

FACULTY REPORTS

STELLENBOSCH UNIVERSITY IS HELD IN HIGH REGARD IN THE INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC COMMUNITY FOR ITS OUTSTANDING TEACHING AND RESEARCH. THE UNIVERSITY TAKES PRIDE IN THE FACT THAT IT HAS ONE OF THE COUNTRY'S HIGHEST PERCENTAGES OF POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS WHERE ALMOST TEN PERCENT OF THEM ARE INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS.

The University has ten faculties, of which eight – Agrisciences, Arts and Social Sciences, Education, Engineering, Law, Science, Theology and the larger part of Economic and Management Sciences – are located on the main campus of Stellenbosch with the Faculty of Health Sciences situated on the Tygerberg Campus. The Bellville Park Campus is home to the Business School and the USB Executive Development, and the coastal town of Saldanha serves as the base for the Faculty of Military Science.

Detailed information on the undergraduate and postgraduate teaching programmes offered by these faculties, and further information on the faculties themselves, may be obtained on the University's web site at *www.sun.ac.za*.

NEW CENTRE OF EXPERTISE OPENS ON TYGERBERG CAMPUS

The SU Hyperbaric and Occupational Health Facility forms part of the Faculty of Health Sciences at Tygerberg and is one of only two facilities at tertiary institutions in the country (the other is at the University of Pretoria). The centre is equipped to do research on the effects and importance of oxygen in the treatment of certain medical and surgical conditions. Here are (from the left) Sister Surita Fitchat and Dr Frans Cronjé, with Ms Eileen Koen, the first patient to receive treatment at the Facility.





UNIQUE INTERNATIONAL BOOK ON TUBERCULOSIS PUBLISHED

Prof Simon Schaaf of the SU Faculty of Health Sciences, together with Prof Ali Zumla of the University of Cape Town, helped edit the book Tuberculosis: A comprehensive clinical reference. This book helps fill a void by also covering TB in children and babies. Pictured here are Prof Schaaf, handing the book to Prof Gary Maartens from the University of Cape Town. With them is the Dean of the SU Faculty of Health Sciences, Prof Wynand van der Merwe.