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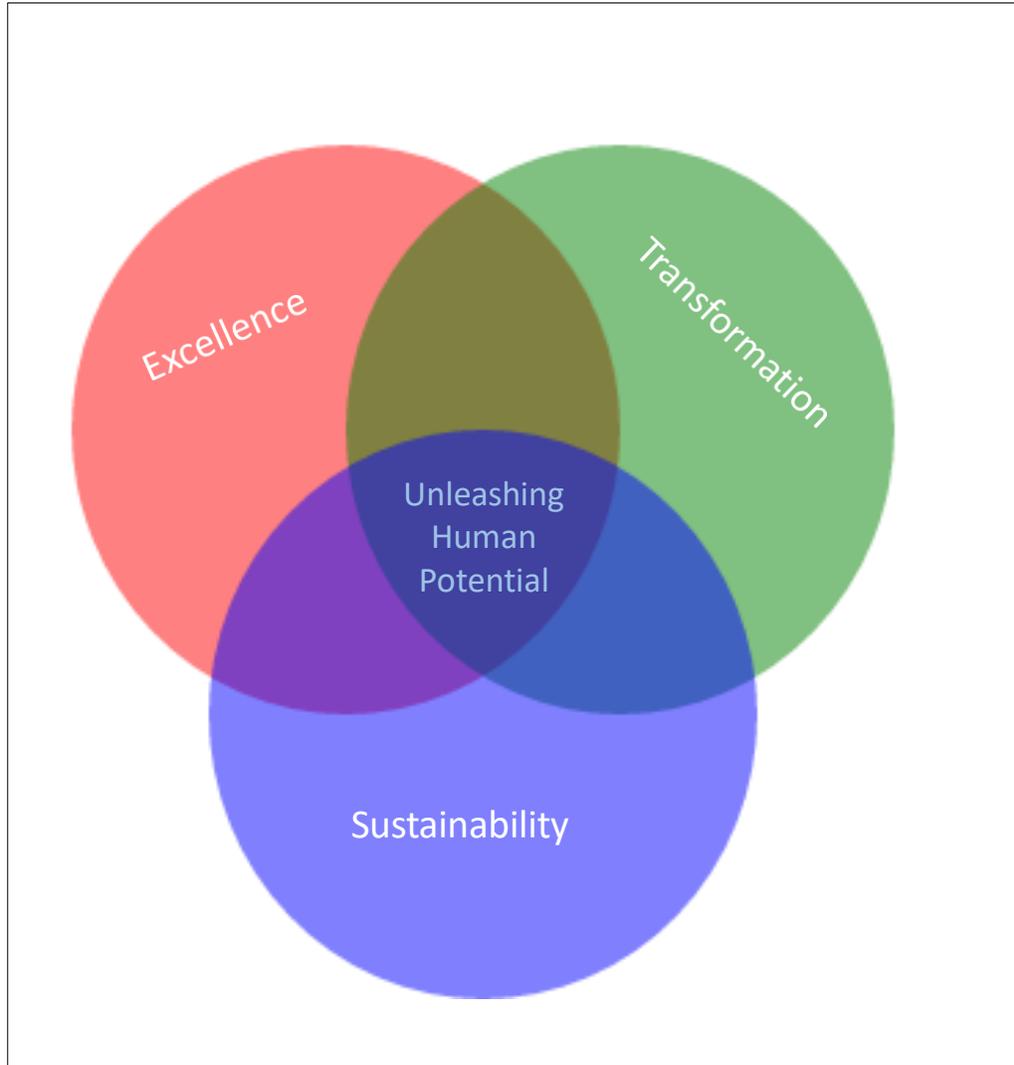
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UCT Vision 2030

#Unleashing knowledge in, for and from Afrika
to re-define and co-create a sustainable global future

UCT Vision 2030



UCT Internationalisation Policy

Principles

1. Excellence and Mutual Benefit
2. Equity and Institutional Culture
3. Position in Africa
4. Research and Academic Autonomy
5. Curriculum
6. International Student Numbers



1
Building a healthy Afrika

2
Resource efficiency and nature-based solutions for sustainable development

3
Advancing Afrika

4
Our southern location

5
On being human

Strategic Focus Areas

*UCT's choice to spell Afrika in this way is an invitation to reclaim Afrika's agency and use it to validate the global character of the local in the 21st century.

FOUR GOALS

Holistic,
innovative,
future-oriented
education

Research solving
Afrika's problems
that contributes to
global knowledge

Thought
leadership

Organisational
ethos that
supports new
ways of thinking,
being and doing



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SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS





AGENDA 2063 GOALS





International Office



Quinton Johnson
Director



Nonnie Falala
Services



Tracy Goslar
Partnerships



Fahmza Jaffar
Finance



Hanne Nyokangi
Africa



Nicola Latchia
Courses



Pengpeng Feng
Confucius

- Ranked **55th most internationalised university in the world.**
 - Serving around **3500-4000 international students** from over **100 countries** annually.
 - Nearly **15%** of the total approximately **30 000 student population is international.** **20: 25: 30**
 - Managing **350+ global partnerships** across approximately **100 countries.**
 - Offerings include **full degree, semester study abroad, short-term and study tour** programmes.
 - There are **joint-degree, co-badged, dual or double degree and co-tutelle** programme possibilities.
 - **Hosting the Confucius Institute** from China.
 - Managing the **Mastercard Foundation Scholars Programme** for students from across **20 countries in Africa.**
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What does this mean for students?

Global Research & Collaboration

Access to **350+ international partnerships** for research and academic exchange.

Opportunities to collaborate with leading global institutions.

Exchange & Study Abroad

Semester exchange programs at **partner universities worldwide**.

Global learning experiences that enhance career prospects.

Support & Resources

Visa & immigration assistance from the International Office.

Cultural adaptation programs & networking with 3500-4000 international students.





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