

# CALL FOR UKZN STUDENT PUBLICATION WRITERS

The Executive Director: Student Services, working with the Central Student Representative Council, has been engaged in a vigorous process towards re-establishing a student publication at the University of KwaZulu-Natal. The Steering Committee overseeing the project is calling for students who can act as writers/journalists for the publication on a voluntary basis.

The publication will be part of the University's programmes aimed at providing experiential learning.

This opportunity is only open to students currently registered at the University of KwaZulu-Natal.

## Minimum Requirements:

- Good writing and photography capability;
- Excellent news sense;
- Ability to think on your feet, research and source information from a variety of credible sources such as books, interviews and websites;
- Ability to meet strict deadlines;
- Good interpersonal and communication skills;
- Ability to think outside the box;
- Good general knowledge;
- Punctuality;
- A flair for writing;
- Ability to generate and keep news sources.

## Stories covered will include the following beats:

- Science, Engineering and Technology;
- Health;
- Sports;
- Education;
- Research;
- Arts and Entertainment
- Human interest, sports, seminars, exhibitions, departmental and faculty initiatives, College Lecture programmes, etc.

## Application Documents

- Academic record with proof of registration;
- Curriculum Vitae;
- One-page motivational letter;
- 500-word piece on any topic of your choice. Please insert your full name, student number and contact details at the bottom of the piece upon submission.

**Submission of previously published pieces/articles will be an advantage.**

**Successful candidates will be notified telephonically.**

**Send your application documents to [studentndaba@ukzn.ac.za](mailto:studentndaba@ukzn.ac.za).**

**The closing date for applications is Friday, 27 July 2018.**

**Should you have any queries, please contact**

**Sinegugu Ndlovu, Publications Manager on (031) 260 7915.**



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