

## **Memo**

**To:** Whom it may concern.  
**From:** Mrs S Naidoo  
HOD: Radiography  
**Date:** May 28, 2012  
**RE:** Ms Rosh Sunder: ID:

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I have known Rosh for the past nine years, first as a colleague and then as a staff member when I became the Head of Department of Radiography from 2006. Her responsibilities included teaching, learning and assessment in the undergraduate, post graduate as well as short course programs and associated administrative duties, research and scholarly activities as well as the supervision of research students. She has been responsible for her own creative design of the teaching, learning and assessment materials. She has also helped in the development and mentoring of her colleagues, and hence has acted as a responsible member of the team.

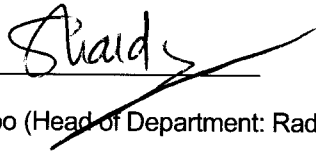
Rosh is passionate about most things, but her strongest academic passion in my opinion is in the teaching and learning of her students, especially exploring ways in which to enhance her online teaching and assessment methods. She is also very enthusiastic about mentoring and demonstrating to other staff how to develop their own online classrooms, and how this can be used to improve the teaching and learning of their students. She shares her online teaching experiences by presenting to other departments, as well as to other staff at seminars and webinars, the latter being arranged by the EdTech department at DUT.

She is a leader in terms of her teaching, learning and assessment of students, and is always finding new ways in which to do things better. She has played and is still playing a major role in the ongoing curriculum renewal project of the department. She is also the departmental representative on the Faculty Teaching learning and Assessment Undergraduate Committee, where she enters into robust discussions around teaching, learning and assessment issues.

She has engaged in many activities that have led to the improvement in her teaching and learning practices; these include the Pioneers online teaching course, and the cosmonauts online teaching, learning and assessment course. She is an online designer and practitioner. She probably seeks to enhance her online classrooms on a daily basis, and is always finding new ways in which students may learn and reflect on their learning.

I strongly recommend her as the candidate of choice for the award that she is applying for.

Yours truly

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S Naidoo', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized and includes a long, sweeping flourish that extends to the right.

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