



## **MEMORANDUM**

To: Faculty, Staff, and Students, Department of Language Studies

From: Professor William A. Gough, Vice-Principal Academic & Dean

Date: 28 June 2023

Re: Academic Administrative Appointment - Interim Chair, Department of Language Studies

Note: For broad distribution

I am writing to inform you that while the search for a Chair for the Department of Language Studies remains ongoing, Professor Juvénal Ndayiragije has agreed to serve as Interim Chair from 1 July 2023 to 31 August 2023.

I thank Professor Ndayiragije for his willingness to continue in this leadership capacity as Interim Chair along with his appointment as Special Advisor to the Vice-Principal Academic & Dean on Black Faculty Success. His dedication and commitment to the Department is admirable. I, together with my decanal team, look forward to continuing to work with him.