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I. ACTIVITIES OF THE CENTRE

The Centre for Applied Social Sciences is a multi-disciplinary research and teaching department within the Faculty of Social Science in the University of Natal.

1.1 A Research Centre

The Centre for Applied Social Sciences, formerly the Institute for Social Research has been operating successfully since 1954. The Centre functions as a department in the Faculty under the Directorship of Professor Lawrence Schlemmer. (However, the Directorship will be vacant as of the end of 1986 when Professor Schlemmer will leave the Centre to take up an appointment at another University). The Development Studies Unit within it is under the direction of Professor Jill Nattrass. The Centre's main activity is in the field of applied and basic social research. Studies are undertaken by individual members of staff and by research teams under the supervision of the Director and other senior members of staff. Since its establishment the Centre has been approached by a wide range of organisations which have wished to sponsor projects related to various issues in South African life such as industrial and intergroup relations, work attitudes, housing environments, community needs, black advancement, quality of life, political attitudes and opinions, and development studies of various kinds. The results of studies undertaken in the Centre are disseminated to sponsors and the interested public through the Centre's publication service. (A list of current projects appears under III and IV below.)

1.2 A Publication Service for the General Public

The Centre is widely known for its publishing activity. More than 370 titles covering numerous topical issues in South African society have been made available to the public for purchase. Publications series include research reports, communications, fact papers, monographs and occasional papers, conference proceedings and journal articles.
1.3 Teaching in Applied Social Sciences

The Centre provides training in what may be broadly described as socio-economic development at the postgraduate level. A two year part-time or one year full-time Honours and Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Social Sciences are offered to persons who hold a suitable degree in social sciences. The courses introduce students to theoretical and practical issues in social and economic development in society generally and in organisational and community settings, offer advanced research training, and training in the evaluation of social and development programmes. Students also participate in practical research tasks in the field of development and change. The courses are designed to prepare students for developmentally-oriented work and research in voluntary organisations, in industry, in the civil service, and in community programmes of various kinds. The Honours Programme and the Diploma cover the same fields, but the Honours course is in greater depth.

1.4 The Development Studies Unit in the Centre for Applied Social Sciences

Since 1982 a Development Studies Unit, headed by Professor Jill Nattrass, has been operative as a sub-department in the Centre. The Unit aims at providing a focus for the concentration of development efforts on the Third World environment in South and Southern Africa. The Unit undertakes research into the development needs of communities and regions in Southern Africa, motivation and organisation for urban and rural development, and will evaluate practical alternative strategies for development. The Unit is also a teaching unit and offers course work towards the Masters Degree, specialising in Development Studies. The Development Studies Unit also contributes to the research and teaching programmes in the Centre generally and vice-versa.

1.5 Maurice Webb Race Relations Unit

In 1984, the Maurice Webb Trust endowed a Senior Fellowship in Race Relations. The Unit undertakes research and publishes specifically in the field of race relations and problems surrounding the issue of race in South Africa.

1.6 The Communication Role of the Centre

The Centre for Applied Social Sciences is well-known for its interest and participation in community and national areas of concern. Members of the Centre staff serve as consultants to and expert advisors on a wide range of industrial, civic, political, planning and research bodies. University departments and practitioners frequently rely upon the Centre's expertise in solving practical and theoretical research problems. The Centre also provides a forum for the discussion of current issues by convening workshops and seminars for members of the academic community and practitioners in the field.
1.7 Monitoring Service provided by the Centre: INDICATOR SA

A Data Resource Unit was established in 1983 within the Centre which aims to collect and analyse indicators of social change and development in South African society. The monitoring tasks of the Unit include newspapers and media analyses, the collection of statistics on development in a wide range of organisational settings, regular systematic surveys of opinion, ad hoc surveys of crisis situations, and the presentations of scenarios of emergent socio-political conditions in South Africa. The work of the Indicator Project currently also involves original research by a team of 4 to 5 project researchers (see Issue Foci in the publications list). As a service to the community, the results of the Unit's monitoring studies are distributed to a subscriber-panel at quarterly intervals, under the title of INDICATOR SA.

