

UNISA CONDEMNS WEBSITE FOR PEDDLING FALSE AND UNAUTHORISED INFORMATION ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

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The University of South Africa (Unisa) has noted with serious concern that a certain website is providing misleading and unauthorised information about its application and registration processes.

The article published on the website <http://number1life.com>, under the heading ‘**Yes, You CAN Study For Free at Unisa in 2019**’ was neither issued nor authorised by Unisa, and the university accordingly distances itself from it.

Please note that official information about Unisa’s application and registration processes is available on the university’s website : www.unisa.ac.za. The university does not use third parties to distribute messages to students and applicants.

The university also urges its students and the public at large to be vigilant and aware of social media sites that falsely claim to represent Unisa. The official Facebook page of the university is <https://facebook.com/UniversityOfSouthAfrica> and the Twitter account is <https://twitter.com/unisa>.

‘The university condemns in the strongest terms possible the purveying of false information about its application and registration processes. In particular, we are concerned that a disingenuous act such as this preys on unsuspecting people who are yearning for an education, and has the potential to leave them devastated when such empty promises cannot be fulfilled. We urge everyone to be vigilant online and to rely only on the official website for the most up-to-date and accurate information about Unisa processes. Alternatively, you may contact the university telephonically or visit your nearest Unisa service centre for information’, said Unisa Principal and Vice-Chancellor, Professor Mandla Makhanya.

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