

Curriculum Vitae of Dr. Teboho Seobi

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Objective

First and foremost, all that I do is rooted in my faith. I believe that we are all created to accomplish great deeds to benefit those around us. To always be motivated by love for our neighbor.

I am intent on running for the president position or a member position on the executive committee of the Convocation. I was a medical student at UCT from 2002 to 2008. During my stay at UCT, I had some of the best life-changing experiences in my entire life. My time at UCT equipped me not only with world-class education but also a profound understanding of the university's critical role in shaping the suture of South Africa and the continent.

If elected, I am fully committed to working collaboratively with the executive committee to strengthen the convocation's impact, enhance alumni engagement globally, and ensure the voice of the alumni community is effectively represented in university affairs.

I believe the voice of the alumni can help shape the legacy of UCT. The legacy of UCT should not only be a world-class institution of learning and research but an institution that has a living relationship with the community, nationally and internationally, from which its students come from. A university that understands the hardships of the community that surrounds it, respects the voices of the community that surrounds it and supports the community that surrounds it.

In doing so, that very community will want to invest back into the university. This is because a university is made up of more than buildings, but people. The people have the power to leave a legacy for generations to come.

I look forward to engaging in the electoral process and the possibility of serving the institution and its global community of graduates.

Education

- 1997 -2002 Completed Primary Level at Veritas College High School. Matriculated from Veritas College High School Subjects: English, Afrikaans, Mathematics, Science, Biology, Accounting, Painting
- 2008 Graduated Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery from University of Cape Town
- 2011 Diploma in Obstetrics and Gynaecology from The College of Medicine of South Africa
- 2016 FC(Ophth)SA Colleges of Medicine of South Africa
- 2017 Masters of Medicine with the University of the Witwatersrand
- 2018 European School for Advanced Studies in Ophthalmology. Oculoplastic Course.
- 2025 Global Surgery Executive Leadership Course, Graduate School of Business with the University of Cape Town.

Work Experience

- 2009-2010 Internship at Steve Biko Academic Hospital
- 2011 Community Service at Dora Nginza Hospital. Obstetrics and Gynaecology.
- 2012-2013 Medical Officer at St John Eye Hospital
- 2013-2016 Registrar Ophthalmology Department at University of Witwatersrand
- 2017 Consultant at Chris Hani Baragwanath Academic Hospital. Heading the Glaucoma Unit. Assisting in the Oculoplastic and Orbital Unit
- 2018-2019 Consultant at Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Academic Hospital Heading the Paediatric Ophthalmology Unit and the Oculoplastics and Orbital Unit
- 2020-2021 Consultant at Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Academic Hospital Heading the Paediatric Ophthalmology Unit. Worked in the Vitreoretinal Unit
- 2021-2024 Consultant at Red Cross War Memorial Children's Hospital.
- 2024-2025 Groote Schuur Hospital. In charge of the Oculoplastic and Orbital and Unit and the ocular oncology unit

Presentations

- 2016 South African Glaucoma Society- Surgical Management of Glaucoma at Academic Institutions in South Africa
- 2018 OSSA Congress- HIV associated eye conditions to Ophthalmic Nurses
- 2019 OSSA Congress- An Analysis of Retinopathy of Prematurity Screening at a Tertiary Institution in South Africa
- 2019 Wits Ophthalmology Research and CME day- An Analysis of Orbicularis Plication
- 2021 1st Scientific Conference of the African Ophthalmology Council Strengthening Pediatric Ophthalmology in Africa

2022	OSSA Congress- Rehabilitating the socket after enucleations for retinoblastoma
2022	Allergy Foundation of South Africa 2022 RCWMCH Presentation- Congenital Ptosis
2022	RCWMCH Presentation- Surgical Approaches to the Orbit
2022	Department of Ophthalmology Registrar tutorials and presentations
2023	OSSA Congress- Management of Congenital Ptosis
2023	Lectures at the Allergy Foundation of South Africa Webinar
2023	OSSA YO Seminar- The Surgical Management of Strabismus
2023	RCWMCH Presentation- Approach of Epiphora, Surgical Management of Nasolacrimal Duct Obstruction
2024	Introduction of the South African Retinoblastoma Collaborative Group at OSSA Congress
2024	Lectures at the Allergy Foundation of South Africa Webinar
2025	The South African Retinoblastoma Collaborative Group at OSSA Congress
2025	Abstract accepted at the International Society of Ocular Oncology in Brazil- The First case of Conjunctival Pleomorphic Sarcoma in South Africa. Presentation to be delivered in March 2026