1.8 The Community Service Training Programme

The Community Service Training Programme initiated within the Centre in September 1983 offers a certificate course designed to assist experienced administrators and community workers to acquire the theoretical knowledge and practical skills for development and programme administration. The first intake of 35 participant students occurred in March 1984. A similar number were enrolled for 1985 and 1986. The training consists of one year of full-time training at the University of Natal, followed by a further year of field attachment in the case of the community development stream. Course modules were specifically designed to meet local requirements and are subject to ongoing evaluation. The project is sponsored by an overseas foundation.
II PRESENT STRUCTURE OF THE CENTRE

2.1 At present, the Centre has the following posts which are full-time university positions:

PERMANENT STAFF

Centre for Applied Social Sciences

Director/Professor

Senior Research Fellow/
Senior Lecturer:

Maurice Webb Senior Fellow
in Race Relations:

Research Fellow/Lecturer:

Junior Research Fellow/
Lecturer

Technician (Data processing
and computer work):

Secretary/Senior Administrative
Assistant:

Typist/Administrative Assistant:

Part-time Typist:

Office Assistant:

Contract research staff:

Mark Bennett

Myrna Berkowitz

Monica Bot

Vicki Cadman

Trudy Coughlin

Catherine Cross

Dionis Dlamini

Rob Evans

Penelope Geerdts

Diana Haycock

Graham Howe

Sipho Ngidi

Deborah Quin

Karin Roberts

Edward Russell

Dr George Smith

Gaye Stewart

Linda Venter

Jane Wittle

Professor Lawrence Schlemmer

(until end of 1986)

Dr. Valerie Moller

Paulus Zulu

Francie Lund

Vacant  (P G Mare after
January 1987)

Ethne de Groot

Nicolette Wells

Mary Ann Strydom

Glynis Malcolm-Smith

Mary Mkhize

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Dr George Smith

Gaye Stewart

Linda Venter

Jane Wittle
Contract Administrative Staff:  
Colleen Harrington  
Margaret Orbin  
Linda Ross-Cilliers  
Denise Sperring

Graduate Assistant:  
Thokozile Nkabinde

### Development Studies Unit

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<th>Position</th>
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| Professor of Development Studies              | Professor Jill Nattrass  
| Research Fellow/Lecturer                      | Vacant (M Morris after January 1987)  
| Contract Research Fellow (Part-time)          | D M Ardington  
| Contract Junior Research Fellows              | D J Krige  
| Contract Technical Assistant                  | D W Perkins  
| Secretary/Senior Administrative Assistant     | B Duffy  
| Contract Typist                               | L Anderson  
| Contract Clerical Assistant                   | C Chan  
|                                               | D Mbona  

The Director and the Professor of Development Studies are members of the Senate of the University and of the Board of the Faculty of Social Science.

The Centre's accommodation and physical resources consist of 17 offices, a small library, a seminar room, a tea room, a storeroom, word processors and printers, computer terminal (still to be connected), a camera, tape recorders, vehicle, a duplicating machine and photocopiers. The Development Studies Unit has an office complex with a similar resources housed separately.

The Centre's offices which were severely affected in a fire in March 1986, have been refurbished and the Centre has been fully re-equipped at the time of writing. Although the Centre's operations were interrupted temporarily, research and other activities in the review period have equalled if not surpassed that in former times. The generous support of sponsors and friends of the Centre after the fires is gratefully acknowledged.
2.2 FINANCE:

The Centre, as with any department, has free accommodation at the University, and in addition, telephone and postage costs are borne by the University. The University contributes the salaries and the usual additional benefits connected with all permanent posts. In addition, a small departmental grant and a library grant are received from the University.

