Committee of the Council on Higher Education.

He currently serves as a non-executive director on the Board of the Cancer Association of South Africa (CANSA), where he is the chairperson of the Remuneration Committee, and also sits on the Social and Ethics Committee as well as on the Nominations Committee of CANSA.