



QUALITY MANAGEMENT DIRECTORATE INSTITUTIONAL AUDIT UPDATE

To CPUT Community

It is time for the Institutional Audit site visit!

The Vice Chancellor and CPUT community welcome the Council Higher Education (CHE) Institutional Audit (IA) panel members to Cape Peninsula University of Technology. The CHE IA site visit takes place from **10 October to 14 October 2022**. The Panel is composed of academic peers and experts in higher education under the leadership of Prof Veronica McKay, Professor Extradordinarius at the University of South Africa, the chairperson of the IA Panel.

Last week, the QMD planning team under the guidance of the IA Steering Committee, conducted a series of briefing sessions. These sessions were set up to create more awareness about the institutional audit and importantly to inform members of the CPUT community who will be interviewed by the panel, about the IA site visit schedule, the interview sessions and to explain the interview requirements and course of action. The briefing sessions were also created as a platform for providing clarity on various aspects of the audit.

As a reminder, the purpose of the Institutional Audit site visit is to corroborate statements and claims made in the CPUT Self Evaluation Report (SER) and to validate the accuracy, completeness and reliability of the information provided by the institution in the SER, the Portfolio of Evidence, and Institutional Profile. Hence, we encourage all interviewees to (re)familiarise themselves with the SER in preparation for engagement with the Institutional Audit Panel.

The Office of the Vice-Chancellor and the Institutional Audit Steering Committee would like to express their warmest gratitude to the different constituencies who have been part of the process thus far and would like to encourage the whole CPUT community to support and actively participate as required.

We call upon the CPUT family, in the spirit of Oneness and Smartness, to engage with our external academic peers in an honest, transparent, credible and respectful manner. Showing passion, demonstrating enthusiasm and total commitment to everything that we undertake are key tenets of our V2030, the time to practice what we preach is now.

All the best to all participants.

For more information about the Institutional Audit, the CPUT community is invited to visit the link: <https://www.cput.ac.za/services/quality/institutional-audit> or email Dr Siyanda Makaula, the Institutional Audit Coordinator at: InsAudit@cput.ac.za

The end.

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