Funds for undertaking research, for the purchase of research equipment and the employment of ad hoc research staff have to be obtained by the Centre itself, mainly in the form of grants for particular projects. At the end of 1986 the Centre had somewhat over R200 000 for purposes of conducting research, most of which was tied to particular projects. Projects are, however, costed in such a way as to provide for a modest accumulation of money to purchase equipment and maintain continuity. The Centre's funds are administered by the University Finance Office.
III LIST OF PROJECTS ONGOING IN THE CENTRE OVER THE 18 MONTHS UP TO 31/12/86

3.1 Durban Metropolitan Recreation Survey Update.
Prof. L. Schlemmer.
Sponsor: Town and Regional Planning Commission, Natal Provincial Administration (Ongoing)

3.2 The Relationship Between Social Stress, Personality Responses and Duodenal Ulceration among Africans and Indians in Durban.
Dr. Phillipa Clark, Dept. of Psychology, Prof. Jean Mason, Dept. of Social Work, University of Durban-Westville, Prof. M.G. Moshal, Medical School, University of Natal, (Deceased), Prof. L. Schlemmer and numerous assistants.

3.3 A Baseline Study of Quality of Life in South Africa and the Standardisation of an Instrument for the Measurement of Quality of Life.
Prof. L. Schlemmer and Dr. Valerie Moller with a Committee composed of personnel from the Human Sciences Research Council and the Cooperative Scientific Programmes of the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research.

3.4 Community, Land and Development in KwaZulu: An Empirical Study of Values, Organisation and Tenure.
Miss. C. Cross
Sponsor: Dept. of Cooperation and Development (Completed 1985, further research articles appeared in 1986)

3.5 The Problems and Processes of Black Advancement in South Africa.
Prof. L. Schlemmer, Mr. Roger Allen, Miss Sylvia Wella, Mr. M.D. McGrath, Ms. Elda Morran and assistants
Sponsor: The Anglo American Corporation of South Africa.
Completed as a Master's thesis cf. S Wella, 1983 and various later papers)

3.6 Migrant Work in South Africa: Patterns of Adaptation and Manifestation of Stress.
Dr. Valerie Moller and Prof. L. Schlemmer and assistants
Sponsors: The Unit of Futures Research, University, of Stellenbosch and Urban Foundation. (Completed 1982, further reports appeared in 1985, see Giliomee and Schlemmer in publications list)
3.7 Migrant Workers' Plans for Domicile and Retirement in Relation to the Conditions and the Resource Base in the Rural Areas.
Dr. Valerie Moller
Sponsor: Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (Completed 1985, further reports and research articles appeared in 1986)

3.8 The Development of an Educational Bridging Programme for Black School-leavers with an Associated Course-development Programme for Black Teachers.
Ms. Hanlie McCarthy and Prof. L. Schlemmer
Sponsor: The Konrad Adenauer Stiftung (Completed 1985)

Prof. L. Schlemmer, Mr. Temba Nzimande, Ms. Loretta van Schalkwyk and Mr. Robert Lambert of the Dept. of Sociology, University of Natal, and assistants
Sponsors: Various Natal industries (Completed 1986)

3.10 An Examination of Factors Predisposing to Success or Failure in Rural Community Health Programmes.
Ms. Francie Lund
Sponsor: The Centre for Applied Social Sciences (Ongoing)

3.11 The Assessment of the Effectiveness of Media Communication in Fostering Acceptance of Community Health Screening.
Ms. Francie Lund
Sponsor: Community Research Unit/Health Care Trust (Completed 1985)

3.12 Indicator Project South Africa: A Socio-Political Monitor of Change.
Prof. L. Schlemmer, Prof. J. Nattrass, Dr. V. Moller and a team of researchers
Sponsor: Misereor and numerous S.A. firms (Requirements of the initial sponsors were met in 1986)

3.13 Job Satisfaction and Work Attitudes among Staff in Nation-wide Manufacturing Corporations.
Prof. L. Schlemmer
Sponsors: Private companies (Completed 1986)

3.14 Job Satisfaction and Work Attitudes among Staff in a Petroleum Refining Company in Durban.
Prof. L. Schlemmer and Mr. Roger Allen
Sponsor: A private company (Main work completed in 1984, further work completed in 1985)

