## PROFILE OF MS BULELWA SEMOLI

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### Academic background:

- 1. Senior Certificate, St Matthews Girls High School 1996
- 2. BSc in Geography, University of Fort Hare 2002
- 3. BSc Honours in GIS and Applied Remote Sensing, University of Fort Hare 2003
- 4. Mphil Environmental Management, University of Stellenbosch 2007
- 5. Project Management, Cape Peninsula University of Technology 2008
- 6. Advanced Management Development Programme, University of Stellenbosch 2012

#### Positions held in the last 10 years:

Ms Bulelwa Semoli is currently working for the Department of Rural Development and Land Reform, Chief Directorate National Geo-spatial Information. She currently employed as a Director of Imagery and Topographic Data. She has been working in the public sector for the past 7 years in the middle management focusing in Geographic Information Systems. She has experience in the private and she also worked for a National Research Institute before joining public sector. She facilitated the formulation of the Western Cape Spatial Information Forum which supports the South African Spatial Data Infrastructure Act. She is currently the Co-Chair of the SA-GEO Land Cover Community of Practice and an executive member of the Working Group on Land Cover Mapping for Africa representing the Southern African Region. Registered as a Professional GISc Practitioner (PGPT 0165) with South African Council for Professional and Technical Surveyors (PLATO)

#### **Expertise:**

- 1. Risk management
- 2. Communication and Negotiation
- 3. Strategy Formulation
- 4. Financial Management
- 5. Planning and Time Management
- 6. People Management
- 7. Conflict Management

- 8. Project Management9. Information Technology10. Innovation & Initiative

# **Current portfolio in AARSE**

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