

Profile of Thembinkosi Madikane, known as TC

Thembinkosi Madikane is the Managing Director of Igoda Projects, an electrical consulting engineering company operating throughout South Africa and has served on number of Boards as Non-Executive Director.

Mr Madikane was inaugurated at the SAIEE Annual General Meeting on the 5th of April 2016.

Mr Madikane has a National Diploma in Electrical Engineering (Mangosuthu University of Technology), Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering (University of Natal) and a Post Graduate Diploma in Business Management (University of Natal). He has more than 22 years' experience in industry. His areas of interest and expertise are in power engineering, energy management and project management. He is registered with Engineering Council of South Africa as a Professional Engineer.

Mr Madikane joined the South African Institute of Electrical Engineers (SAIEE) in 1994 and became Chairperson of the University of Natal's SAIEE Student Chapter in 1996. He served on SAIEE KZN branch from 1998 and became a SAIEE Council member in 2007. In 2006, TC won the SAIEE's Engineer of the Year award. He became Fellow of SAIEE in 2010 and is also a Fellow of South African Academy of Engineering.

Mr Madikane has served on various Engineering Council of South Africa (ECSA) committees since 2005 dealing with professional registration and university accreditations. He is currently the Chairperson of ECSA's Registration Committee for Professional Engineers. He became the first Secretary General of National Society of Black Engineers SA in 1998.

As an MUT alumnus, Mr Madikane has been ploughing back to MUT for more than a decade. Every year, his company employs no less than 20 MUT electrical engineering graduates as interns.