3.15 A Study of Needs and Attitudes in Relation to Local Government in Greater Durban.
Prof. L. Schlemmer, Diana Haycock, Penelope Geerdts and assistants
Sponsor: Durban City Council (First report completed in 1986, further reports in preparation)
3.16 The Development of Training Methods in Community Organisation and Development Administration
Prof. L. Schlemmer, Mr Edward Russell, Dr George Smith and various members of staff
Sponsor: Konrad Adenauer Foundation (Ongoing)

3.17 A Study of Black Attitudes to Capitalism, Investment and Change in South Africa.
Prof. L. Schlemmer
Sponsor: Indicator S.A. (Completed 1986)

3.18 Basic Values and the Development Potential of Natal/KwaZulu
Prof. L. Schlemmer and Ms. Penelope Geerdts
Sponsor: Town and Regional Planning Commission, Natal Provincial Administration (Ongoing)

3.19 An Inquiry into the University of Natal's Communication with the Wider Community.
Prof. L. Schlemmer, Dr. V. Moller, and Mrs Trudy Coughlin
Sponsor: University of Natal (Ongoing)

3.20 Attitudes toward Polygamy and related Issues among Migrant Workers.
Dr. V. Moller and Prof. G.J. Welch, Department of Social Work, University of Natal
Sponsor: Internal (Completed 1985)

3.21 A Study of Community Issues on the South Coast.
Dr. V. Moller, Mr Edward Russell, and Mr Dionis Dlamini
Sponsor: A private company (Ongoing)

3.22 Attitudes toward the Introduction of an Educare Training Programme at an Old Age Centre in a Durban Township.
Dr V. Moller and various members of staff and students in the Centre and the Department of Social Work, University of Natal
Sponsor: A community agency (Ongoing)

3.23 The Politics of Co-optation and Boycott.
Mr. P. Zulu
Sponsor: University of Natal (Ongoing)

3.24 South Africa Beyond Apartheid:
Political Conflict and Unrest in African Townships - Natal and the Eastern Cape.
Mr. P. Zulu and Mr. S. Ngidi
Sponsor: Anglo American Chairman’s Fund (Ongoing)

3.25 South Africa Beyond Apartheid:
The Role of the National Party Government.
Prof. L. Schlemmer and Ms. K. Roberts
Sponsor: Anglo American Chairman’s Fund (Ongoing)
3.26 South Africa Beyond Apartheid:  
The Role of Inkatha and "Homeland" Organisations in Change  
Prof. L. Schlemmer and Ms. V. Cadman  
Sponsor: Anglo American Chairman's Fund and various American Foundations

3.27 An Investigation of Contemporary Issues in Health and Welfare Policy.  
Ms. F. Lund  
Sponsor: Internal (Completed 1986)

3.28 An Investigation of the Marginalisation of Black Communities in Administrative Natal - Case Studies.  
Dr. V. Moller and Mr. R. Evans  
Sponsor: Town and Regional Planning Commission, Natal Provincial Administration (Ongoing)

3.29 Investigation into the Socio-Economic Effects of Water Restrictions on Industries and Local Governments.  
Prof. L. Schlemmer, Mrs G. Stewart and Mrs J. Wittle  
Sponsor: Water Research Commission (Ongoing)

IV For projects and publications ongoing in the Development Studies Unit, refer to the separate list of projects and publications produced by the Development Studies Unit of the University of Natal, Durban.
SOME TITLES FROM THE RESEARCH REPORT SERIES: 1975-1984

Centre for Applied Social Sciences, University of Natal, Durban.

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Moller, V. Images of Retirement: An Exploratory Study among Black Domestic and Service Workers. 190 pp.


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Allen, R D J. Group Image and Its Effects Upon Reactions to Group Communications Within a Large South African Group of Companies, Centre for Applied Social Sciences, University of Natal, Durban, 1985, pp. 192. (Confidential)
Document and Memorandum Series.

