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EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

- 2013-2017 **University of the Free State/Uppsala University**
PhD Africa Studies with a specialisation in Gender Studies
- 2006-2008 **University of the Free State**
MA Gender Studies
- 2004-2005 **University of the Free State**
BA Honors Language Studies (English and French) (Cum Laude)
- 2001-2003 **University of the Free State**
BA Media Studies (Cum Laude)
- 2003 **TEFL Training Centre, University of the Free State**
International preliminary TEFL certificate

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- Jan 2018 – Mar 2018 **Lecturer: Gender Studies Programme: University of the Free State**
Gender and Institutional Transformation
- Jan 2017 – Mar 2018 **Lecturer: Gender Studies Programme, University of the Free State**
Feminist Research Methodology
- Jan 2017 – Mar 2018 **Lecturer: Gender Studies Programme: University of the Free State**
Gender and Sexuality
- Jan 2017 – Dec 2017 **Lecturer: Development Studies, University of the Free State**
Gender and Development
- Oct 2016 – Mar 2018 **Director: Gender Studies Programme, University of the Free State**
Coordinator and Director of the Gender Studies Programme
- Dec 2014 – Sep 2016 On Sabbatical (22 months), PhD student at Uppsala University, Sweden
- Jan 2010 – Dec 2014 **Director: Gender Studies Programme, University of the Free State**
Coordinator and Director of the Gender Studies Programme
- Jan 2012 – Dec 2014 **Lecturer: Development Studies Programme, University of the Free State**
Gender and Development
- May 2008 – Dec 2014 **Lecturer: Gender Studies Programme, University of the Free State**
Gender and Religion

- Feb 2008 – Dec 2014 **Lecturer: Gender Studies Programme, University of the Free State**
Feminist Theory
- Feb 2004 – Dec 2012 **English Lecturer, University of the Free State**
Facilitator/Lecturer for the Undergraduate Preparation Programme
- July 2009 – Dec 2010 **Lecturer: Gender Studies Programme, University of the Free State**
Gender and Tradition
- Apr 2007 – Aug 2009 **Research Assistant, University of the Free State**
Researcher for the Department of Language Practice and Linguistics
- Feb 2007 - Jun 2007 **Tutor of French, Alliance Française**
Facilitator for second year French students
- Feb 2006 – Jul 2006 **English Facilitator, University of the Free State**
Facilitator: Students with disability
- Jul 2005 – Jul 2006 **English facilitator, University of the Free State**
Facilitator: Students with disability
- Mar 2005 – Oct 2005 **Learning Languages**
French Tutor
- Jul 2003 – Oct 2003 **Tutor of communication in English, UNISA**
Tutor

ARTICLES

Lake, N. 2014. **Black Lesbian Bodies: Reflections on a Queer South African Archive.** *Africa Insight*, 44(1), p. 69 – 83.

CHAPTERS UNDER REVIEW

Lake, N. 2018. **Narratives from a South African lesbian archive: Translating lesbian and feminist activism into transnational solidarity.**

REVIEWED ARTICLES

- June 2017 **Politikon: South African Journal of Political Studies**
Constructing citizenship and identity: Exploring political participation amongst black African women from Zimbabwean and South African townships
- April 2017 **Cambrian Law Review**
Eliminating violence against women: From millennium development goals to sustainable development goals
- April 2017 **Gender Questions**
Narratives from the LGBT community in the Vhembe district: “We are also human”

March 2017 **eSharp**
Rising above identity politics: Sexual minorities and the fall of modern recognition

INVOLVEMENT WITH SPECIALIST GROUPS, SOCIETIES AND CONFERENCES

Feb 2018 **International Conference (UFS), Quo Vadis South Africa and Africa?**
Paper: Narratives from a South African lesbian archive: Translating lesbian and feminist activism into transnational solidarity

Jun 2017 – Mar 2108 **UFS, Art Gallery Advisory Committee**
Member of the committee

Sep 2016 **RFSU, Swedish Association for Sexuality Education (Stockholm)**
Paper: Mediated representations of corrective rape and black lesbian sexuality in South Africa

Aug 2016 **U4 Interdisciplinary Summer School in Gender Studies (Göttingen University, Germany)**
Participated and presented a paper on PhD research

