

# WALLACE AMOS MGOQI

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- Born in 1964; raised in South Africa of African parents
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- Makhonza “White Prince” Ngambu
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### Healdtown High School; Teacher of Latin

- Becoming Latin teacher
- South African Institute of Race Relations
- Clandestine Literature
- Mandela and the ANC
- Banned materials
- Study of Roman culture
- Geffen family benefactors

### University of Fort Hare; Social Science studies 1971-1973

- South African Students’ Organization (SASO)
- SASO leaders
- American Black political activists
- Coordinated Bantu Universities “Walk out” (1973)
- Police attack on protesting students
- Federal Theological Seminary
- Students expelled from Fort Hare and school closed

### Langa, South Africa 1974

- Marriage and family
- Post Office and Insurance Company

### University of South Africa (UNISA): Social Science Studies 1974-1976

- Bachelor of Social Science degree

### Cape Town Flats Committee for Interim Accommodations (CFCIA) 1977-1979

- Organization activities
- Funding
- Rommel Roberts
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Visit to the United States	1979
Operation Crossroads Africa (OCA) 1979	
Bart Rousseve	
Itinerary	
Reflections	
Bennie Khoapa, Director, Black Community Programs (BCP)	
Black Consciousness Movement (BCM)	
Bennie Khoapa	
Steve Biko	
Andrew Silk	
Ford Foundation support	
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South Africa political environment, post 1976	
Black Consciousness Movement	
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University of South Africa (UNISA), Correspondence study	1980
Western Province Council of Churches	
Family	
University of Cape Town: Law studies	1981-1984
Mrs. Pat Baxter, Assistant Dean of Law Faculty	
Karl Popper Foundation	
Cape Town, Union of South Africa; Law Fellowship Program	1985
Legal Resources Centre (LRC)	
Public Interest Law	
Richard Rosenthal	
Fisher v Stellenbosch Divisional Council	
Liberal judges	
Law Firm- Syfret Godlonton-Fuller Moore, Inc.	1986-1987
Richard Rosenthal	
Admission to High Court of South Africa	
Member, Panel of Rhodes Scholarships	
Legal Resources Centre (LRC): Lawyer, Public Interest Law	1988-1992

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Work of the LRC</li> <li>Laws re “visiting” wives</li> <li>Legal Cases</li> <li>Changes following Nelson Mandela released from prison (1990)</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>International Training Program, Harvard University</li> <li>USAID fellowship</li> <li>Program content</li> </ul>	1993
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commissioner; Langa, Nyanga and Guguletu Townships</li> <li>Visit to U.S. (1994)</li> <li>Human Rights Organizations</li> </ul>	1994-1995
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>National Commissioner of the Land Restitution Commission</li> <li>Pretoria, South Africa</li> <li>Thabo Mbeki</li> <li>Kalahari Gemsbok Park</li> <li>Land restitution cases</li> <li>Dutch Reform Church and apartheid</li> </ul>	1998-2003
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