

# LUTHULI MUSEUM



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## MUSEUM RESEARCHER

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The Luthuli Museum based in Groutville on the North Coast of KwaZulu Natal Province, seeks to appoint a Researcher to undertake research into the history and legacy of CAL in his lifetime; in conjunction with the Curator to enhance collections; knowledge; exhibitions and the Museum's research agenda. The candidate is also required to design research programmes; research information on new and existing collections; conceptualise; plan and implement projects; displays and exhibitions. The position reports to the Museum Curator.

### Key Performance Areas:

- Conduct historical research on the life and times of the Chief Albert Luthuli legacy
- Conceptualise; plan; cost and implement exhibitions and displays.
- Implement research on special projects programme.
- Establish and maintain collaborations with other institutions and professional networks;
- Initiate and maintain a research facilities and publications programmes.

### Requirements:

- Bachelors or post graduate degree in History; Political Science; Anthropology; or relevant tertiary qualification.
- 3 – 5 years working experience in the heritage and research environment, or a similar position.
- Unendorsed drivers licence and willingness to travel.
- Computer literacy and ability to work with databases.
- Aptitude in historical research methodologies and tools.
- Networking and stakeholder relationship management skills.
- Good written verbal and written communication skills.
- Report writing skills
- Work independently with ethical practice
- Knowledge and appreciation of South Africa's heritage; arts and culture

### Behavioural Competencies:

- Interpersonal skills
- Attention to detail
- Achievement orientated
- Planning and organising skills
- Problem solving skills
- Information gathering skills
- Flexibility
- Ability to manage and lead teams

**The Luthuli Museum is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer, whose aim is to promote representivity in all levels of occupational categories in the institution.**

**Enquires: Mr Thabani Nkosi      Tel:      032 559 6822**

**Applications must be sent by registered mail for attention Delys Brouckaert, HR Torque, 163 Umhlanga Rocks Drive, Durban North. Alternatively applications can be sent via email to [delys@hrtorque.co.za](mailto:delys@hrtorque.co.za)**

The Museum reserves the right not to make an appointment. The closing date for submission of applications is **16 February 2018 by no later than 16h00.**

No faxed applications will be accepted. Please send covering letter with your application stating position you are applying for, including a detailed resume with a list of traceable references and certified copies of all qualifications. Appointment is subject to the verification of educational qualifications, previous experience, reference checks and security vetting. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. If you have not heard from us by **30 March 2018**, you may consider your application unsuccessful.