



28 September 2016

To all students and staff  
DUT Durban and Midlands Centre

Dear students and colleagues

**LATEST UPDATE ON STUDENT PROTESTS**

We had a very positive meeting between DUT management, our SRC, the CEO of NSFAS and his team together with senior officials from the Department of Higher Education and Training in Durban today. Sadly, the meeting was disrupted by student protests outside the venue.

As a result, there is no indication that the student protest action will subside, so with that in mind, DUT management has decided that there will be no lectures, tests and practicals on Thursday 29 September and Friday 30 September 2016.

Staff are expected to be on duty from Thursday 29 September 2016.

Thank you for your continued patience and support.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'John Volmink'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Dr John Volmink  
Interim Vice-Chancellor