



Celebrating the

BONGANI MAYOSI LEGACY

Professor Bongani Mawethu Mayosi (BMedSci, MB ChB, FCP(SA), DPhil, OMS) was an outstanding clinician, scientist and teacher. His significant contributions to research, teaching, training and health policy have been recognized through the numerous national and international accolades bestowed on him. His commitment to academic excellence, collaboration and social transformation, influenced and inspired many.

The exhibition *Celebrating the Bongani Mayosi Legacy* is a collaborative initiative between UCT Libraries and the Faculty of Health Sciences, and a befitting and tangible way:

- to acknowledge and celebrate the vision, impact and influence of the late Bongani Mayosi on the health sciences academic endeavours and students of the University of Cape Town
- to honour and preserve Professor Mayosi's legacy of academic excellence, aspiration and collaboration in teaching, learning and research, and his message to "Lift as you rise"
- to showcase via *In His Footsteps*, the groundbreaking work of the *Bongani Mayosi Research Collaborative*, an interdisciplinary platform spearheaded by four of his doctoral graduates driving research in the area of cardiovascular disease in Africa, and which is designed to see Bongani Mayosi's vision to completion, and beyond.

We believe his legacy will continue to have a long-term impact on the aspirations and success of African health sciences students, academics and researchers thereby giving expression and keeping alive Prof Bongani Mayosi's vision and principles as an inspiration to all.

