

## SENATE'S REPORT TO COUNCIL ON TEACHING, RESEARCH, COMMUNITY INTERACTION AND OPERATIONAL MATTERS



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I would like to thank all the members of the Executive Management and Senate, other members of the academic staff and all staff in the support service environments for their dedication, enthusiastic participation and support. Looking back on 2009 has made me realise anew how much we have achieved together. The planning and behind-the-scenes work has been completed, and I am looking forward to the external launch of the Stellenbosch University Overarching Strategic Plan in July 2010.

Prof HR Botman  
Chair of Senate

