

Résumé: Bonang F. Mohale
(Honorary Professor in the Department of Marketing Management)

Mr Bonang Mohale's post-graduate business education studies include a Certificate in Marketing and Sales Management, Basics of Pharmacology at Wits Medical School, three year Diploma in Marketing Management (IMM), eighteen months post-graduate advanced diploma in Marketing Management (IMM), Finance for Non-Financial managers (France), Director Development Programme on behalf of the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany, International Programme in Management (Switzerland), School of Business Administration (USA), Total Quality Management (Spain) as well as a Chartered Marketer at IMM.

Mr Mohale is currently the Chairman and Country GM: Commercial of Shell South Africa (Pty) Limited, where he is Chairman of the boards of Shell South Africa Holdings (Pty) Ltd; Shell South Africa Marketing (Pty) Ltd; Shell South Africa Refinery (Pty) Ltd and South African Petroleum Refinery (SAPREF). He has country responsibilities for the oil, chemical, aviation, marine and lubricants global businesses and is operationally accountable for the retail; fuels and bitumen; supply and distribution classes of businesses as well as finance; legal; HR; safety (HSSE) and transformation classes of functions.

His professional career started, after spending four years at Wits Medical School, when Mr Mohale acquired business and management experience by spending ten years in the pharmaceutical industry progressing through various positions, including product management and new business development management. He was then appointed export manager at Logos Pharmaceuticals (MSD), where he was the only delegate from Africa at the "Cholesterol Reducers International Conference" in Barcelona, Spain in 1992.

In 1994, he joined Sandoz Products (Pty) Limited (now Novartis) as Head of Public Affairs and Communications Department and a member of the Executive Committee (EXCO). He also represented the company as Commission of Inquiry into National Health Insurance, amongst other things. From 1996, he was the Managing Director of Otis (Pty) Ltd, the world's biggest and oldest elevator company, where he spent five years. Until August 2001, he was the Executive Vice President at South African Airways (SAA) and was responsible for Strategic Alliances, Network Management and Global Sales. The revenue generated by this business unit was in excess of R8 billion. Until 2002, he was the Chief Executive: Corporate Marketing, Sanlam. Until May 2003, he was Chief Executive: Shared Services and Associated Companies of Sanlam; a member of EXCO; alternate director of the Sanlam Limited main board; chairman of the board of TASC; a director of Innofin; Gensec Property Services and Fundamo. Until 31 December 2008, he spent 6 years as the CEO of Drake & Scull FM SA (PTY) Ltd, an integrated Facilities Management company owned by the Tsebo Outsourcing Group, where he was also a member of the EXCO.

He has served as a member in various forums, such as Institute of Marketing Management (IMM), and Association of Marketers (ASOM) and still serves as a member at Institute of Directors (IOD), Young Presidents' Organization (YPO) and South Africa Israel Chamber of Commerce (SAICC). Some of Mr Mohale's recent directorships include South African Airways (Pty) limited, Hollard Insurance Company Limited, Swiss Re Africa limited as well as South African Express Airways (Pty) limited. He has also been Chairman of Marketing Association of SA (MASA), Interim Board of the Marketing Association of SA, Global Village Holdings Ltd as well as Chartered Marketer of S.A., to name only a few of his most recent positions.

Amongst outstanding achievements in each of his previous positions held, some of Mr Mohale's notable awards include the 2007 South African Facilities Management Association's, personality of the year award, the 2006 Logistics Achiever Award by 10 Industry Associated Organisations for the Outstanding Achievement in logistics in Inventory Management, the 2005 Top 300 Companies Award, the 2001 presidential award for his "Servant hood in South African Industry and the Economic Empowerment of Previously Disadvantaged Individuals" and the 1997 Black Management Forum's manager of the year award.