

## **Short Biography for Xolani Sakuba**

Mr. Xolani Sakuba lectures Systematic Theology at the School of Religion and Theology, in the University of KwaZulu-Natal. In addition to that he also is a PhD candidate at the Department of Religion and Theology in University of the Western Cape. In between his studies and teaching, Mr. Sakuba is the chairperson of the “Partnership Committee” at the School of Religion and Theology at UKZN (SORAT). This is a committee that administers and facilitates cooperation between SORAT and various theological institutions locally and internationally. It is within this context that Mr. Sakuba also serves as the coordinator of the DAAD funded agreement between SORAT, (UKZN) and the Faculty of Theology at Humboldt University *zu* Berlin. Mr. Sakuba is a member of the Executive Committee of the Theological Society of South Africa as well as its KZN representative. Mr. Sakuba has also been the coordinator of the Cluster of Theological institutions in Pietermaritzburg since 2009. Mr Sakuba also serves an understudy to the Higher Degrees Coordinator of SORAT and subsequently a member of the Arts Faculty Higher Degrees Committee. Mr. Sakuba researches in the area of African Christian theology with an emphasis on the interface and overlaps in discourses that take place between this theological tradition and contemporary African Philosophy.