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## **UCT congratulates Miss Universe and Miss World South Africa 2018**

The University of Cape Town (UCT) congratulates Ms Tamaryn Green and Ms Thulisa Keyi on being crowned Miss Universe South Africa 2018 and Miss World South Africa 2018.

Green and Keyi, who were crowned at an event held in Pretoria on Sunday evening, are an inspiration to the current and future generations of UCT students.

UCT is thrilled to have Green, a sixth-year MBChB medical student, represent the country nationally and internationally and serve as a beacon of hope for young girls across the country.

The university is equally proud of Keyi, who is a BCom and postgraduate diploma in accounting UCT alumnus. From her time at UCT Miss Keyi has always wanted to make a difference in her community and be a living testimony to how people can transform their own lives.

Interestingly, they are both part of the Obz Square student residence community. Former Mr South Africa Dr Habib Noorbhai, who is also an Obz Square alumnus, has described the residence as one exuding an ethos of empowerment and development: leadership, academic excellence and community engagement.

UCT aims to encourage students to not only excel academically but focus on having a social impact within their communities as well. Both Green and Keyi epitomise the kind of graduates the university strives to mould.

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