May 2015 – Sep 2016 **Equality Group, Centre for Gender Research, Uppsala University**
Active Member

Nov 2015 **Centre for Gender Research, Gender Lunch Lecture (Uppsala University)**
Paper: How to be a real African woman: 'Corrective Rapes', black lesbians and the struggle to belong in South Africa today

July 2015 **Lesbian Sexualities in the British World: Historical Perspectives (King's College, London)**
Paper: 'Corrective rape' and black lesbian citizenship in contemporary South Africa

June 2015 **ACSIS Conference – In the Flow: People, Media, Materialities (Linköping University, Norrköping, Sweden)**
Paper: 'Corrective rape' and the Discursive Practices of 'Othering' in Contemporary News Texts

Jan 2015 **Contextualizing African Identities and the Politics of Space and Othering (Nordic Africa Institute, Uppsala University)**
Paper: "Black Lesbian Bodies: Reflections on a Queer South African Archive."

Aug 2014 **Women's Day Lecture by Zanele Muholi**
Coordinator of event

March 2014 **'Who's Your Mommy?' A Seminar on the (Ab)uses of the 'Mother of the Nation/Volksmoeder' in Southern African Nationalisms**
Paper: "Subverting the Volksmoeder Ideology: Olive Schreiner and Helen Martins' lives in comparative perspective."

May 2014	International Feminist Journal of Politics Conference (University of Southern California, Los Angeles) Paper: “‘Corrective rape’ and the delegitimising principle of <i>gender</i> in post-apartheid South Africa.”
May 2014	Feminist, Gender and Sexuality Studies Programme (Stanford University, Palo Alto) Paper: “Black Lesbian Bodies: Reflections on a Queer South African Archive.”
November 2013	Discourse, Gender and Sexuality Conference (Wits University) Conference attendee
September 2013	SANTRUST Programme Attended and graduated from the PhD Proposal Development Programme
Oct 2012	African Gender Perspectives Symposium (UFS) Coordinator and presenter
August 2012	International Feminist Journal of Politics Conference (UFS) Paper: “‘Curative rape’ and the importance of language: gender and sexuality as constructs of violence in South Africa
July 2012	Leadership for Change Programme (UFS) Facilitator and mentor for the UFS international study abroad programme
April 2012 onwards	Gender Talk Conversation Group Co-founder and member of gender conversation group
Oct 2011 – December 2013	Serobe Crisis Centre, Bloemfontein Member of the management committee
June 2011 onwards	Leadership for Change Programme (UFS) Mentor for UFS Students
Feb 2011 – Nov 2011	Fractal Contemporary Arts Forum Member and Secretary
Sept 2011	Masculinity Conference Speaker and coordinator for the UFS student conference
Sept 2011	Workshop on Race and Gender Coordinator of a three day workshop for UFS students
June 2010 onwards	Employment Equity Committee (EE) Member
July 2009 – Nov 2009	Gender Discussion Group (GDG) Member and speaker

PROJECTS

June 2017 **Swedish International Development Agency (SIDA) Project**
Gender Mainstreaming: Developing Competencies in Higher Education
for Gender Equality, Peace-Building and Gender-Sensitive Research

INVOLVEMENT WITH ART EXHIBITIONS

May 2017 ***Strained Interpretations* by Mandi Bezuidenhout**
Opening speaker at Centenary Complex, UFS

April 2017 ***Intrinsically Connected* by Desiré Crowther**
Opening speaker at Gallery on Levisieur, Bloemfontein

ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND AWARDS

Oct 2015 **Navigating your Career: Joint Training Workshop for PhD
Candidates (Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, University of
Zagreb, Dubrovnik, Croatia)**
Participant of the first Coimbra-Unica group PhD training workshop for
excellent PhD students.

May 2014 **EU Saturn PhD Scholarship (Erasmus Mundus)**
Recipient of a 22 month scholarship to complete PhD research at
Uppsala University, Sweden. The scholarship commenced in December
2014.

OTHER SKILLS

Languages: Native speaker of English and Afrikaans; four year university education in
French. A basic knowledge of Swedish.

Coordination
Skills: Strong coordination skills of contact sessions, workshops, symposiums and
conferences.

REFEREES

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