

Seminar Invitation: Prof Joel Modiri on Steve Biko and Race in the Afterlife of Colonial-Apartheid

Dear colleagues and students

We invite you to two seminars that the Committee for the Institutional Response to the [Khampepe] Commission's Recommendations (CIRCoRe) will be hosting, with guest speaker **Professor Joel Modiri** in conversation with CIRCoRe and the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences.

1. Reading Biko and Race in the Afterlife of Colonial-Apartheid

Date: Tuesday, 30 July 2024

Time: 12:30–14:00

Venue: Room 4053, GC Cillié Building: Faculty of Education

MS Teams: Join here.

2. Biko and the Critique of Post-Apartheid Reason

Date: Wednesday, 31 July 2024

Time: 12:30–14:00

Venue: Transformation Office Boardroom

MS Teams: Join here.

Biography

Joel M Modiri is an Associate Professor and Head of the Department of Jurisprudence in the Faculty of Law, University of Pretoria. His research and teaching interests are located in the broad field of jurisprudence and relate to critical race theory, Black political thought and African philosophy. His current projects intersect under two umbrellas rooted in the ethics and politics of the global Black radical tradition: Azanian critical theory and constitutional abolitionism. He was recently appointed as a United Nations Independent Eminent Expert in the area of race and racial discrimination.