

# INVITATION

The Department of Leadership and Transformation invites you to **the first seminar in the 2021 Reclaiming Africa's Intellectual Capital Seminar Series** entitled

## **“Engaging with Robert Mangaliso Sobukwe”**

### **Presenters:**

**Mr Thand'Olwethu Dlanga** – “Robert Sobukwe and the path of returning back to source”

**Ms Palesa Nqambaza** – “Rethinking the Sharpeville Massacre as a site of Multiple Negations”

**Ms Ayabulela Mhlahlo** - “Unraveling Sobukwe’s internal world”

**Respondent:** Prof Edith Phaswane (Thabo Mbeki African School of Public & International Affairs, UNISA )

**Date:** 23 March 2021

**Time:** 09:30 – 11:30

**Platform:** MS Teams

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*The reimagining of Universities in Africa is intended to make these universities, African Universities. This task requires us to reimagine what we consider knowledge, knowing and most importantly, who should be considered a credible knower. In taking this task to heart, the DLT appropriates this opportunity to present **the first series’ seminar under the theme: ‘Reclaiming Africa’s Intellectual Capital.’** The recent calls for decolonisation have presented us with a most welcome opportunity to provide space for conversation on a ‘marginalized and yet significant’ African scholar, Robert Mangaliso Sobukwe. This seminar on Sobukwe will be used as an opportunity to also discuss the Sharpeville Massacre as a script for imagining and reimagining what it means to be African.*