

## PITIKA NTULI

## TERTIARY QUALIFICATIONS

- 1964 Teaching Certificate, Nazarene College, University of Botswana, Lesotho and Swaziland, Manzini, Swaziland
- 1977 Master of Fine Arts, Pratt Institute, New York, USA
- 1984 Certificate in Industrial relations and Trade Union Studies, Middlesex Polytechnic, London, UK
- 1985 Master of Fine Arts, Comparative Industrial Relations, Brunel University, London, London

## AWARDS

- 2022 The South African Traditional Music Achievements Awards (SATMA Awards)
- 2021 Global Fine Art People's Choice "You-2" award
- 2017 Johannesburg Soccer Legends Award
- 2017 Indondo Social Cohesion and Nation Building Award
- 2013 Arts and Culture Trust Lifetime Achievement Award
- 2012 City of Johannesburg Living Legend

## EMPLOYMENT

2017	Principal, Pitika and Antoinette Ntuli Academy of Visual Arts and
	Culture
2007	Artist and self-employed Consultant
2014 2015	Fellow, Mapungubwe Institute
2012 2017	Chair, Mbokodo Awards for Women in the Arts
2004 2006	Executive Director Organisational Development, UKZN
2003	Executive Dean of Students, UDW
2000 2002	Director, Sankofa Institute for the African Renaissance
1999 2000	Senior Fellow African Renaissance Institute (Continental
	Consultant)
1996 - 1998	Deputy Vice-Chancellor, UDW
1995 1996	Professor of Fine Arts and Art History, UDW
1994 1995	Senior Lecturer, Dept of Fine Art, Wits
1987 1994	Part Time Lecturer, History of Art and Cultural Studies
	concurrently in the following institutions:
	Camberwell College of Art
	Central St. Martin's College of Art
	Middlesex University
	East London University
1985 1987	Artistic Director, Jenako Arts Community Arts Centre
	London, UK
1979 1985	Artist and Self Employed Consultant, UK
1977	Teacher, UN Refugee School, Swaziland
1972 -1974	Artist, Swaziland
19651971	Teacher, Ministry of Education, Swaziland



## EXHIBITIONS

Solo Exhibitions

- 2014 "Marikana Fracture", Richmond Booktown
- 2013 "From Marikana Hill to Constitutional Hill", Constitutional Hill
- 2012 "Oliver and Adelaide Siyanikhumbula" Oliver Tambo Environmental Narrative and Education Centre, Wattville, Benoni
- 2011 "Scent of Invisible Footprints in Moments of Complexity" Unisa Gallery, Pretoria, Gauteng
- 2011 Nirox Sculpture Park, Summer Exhibition
- 2011 "Scent of Invisible Footprints eGagasini" Durban Art Gallery, Durban, South Africa
- 2010 "Scent of Invisible Footprints in Moments of Complexity" MuseuMAfricA, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 1993 "Monti-wa-Marumo" (Boomerang to the Source), Angel Row Art Gallery, Nottingham, UK
- 1992 "At the Nerve End of our Dream", Greenwich Citizens Gallery, London, UK
- 1991 "Anthem for workers", National Museum of Labour History, London, UK
- 1989 "Anthem for our Children", 198 Gallery, London, UK
- 1986 "Crossing Borders into Hope" Munster, Dusseldorf, and Berlin, Germany
- 1986 "Airing Views", Highbury Fields, London, UK
- 1983 "Mbongi Sabela, Africa Centre, London, UK
- 1982 Oval House, London, UK
- 1981 Grange Museum, Brent, London, UK

# Group Exhibitions

- 2021 "Sculpt---X" Melrose Art Gallery
- 2019 "Sculpt-X" Melrose Art Gallery
- 2019 "Latitudes Art Fair"
- 2018 "Sculpt-X" Melrose Art Gallery
- 2018 "Mandela 100" Melrose Art Gallery
- 2017 "Sculpt-X" Melrose Art Gallery
- 2015 "The 'So Called' Emerging Black Artist", Constitutional HIII
- 2014 Design City, Cape Town
- 2012 Den Haag Contemporary South African Sculpture
- 2011/12 "20Stellenbosch" 20 years of South African Sculpture
- 1992 Marylands Studio, London, UK
- 1989 Third Havana Bienniel, Cuba
- 1989 "Heart Under South Africa", Oval House, London, UK
- 1988 "Point of Arrival", Woodlands Art Gallery, London, UK
- 1987 "Thusa", Oval House, London, UK
- 1987 "Monti wa Marumo", Brixton Art Gallery, London, UK
- 1986 Grange Museum of Labour History, London, UK
- 1985 "Black Artists for South Africa", Upper Street Gallery, London, UK
- 1985 Air and Space Gallery, London, UK



