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Khoekhoegowab language short course official launch

10 June 2019 | 17:00 | Centre for Extra-Mural Studies, Level 3, Kramer Law Building, Middle Campus, University of Cape Town

Media are invited to attend a media conference officially launching the Khoekhoegowab language course at the University of Cape Town (UCT), which will be preceded by a cleansing ceremony before the start of the first class.

Khoekhoegowab is one of the continent’s many indigenous languages that are endangered. It is spoken by the Nama, Damara and Haiǁom ethnic groups.

Media will have the opportunity to speak to the four partners at the university responsible for the course, members of the community who are part of the /Xarra Restorative Justice Forum who are attending the class, and the two teachers. They will be allowed to film the first 15 minutes of the inaugural class in session.

For further questions or to RSVP please contact Dr Medee Rall on email: medee.rall@uct.ac.za or tel: 021 650 2885.

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