



## WHAT IS THE GLOBAL TEACHERS INSTITUTE?

The Global Teachers Institute (GTI) is a non-profit organisation based in South Africa whose mission is to shift the way children are taught by transforming teacher education both in South Africa and globally. Through programmes, workshops and learning experiences that transform - as opposed to train - teachers, we develop aspiring teachers, current faculty and school leaders to become passionate, self-aware and socially-minded educators.

## OUR PROGRAMMES

### FUTURE LEADERS PROGRAMME

The Future Leaders Programme (FLP) is a teacher development programme that provides school-based mentoring, workplace experience and professional development to pre-service teachers called Future Leaders. Future Leaders are also enrolled in a B.Ed. or PGCE degree through UNISA which they complete as part the programme.

The aims of the programme are to:

- Produce thousands of new entrants into the teaching profession who are highly skilled, vibrant and reflective with a firm grasp of content, pedagogy and a commitment to student centred teaching, personal development and social transformation.
- Develop existing faculty so they can become better teachers and instructional leaders
- Raise a new generation of transformational school leaders
- Create a national network of schools and programme participants

We currently have 81 Future Leaders (teachers in training) at 10 school sites throughout South Africa in 4 provinces: Gauteng, Kwazulu-Natal, Limpopo and the Western Cape.

### GTI AXIS SUMMIT

The annual GTI AXIS Summit is a multi-day convergence of students, teachers and education leaders from throughout South Africa and around the world. The Summit allows a variety of educational stakeholders at any stage in their career an opportunity to collaborate and work towards a new vision for education.

To date, a total of 960 delegates (including 300 student teachers) have attended a GTI AXIS Summit.

### CHAMPION TEACHERS PROGRAMME

The Champion Teachers Programme is a multi-year national programme for public school teachers and leaders in rural South Africa who have been identified as potential change agents in their schools and communities. In 2016, 48 teachers from Duncan Village (Eastern Cape) and Jane Furse (Limpopo) were trained and mentored through the programme.

### FELLOWSHIPS AND INTERNSHIPS

With our partner Teach with Africa, we operate internships for South African teachers in training to gain experience in a US school and in return, host experienced overseas teachers as fellows in South African schools.



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