

Office of the Dean: Faculty of Health Sciences

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Professor Zuki Zingela Executive Dean Faculty of Health Sciences Nelson Mandela University

Dear Professor Zingela

Launch of the NMU Medical School

On behalf of both the Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Pretoria and the SA Committee of Medical Deans I offer you my congratulations on the launch of your Medical School on 30 November 2021.

This is an auspicious occasion for healthcare in South Africa and a giant boost for public health especially as we face the ongoing global pandemic. To have achieved the establishment of a medical school during what is arguably one of the most challenging times in recent history is a testament to what can be accomplished with perseverance and tireless work. These are qualities that will certainly inspire the future generation of students studying medicine at NMU.

Congratulations on the achievement of this long-held dream.

Yours sincerely,

Prof Tiaan de Jager

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