

UNIVERSITY STATEMENT

14 August 2023

Dear Staff and Students

RETURN TO ON-CAMPUS LECTURES

We are writing to inform you of an important update regarding the cessation of the interim, online learning that was temporarily implemented last week.

After careful consideration and close evaluation of the ongoing situation, we are pleased to announce that Durban University of Technology (DUT) will be resuming on-campus lectures starting from **Tuesday, 15 August 2023**.

We extend our sincere gratitude to all staff and students for their unwavering patience and understanding during the period when the National Student Financial Aid Scheme (NSFAS) was addressing the payment challenges faced by some of its recipients. Your resilience and dedication to continuing with our academic programme is truly commendable. We are pleased to share that, through collaborative efforts and extensive engagement with the Registry, DUT Student Services, DUT Student Representative Council (SRC) and NSFAS, significant progress was made in resolving the issues that led to the recent protests. We believe that the concerns raised by the protestors two weeks ago have been addressed and resolved to the best of our ability.

Once again, we extend our heartfelt gratitude to you, for your understanding, patience and commitment during these challenging times. We look forward to welcoming our students back on campus tomorrow.

Wishing you a safe and successful second semester.

Sincerely

DUT Management team