







#### Inaugural Career Development Practitioners

Congress









Education, Training and Development Practices Sector Education and Training Authority

Hallo! Hello! Lotjhani! Molo! Sawubona! Dumela! Dumela! Dumela! Avuxeni! Sawubona! Ndaa!

"If you talk to a man in a language he understands, that goes to his head. If you talk to him in his language, that goes to his heart." 
Nelson Mandela

may we observe

A MOMENT OF SILENCE

for all those who are unemployed

at this moment



# Conferring the first Professional Designation onto the SA Register of Career Development Practitioners

Mr Chris Beukes

Chief Executive Officer

South African Career Development Association



- Today marks the dawn of a new era for career development in our country
- We are celebrating a new Professional Designation, whose sole purpose, is to support the career development of our people
- Ask a person (*especially the youth*) to tell you about their skills, and you too will see our challenge

- As a collective, we are responsible to ensure a nation of people who are connected to their skills and enabled to put them to work
- The right to decent and meaningful work is a basic human right for all those who are willing and able
- For those being be conferred the first Professional Designation of Career Development Practitioner in South Africa...
- Do not take your responsibility lightly



- We are facing tough times, and we need you to get out, into our communities, and work, like never before
- Seated in this room here today, are the most influential stakeholders in the entire skills pipeline, in South Africa
- We, as a collective, commit to equipping you, as Career Development Practitioners, with Ethics, Access, Quality and Growth
- By coming together to equip Career Development Practitioners, we are coming together to equip our communities and country.

## May the first to be conferred the designation: Career Information Officer prepare yourself to come up to stage





















### May we stand to give the first Registered Career Development Practitioners in South Africa a round of applause



- Life must not be about trying to stay alive.
- Life must be about findings ways to thrive.
- •Through Career Development Practitioners, together with all other parts of our society, we will do just that.



#### A vision from our President