Publications

1. Erasmus D, Seobi T. A rare case of Orbital Hydatid Disease. SAOJ 2021;16(4);29- 32
2. Rawjee K, Seobi T, Makgotloe A. Intravitreal chemotherapy in the management of retinoblastoma in a resource-limited setting. African Vision and Eye Health. 2022;18(1);1-4
3. Seobi T, Maposa I, Makgotloe AM. Retinopathy of prematurity screening in Johannesburg, South Africa: A comparative study. African Vision and Eye Health 18(1);a771
4. Van der Lecq T, Rhoda N, Jordaan E, Seobi T, Visser L, Gilbert C, Muloiwa R, Holstrom G. Screening for retinopathy of prematurity (ROP) in South Africa: data from a newly established prospective regional register. BMJ Open Ophthalmology 2025; 10:e002036

Achievements

Ophthalmology

2021	Launched the Dr. Tebz Show on YouTube
2022	Organised the Inaugural Masterclass of the Colleges of Ophthalmology of South Africa
2025	Inaugural SASPOS Strabismus Skills Lab
2024	Co-founder of the South African Retinoblastoma Collaborative Group

Personal

2023	Published book-Empty Cupboards. Living, Healing and Thriving
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Examinations

2017	Observer Diploma Ophthalmology in South Africa in the CMSA
2020	Intermediate Examination of the Colleges of Ophthalmology in the CMSA
2020	Diploma Examination of Colleges of Ophthalmology in the CMSA
2021	Second semester Diploma Examination of Colleges of Ophthalmology in the CMSA
2022	Marked MMED Thesis
2022-2023	Convenor of the Pathology of Examination of the Colleges of Ophthalmology in the CMSA
2023-2024	Convenor of the FcOph (S.A) Part 1 examination Semester 1 and Semester 2
2025	Examiner of the College of Ophthalmology Part II FcOphth Examinations

Leadership

University

2004	Clarinus Village House Committee Member. In charge of Community Outreach and the IT Department of the Residence
2006	Member of the Sports Sub-Committee in the Medical Residence
2007	Receptionist at Medical Residence

Registrar

2014-2015	Registrar representative in the Ophthalmology Department at the University of the Witwatersrand
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Ophthalmologist

2019-2021	Ophthalmology representative at the Theatre Committee at Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Academic Hospital
2020-2021	Undergraduate GEMP 3 Programme co-ordinator at Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Academic Hospital
2020 -2023	Council Member of the College of Ophthalmologists of the Colleges of Medicine of South Africa
2022	Organisor of the Inaugural Council of Ophthalmology of the Colleges of South Africa Masterclass for registrars
2022	Contributed to the Bid Committee for the Refractive Services for the Western Cape Department of Health
2022 2022	Part of the Surgical Faculty Committee Member at RCWMCH
2022-2023	Initiation of the Registrar Assessments at the University of Cape Town Ophthalmology Division

2024	Committee of the Registrar Assessments at the University of Cape Town Ophthalmology Division
2022-2025	Committee Member for the Department of Surgery Transformation Committee at University of Cape Town
2023-2024	Organisor of the Council of Ophthalmology of the Colleges of South Africa Masterclass for registrars
2023-2025	President of the South African Society of Paediatric Ophthalmology Society
2023-2026	Re-elected Council Member of the College of Ophthalmologists of the Colleges of Medicine of South Africa
2023-2024	Bid Committee Member for the Ophthalmological Consumables for the Western Cape Department of Health ^[11] _{SEP}
2023	Bid Committee Member for the Optometrist at Red Cross War Memorial Children's Hospital
2025	Ophthalmology representative on the Theatre Management Committee at Groote Schuur Hospital
2023	Co-Founder of the South African Retinoblastoma Collaborative Group
2025	Part of the Committee Updating the South African Retinoblastoma Treatment Guidelines
2025	Member of the International Society of Ocular Oncology

Skills

- Teaching and giving guidance to juniors
- Educational public speaking and presentations
- Ophthalmological surgeries- paediatrics, oculoplastics, orbital, cataract
- Collaborating with multiple people to make a system work
- Interpersonal skills for conflict resolution
- Organising Clinical work and theatre slate
- Assisting in organising conferences and day seminars
- Teaching undergraduate students, registrars and fellows
- Organising of the surgical and clinical equipment
- Counselling patients
- Publishing a book
- Producing social media content

Skills

- Preaching and teaching Biblical teachings
- Radio presenting
- Teaching and giving guidance to juniors
- Educational public speaking and presentations
- Ophthalmological surgeries (please see logbook attached)

Family

Marital Status: Divorced
First born of three daughters

Interests

Painting
Poetry
Photography
Music

References

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