

## The 3<sup>rd</sup> Biennial Language Research Symposium

**Date:** 30 & 31 October 2019

Venue: UNITE Building, Howard College Campus.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The University Language Planning and Development Office invites the submission of abstracts for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Biennial Language Research Symposium under the following theme:

# Language and Decolonization in a Transforming Higher Education Sector: Celebrating the International Year of Indigenous Languages.

#### Please note:

- Call deadline has been extended to the 20th of September 2019.
- $\triangleright$  English abstracts should have 350 500 words.
- ➤ IsiZulu abstracts should have 600 800 words.
- Abstracts should be emailed to the Language Researcher at <a href="mailto:nkontwana@ukzn.ac.za">nkontwana@ukzn.ac.za</a>. The email subject line should be **2019 LRS** and your name. e.g. **2019 LRS Thembile Mabaso**.

#### About the Symposium:

The Biennial Language Research Symposium is the University Language Planning and Development Office's flagship platform where various academics and language development champions confer to display the progress they have made in language development. The symposium is also a platform for carving a way forward that will ensure that language is used as a tool to advance epistemic access and student success.

### **Keynote Speaker:**

Professor Dion Nkomo, Rhodes University.