

WEBINAR INVITATION

DATE: SATURDAY, 11 JULY 2020

TIME: 10:00AM - 12:00PM

VENUE: ONLINE - MICROSOFT TEAMS

ATTENDEES: SCHOOL PRINCIPALS -
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UNDERSTANDING SCHOOL LEADERSHIP DURING A CRISIS

Moderator: Dr Phumzile Mlambo-Ngcuka, Executive Director of UN WOMEN

Remarks: Isaac Shongwe, Chairperson of the Letsema Group and Chairperson of Wits university Council

Principals across sub-Saharan Africa have been thrust into an uncertain and complex environment brought about by the COVID-19 pandemic and the consequential impact on the school system that it has generated. There is a growing need for significant changes in the way the education community operates, educates and delivers services to students and families while contending with health, political and economic concerns.

This has forced Principals to have to adapt on very short notice to the 'New Normal' and this has resulted in a true test of the leadership competencies of these principals with some struggling and others finding innovative and effective interventions to address these issues.