

MAVA Research 2021



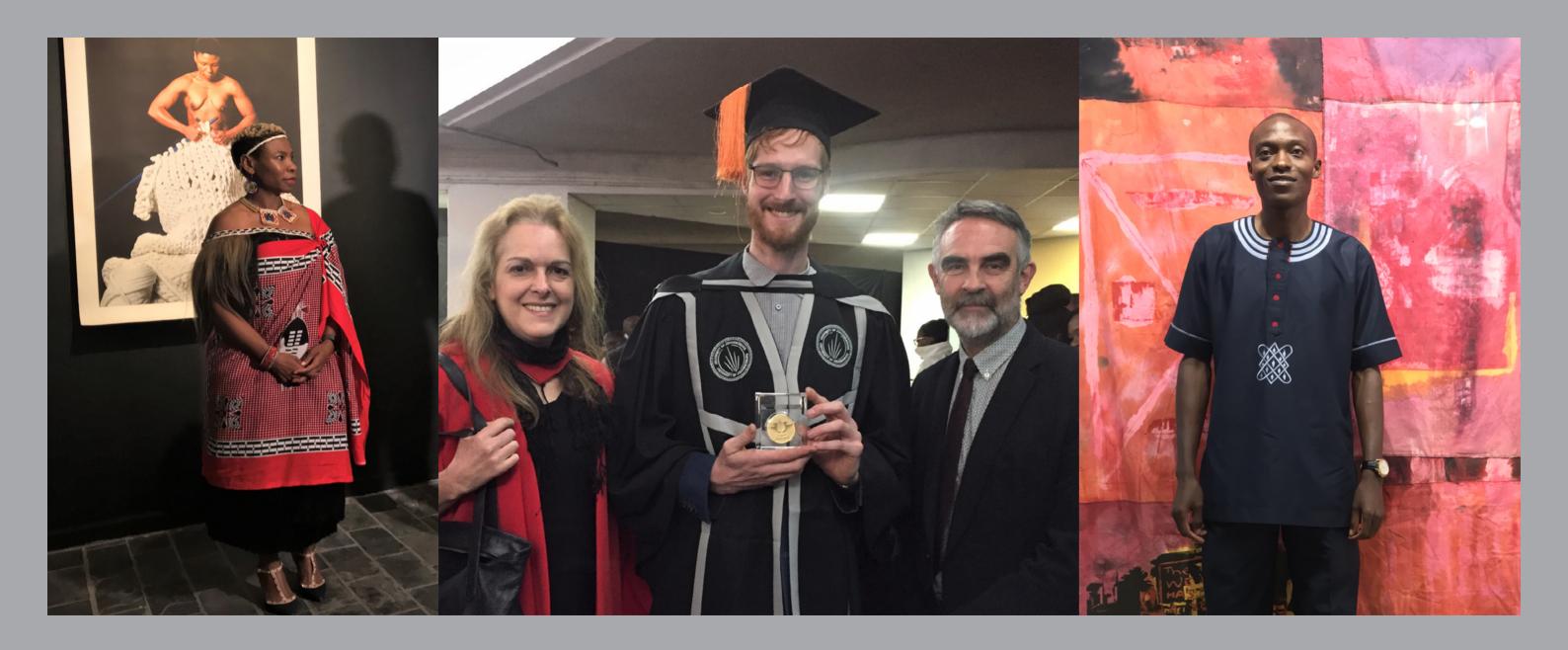
The Department of Visual Art (DoVA)

has graduated 60 Masters students since 2000, more than half of whom have achieved their degrees *cum laude*.

Nine of these students have received the Chancellor's Medal for Meritorious Postgraduate Research.

This is an unprescedented achievement in the Faculty of Art, Design & Architecture.





Master of Arts in Visual Art (MAVA) 2021

Dear postgraduate applicant.

Thank you for your interest in applying to the Department of Visual Art for postgraduate study in the Master of Arts in Visual Art (MAVA).

Please note that you require a minimum of 65% in all modules at 4th year level to be eligible to apply.

In order to qualify for the MAVA with a 4th year (BTech: Fine Art or Honours) qualification, all applicants will need to present a research proposal to the Department of Visual Art at an on-line entrance assessment in mid-November, 2020. Your application presentation must demonstrates your suitability and readiness to register for the MAVA programme. BTech graduates are also required to attend a Research Methodology workshop (details to be provided) to qualify for transition to an NQF Level 8 qualification.

All applicants are required to fill out an official UJ on-line application form and upload the following documents:

- 1) Statement of Intent: a short motivation of your intention to study towards the MAVA degree. The motivation should indicate your area of research interest, the research problem and a brief indication of relevant literature.
- 2) A portfolio of your artwork (5-10 images)
- 3) Your CV and University transcripts
- 4) You may be asked to provide an example of your academic writing or reference letters.

In addition we will be offering Zoom-based seminars to assist applicants prepare for the Entrance Assessment. This is a requirement for those with a BTech qualification, and optional for students entering with an Hons. qualification. Seminars will be held on identified Monday afternoons in October and November.

Please contact Ms Elda Majola for any further information at: eldam@uj.ac.za

Yours sincerely,

Kim Berman
Professor and Postgraduate Program Leader

Department of Visual Art University of Johannesburg Bunting Road Campus Auckland Park Johannesburg

> PO Box 524 Auckland Park Johanneburg 2006

T: +27 11 5591117 F: +27 11 5591136 E: eldam@uj.ac.za

W: https://www.uj.ac.za/faculties/fada/visual-art