1984	"Roots, Routes and Routs", Black Art Gallery, London, UK
1982	Pentonville Gallery, London, UK
1980	Pentonville Gallery, London, UK

### **Exhibitions** Curated

- 1995 "Taking Liberties: The Body Politic", Africus, Johannesburg Biennale, SA (Cocurated
- 1995 "Siyawela;Loss and Liberation in South African Art", Africa 95 Festival,
- 1988 "Inkaba Arts Festival; Contrast and Commonalities in Third World Arts", London UK
- 1987 "Monti wa Marumo", Brixton Art Gallery, London, UK
- 1986 "Pleasures and Pressures of Spirituality", One Spirit Gallery, London, Uk

## SELECTED COMMISSIONS

- 2013 City of Johannesburg, "Silverton Three Monument"
- 2012 Cosatu, Johannesburg, 'Monument for the Workers'
- 2011 Paul Simon, "The Heart of Love"
- 1975 St Mary's Catholic Church, Swaziland, 15 foot metal Christ
- 1974 Matsapa International Airport, Swaziland, 12 foot Stone Sculpture
- 1973 Swaziland Credit and Savings Bank, 15 foot Stone Mural

#### PUBLIC COLLECTIONS OWNING WORKS

African American Institute, New York, USA Constituional Court, Johannesburg, SA Durban Art Gallery, SA UNISA, Pretoria, SA Jazz Foundation, Johannesburg, SA Northern Foods, Yorkshire, UK

# **PRIVATE COLLECTIONS OWNING WORKS (selected)**

Paul Simon, USA Akufo Addo, Ghana Lord Haskins, UK The Satows, UK The Sharpes, UK Phuthuma Nhleko, SA The Davidson Foundation, SA Mojalefa and Thandeka Mbethe, SA Saki Zamxaxa, SA Helen Grant, UK



### **ARTIST IN RESIDENCE**

- 1992 Poetry: George Orwell Secondary School
- 1992 Poetry: Barking Primary School
- 1992 Sculpture: Westminster College
- 1990/91 Poetry: Thomas Buxton Junior School
- 1989 Painting and Sculpture: Highbury Grove Secondary School
- 1988 Sculpture, Poetry and Story Telling: Bluegate Fields Primary School
- 1986 Sculpture, Poetry and Story Telling : Sheen Mount Secondary School

#### NATIONAL COMMISSION AND TASK TEAM MEMBERSHIP

2021 -	Board Member of the Iziko South African Museum
2019 2021	Commission for the Promotion and Protection of the Rights of Cultural,
	Religious and Linguistic Communities
2014 2017	Board Member, National Commission on Moral Regeneration
2012 2013	Chair, Ministerial Advisory Project on African Languages in Higher
	Education
2007 2013	Chair, Ministerial Advisory Committee on Indigenous Knowledge
	Systems
2009 2010	Chair, Arts and Culture 2010 Ministerial Task Team
2004 2009	Commissioner, Commission on Traditional Leadership Disputes and Claims
2003	Member, Ministerial Task Team Traditional Leadership
2002	Member, Ministerial Project Committee National Curriculum Statement
	for Further Education and Training
2002	Member, Task Team for Indigenous Knowledge System
2002	Member, Task Team for Restoring Cultural – Social Fabric

## COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

- 2019 --- Patron of ZAPP (Southern African Poetry Project)
- 2017 --- Patron of the English Academy of Southern Africa
- 2008 2010 Board Member, National Film and Video Foundation
- 2006 Local Organising Committee 2006 World Congress of Sociologists
- 2003 Local Organising Committee 2003 Political Science World Congress



