

22 August 2017

Mr Keeran Thakoordeen (213516174) School of Management, IT & Governance **Westville Campus**

Dear Mr Thakoordeen,

Protocol reference number: HSS/0914/017H

Project title: Demographic factors affecting the student's acceptance and readiness of Moodle at the University of KwaZulu-Natal Westville Campus

Approval Notification – Expedited Application

In response to your application received on 27 June 2017, the Humanities & Social Sciences Research Ethics Committee has considered the abovementioned application and the protocol has been granted FULL APPROVAL.

Any alteration/s to the approved research protocol i.e. Questionnaire/Interview Schedule, Informed Consent Form, Title of the Project, Location of the Study, Research Approach and Methods must be reviewed and approved through the amendment/modification prior to its implementation. In case you have further queries, please quote the above reference number.

PLEASE NOTE: Research data should be securely stored in the discipline/department for a period of 5 years.

The ethical clearance certificate is only valid for a period of 3 years from the date of issue. Thereafter Recertification must be applied for on an annual basis.

take this opportunity of wishing you everything of the best with your study.

Yours faithfully

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