# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

Adv Tommy Thomas, Kwena NTSEWA

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Admitted as Advocate: 01 October 1996

#### Attributes:

- Hardworking
- Assertive
- Ardent Reader
- Knowledge seeking
- Confident
- Friendly
- Energetic
- Articulate

### Curriculum Vitae of Tommy Ntsewa:

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Hobbies:	Swimming
	Walking/Running
	Going to the gym
	Reading
	writing
Driver's License:	Yes

#### **Academic Qualifications:**

Primary Education:	Completed at Seetla Primary School (1980)
Secondary Education (Grade	e 8-10): Karabi High School

High School Education (Grade 11-12):	Completed at Makgoka High School with Matric Certificate (Bachelor's Degree pass D) in 1985
Tertiary Education:	<ul> <li>B.luris (UNIL) – 1989-1992</li> <li>LLB (UniL) – 1993-1994</li> <li>Admission as Advocate – 1996</li> <li>Legal Drafting (UNISA) 2002</li> <li>Other certificate qualifications in Management and Law</li> <li>Certificate in Trusteeship and Corporate Governance (Council for Medical Schemes) 2016</li> </ul>
Modules at Universities:	<ul> <li>Mediation (LSSA)Oct 2020</li> <li>Private Law</li> <li>Family Law</li> <li>Mercantile and Contract Law</li> <li>Commercial law</li> <li>Public law</li> <li>Criminal Law</li> <li>Criminal Procedure</li> <li>Civil Law Procedure</li> <li>African law</li> <li>Constitutional Law</li> <li>Theory of Law</li> <li>Administrative Law</li> <li>Mining law</li> <li>Personal Injury Law (MVA)</li> </ul>
Current areas of Active Practice	<ul> <li>Personal Injury Law (MVA)</li> <li>Personal Injury Law</li> <li>Medical negligence</li> <li>Family Law</li> <li>Criminal Law (defense)</li> <li>Mining Law</li> <li>Customary Law</li> <li>Constitutional Law</li> <li>Administrative Law</li> <li>Company Law</li> <li>Mediation</li> </ul>
Additional Legal Skills	<ul> <li>Corporate Governance</li> <li>Mediation (Accredited by the Law Society of SA) 2020 October</li> <li>Management and Leadership (Anglo American) 2009)</li> </ul>

# Work Experience:

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Professional work	<ul> <li>Currently practising full time as Advocate of the High Court - to date</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Special Legal and Policy Advisor to the Minister and Deputy Director General – National Department of CoGTA 2011-2014)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Legal Advisor at Anglo American (2005 - 2010)</li> </ul>
•	<ul> <li>Chief Director – Office of the Premier (Limpopo)- 1997 -2005 (Legal and Political adviser)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Superintendent (Lt-Colonel) SA Police Services: 1995 – 1997</li> </ul>
Community Political and Civic Leadership experience	<ul> <li>SASCO and later Youth League and Civic Association leadership – 1982 - 2005</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>SRC member at Mokopane</li> <li>College and later at UNIL, 1986 –</li> <li>1994</li> </ul>
BOARD Leadership and membership	Chairperson: NSFAS Independent Appeals Tribunal – February 2023 to date     Member of the AUDIT and RISK
	COMMITTEE: Gert Sibande VET College – March 2022 to date
	Deputy Secretary: Progressive Society of Advocates – 2016 to 2019
	Trustee: Majestic Towers in Parktown April 2020 to date.  MEDCHIELD Trustee (2015 to
	MEDSHIELD Trustee (2015 to February 2018))
	<ul> <li>Moletji Community Radio Board Chairman (2002 to September 2018)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>National Community Radio Forum (2017 to 2018 February (I resigned))</li> </ul>
	Board Member: National Heritage     Council (2005 – 2010)

	<ul> <li>Chairman: SA Geographical Names Council (2000 – 2009)</li> <li>SRC member at UNIL</li> </ul>
Areas of Specialisation as Advocate	<ul> <li>Corporate Governance</li> <li>Law of Contract</li> <li>Personal injury law</li> <li>African Customary law</li> <li>Labour law</li> <li>Corporate Law</li> <li>Mining Law</li> <li>Criminal law</li> <li>Family Law</li> <li>Constitutional and Administrative Law</li> <li>Mediation</li> </ul>
Professional MEMBERSHIPS	<ul> <li>National Bar Council of SA (NBCSA)</li> <li>Black Lawyers Association (BLA)</li> <li>Institute of Directors of SA (IodSA)</li> <li>Progressive Society of Advocates</li> </ul>

## References:

Adv Kganki Phahlamohlaka (Advocate	en en die en
of the High Court) – Acting Judge of the	
High Court	
Modjadji Mphela (CEO - Moletji	
Community Radio)	
Judge Marcus Senyatsi (mentor and	
now Judge of the High Court)	