2001	Co-Director, Awesome Africa SA representatives of (Womad) World of Music, Art and Drama
1998 2005	Chairperson of the Board of Trustees, Bartle Arts Trust
1995	Member, Planning Committee, 1995 Venice Biennale
1995	Convenor of Visual Arts Team, Arts Education Task Team, Gauteng
1992 – 1994	Artistic Director, Maluju Artists for Peace
1986 – 1994	Member of Africa Centre Gallery panel
1985 – 1992	Chairperson, Apples and Snakes International Poetry Collective
1985 - 1991	Co-ordinator, Jenako Black Writers Workshop

1982 – 1987 Chairperson, PITSO, South African Art and Cultural Association

# SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- The Arts and National Development. Editor of forthcoming publication. MISTRA
- Scent of Invisible Footprints the Sculpture of Pitika Ntuli. UNISA. September 2010
- Indigenous African Art & Healing: Forgotten Memories, Planting Memories of Tomorrow. In Indilinga. South Africa. 2009
- IKS & African Renaissance Laying the Foundation for a Creation of Counter Hegemonic Discourses in Towards A Philosophy of Articulation: Indigenous Knowledge & the Integration of Knowledge Systems. Ed Dr Catherine Odora- Hopper, New Africa Education Publisher. Cape Town. May 2001
- Participation and Culture in the Era of the African Renaissance: an Overview in "Participation, Culture and Globalisation". Ed Georgy Szell, Dasarath Chetty & Alain Chouroque, Peter Lang. International Publishers. May 2001
- The Missing Link between Education and Culture: Are we still chasing Gods that are Not our own? in African Renaissance, The New Struggle. Ed Prof. W. M. Makgoba. 1999
- Speaking Truth to Power. Alteration Vol 6, no.1, 1999
- Who is Afraid of the African Renaissance? Indicator, The Barometer of Social Trends. Winter Vol. 15 No. 2 1998
- The Battle for South Africa's Mind: In conversation. Africa World Review. Nov 1994, April 1995
- Return to the Source. Catalogue Essay, Angel Row Gallery. Nottingham, UK.1994
- Fragments from a Telescope: A Response to Albie Sachs. Third Text, No 23, 1993
- At the Nerve End of our Dream. Catalogue Poetics, Greenwich Citizens Gallery. 1990
- *Models and Fabrications*. Review Essay. Ed W Cobbett and R Cohen, PAL Platform, Vol. 1 No. 1 1989
- Open Veins Backbone of our Struggle. Catalogue Essay, 198 Gallery, London. 1989
- Orature, in Storms of the Heart. Ed K Owusu. Comedia Publishers. London. 1987
- Equality of Opportunity in the South African Agricultural Sector: ILO Egalite. 1984



- Background to Labour Law in South Africa, ILO Egalite. 1984
- Trial of Christopher Okigbo. Review Essay, Swaziland Today, Vol.11, No. 1, 1972

## FILM AND TELEVISION PROGRAMMES

Professor Pitika Ntuli is a regular commentator on Arts culture, social and economic issues for a wide range of TV and Radio stations.

Programmes about his work, or to which he has contributed:

- 2010 Arts Alive, MTN
- 2010 Good Morning Africa, MTN
- 2010 Weekend Live, SABC 2
- 2010 DTV, SABC 3
- 2010 Spirit Sunday, SABC 1
- 2010 50/50, SABC 2
- 2010 Imani, SABC 1
- 2008 2011 Weekly Column, Weekend Live, SABC 2
- 2008 Curious Culture, SABC 3
- 2008 Science and Religion, SABC 2
- 2008 Imani, SABC 1
- 2008 90 Years, Celebrating Madiba
- 2008 More Than Just a Game
- 2005 Heaven's Herds
- 2004 SA's 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary
- 1998 "Off Stage", SABC 1
- 1995 "Behind the Mask", SABC 1
- 1994 BBC Late Show Review, BBC 2
- 1990 "The Great Picture Chase", ITV, UK
- 1988 "Echoes of My Land", ITV, UK
- 1987 "Home and Exile", Performance Piece, Camberwell College of Art
- 1985 "Where Fragments are Universes", British International Film School
- 1985 "L'Exil" Swedish TV
- 1984 "Exiles", Channel Four TV, UK
- 1983 Roving Report, ITV, UK