

UNISA COLLEGE OF EDUCATION ETHICS REVIEW COMMITTEE

Date: 2017/03/15

Dear Prof Pillay,

Decision: Ethics Approval from

2017/03/15 to 2019/03/15

Ref: 2017/03/15/90286200/1/MC

Name: Prof V Pillay Staff: 90286200

Researcher:

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Title of research:

Woman academics: A South African story

Project: Collaborative Research

Thank you for the application for research ethics clearance by the UNISA College of Education Ethics Review Committee for the above mentioned research. Ethics approval is granted for the period 2017/03/15 to 2019/03/15.

The low risk application was reviewed by the Ethics Review Committee on 2017/03/15 in compliance with the UNISA Policy on Research Ethics and the Standard Operating Procedure on Research Ethics Risk Assessment.

The proposed research may now commence with the provisions that:

- 1. The researcher(s) will ensure that the research project adheres to the values and principles expressed in the UNISA Policy on Research Ethics.
- 2. Any adverse circumstance arising in the undertaking of the research project that is relevant to the ethicality of the study should be communicated in writing to the UNISA College of Education Ethics Review Committee.



3. The researcher(s) will conduct the study according to the methods and procedures set out in the approved application.

4. Any changes that can affect the study-related risks for the research participants, particularly in terms of assurances made with regards to the protection of participants' privacy and the confidentiality of the data, should be reported to the

Committee in writing.

5. The researcher will ensure that the research project adheres to any applicable national legislation, professional codes of conduct, institutional guidelines and scientific standards relevant to the specific field of study. Adherence to the following South African legislation is important, if applicable: Protection of Personal Information Act, no 4 of 2013; Children's act no 38 of 2005 and the National Health

Act, no 61 of 2003.

6. Only de-identified research data may be used for secondary research purposes in future on condition that the research objectives are similar to those of the original research. Secondary use of identifiable human research data require additional ethics

clearance.

7. No field work activities may continue after the expiry date 2019/03/15. Submission of a completed research ethics progress report will constitute an application for

renewal of Ethics Research Committee approval.

Note:

The reference number 2017/03/15/90286200/1/MC should be clearly indicated on all forms of communication with the intended research participants, as well as with the Committee.

Kind regards,

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