Cross, C R. If You Have Not Got Land You Are Not A Man At All: Land Tenure and Social Thought in Modern KwaZulu, Centre for Applied Social Sciences, University of Natal, Durban, 1985, pp. 327, appendix A pp. 126.
Research Report Series. (Forthcoming)

Cross, C R. Informal Freehold and the Free Market (Reply to Louw)
Reality, 17 (6), November 1985, pp. 13-18.
Journal Article.

Journal Article.

Geerdts, P and Schlemmer, L. The Holiday Visitor to Durban, A Survey of Satisfactions, Preferences and Problems, Centre for Applied Social Sciences, University of Natal, Durban, 1985, pp. 203.
Document and Memorandum Series.

Journal Article.


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This includes the following research chapters by CASS staff.

Moller, V. Change in the South African Labour Migration System: A Phase Model. pp. 28-38

Moller, V and Schlemmer, L. Migrant Workers: A Profile of their Rural Resources. pp. 158-166.


1985 Continued

Schlemmer, L. and Möller, V. Constraint, Stress and Reaction: The Response of Migrant Contract Workers to their Situation. pp. 126-157

Zulu, P.M. The Rural Crisis: Authority Structures and their Role in Development. pp. 242-249.


Lund, F. Health Services Development Unit: An account of the decision to terminate the evaluation research, Centre for Applied Social Sciences, University of Natal, Durban, 1985, pp. 17. Document and Memorandum Series. (Confidential)


Möller, V. Schlemmer, L, Coughlin, T and Dlamini, M F. Future Dwelling Preferences of Hostel-Dwelling Migrants: A Study of the Housing Needs of Stevedores in the Durban Metropolitan Area, Centre for Applied Social Sciences, University of Natal, Durban, 1985, pp. 82. Document and Memorandum Series (Confidential)
Research Report Series

Napier, C and Schlemmer, L. Broken Promises and Lost Opportunities: A Study of the Reactions of White and Coloured Residents of Port St Johns to the Control of the Area by a Black Administration, Maurice Webb Race Relations Unit and Centre for Applied Social Sciences, University of Natal, Durban, 1985, pp. 67.
Research Report Series. (R8.50)

Document and Memorandum Series.

Other Publications.

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Journal Article.


Journal Article.

Article in Book.

Other Publications.
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Schlemmer, L. (as member of Main Committee) Marais H C et al., The South African Society: Realities and Future Prospects, Main Committee report of the HSRC Investigation into Inter Group Relations, Pretoria, Human Sciences Research Council, 1985.


Other Publications.


Document and Memorandum Series.

Schlemmer, L. Moller, V. and Fourie C. "Housing for Black People in Greater Durban: Present Needs and Future Challenges," The Developer, 16 April - June 1985, pp. 5, 6, 16.

Other Publications


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Zulu, P. Reform and Reaction - Urbanisation and Influx Control, Maurice Webb Race Relations Unit, Centre for Applied Social Sciences, University of Natal, Durban, 1986. Paper written for the Urban Foundation. (Confidential) pp. 18.


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A. JOURNALS

Indicator SA Sample Issue January 1983
Indicator SA Vol 1 No 1 May 1983
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Indicator SA Vol 2 No 2 July 1984 (out of print)
Indicator SA Vol 2 No 3 October 1984
Indicator SA Vol 2 No 4 January 1985
Indicator SA Vol 3 No 1 Winter 1985
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Indicator SA Vol 3 No 3 Summer 1986
Indicator SA Vol 3 No 4 Autumn 1986
Indicator SA Vol 4 No 1 Winter 1986
Indicator SA Vol 4 No 2 Spring 1986

B. ISSUE FOCUS Publications

Conflict in South Africa: Build-up to revolution or 'impasse'? L Schlemmer, March 1983.


Can Separate Mean Equal? K B Hartshorne, January 1984. (Out of print)


Black Worker Attitudes: Political options, capitalism and investment in South Africa. L Schlemmer, September 1984. (Out of print)


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