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**Curriculum vitae**

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6. **Education:**

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| **Institution**  **[ Date from - Date to ]** | **Qualification obtained:** |
| UNISA [2013-2017 | PhD in Agriculture |
| UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE | Masters in Sustainable Agriculture |
| UNIVERSITY OF VENDA | Bachelor of Agriculture |

1. **Language skills:** (1 - excellent; 5 - basic)

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| **Language** | **Reading** | **Speaking** | **Writing** |
| ENGLISH | 1 | 1 | 1 |
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1. **Membership** **of professional bodies:**

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1. **Specialisation** (Agriculture, Biological invasion, Pest Risk Analysis)
2. **Present position: Control Biodiversity Officer**
3. **Key Skills: Research, policy development,**
4. **Specific experience:**

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| **Country** | **Date from - Date to** |
| South Africa | 2006 – up to date |
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1. **Professional experience (Formal employment and Assignments/consultancies**)

| **Date from - to** | **Location** | **Organisation** | **Position** | **Description of Duties and achievements** |
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| 2014- | South Africa | Dept of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment | Control Biodiversity Officer | Risk assessment for alien and invasive species. |
| 2009- 2014 | South Africa | Dept of Agriculture | Scientist Production | Pest Risk analysis |
| 2006- 2009 | South Africa | Dept of Agriculture | Technician | Phytosanitary officer |
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1. Publications

Tshikhudo PP, Nnzeru LR, Rambauli M, Makhado RA, Mudau FN. Phytosanitary risk associated with illegal importation of pest-infested commodities to the South African agricultural sector. S Afr J Sci.

2021; 117(7/8), Art. #8675. https://doi.org/10.17159/sajs.2021/8675

Nnzeru, L.R., Tshikhudo, P.P., Mudereri, B.T. et al. Pest interceptions on imported fresh fruits into South Africa. Int J Trop Insect Sci (2021). https://doi.org/10.1007/s42690-021-00501-y

Moshobane MC, Nnzeru LR, Nelukalo K, Mothapo NP. Patterns of permit requests and issuance regulated alien and invasive species in South Africa for the period 2015–2018. Afr J Ecol. 2020; 00:1–15. https://doi.org/10.1111/aje.12720

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Tshikhudo P, \*Nnzeru R, Ntushelo K and Mudau F (2013). Bacterial species identification getting easier. African Journal of Biotechnology Vol. 12(41), pp 5975-5982. http://www.academicjournals.org/AJB.

1. **Professional Referees**

1. Prof. Khayalethu Ntushelo

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