

Welcome to the Eastern Cape business unit's alumni page, a first of many and something that we hope to roll-out organisation-wide soon. If you are on this page, then you have made the conscious decision to be part of the AGSA's legacy. You join us in celebrating the organisation's more than 100-year history and taking greater strides to build on our achievements. In collaboration we will make this an outstanding public sector organisation whose efforts are emulated and replicated by other institutions in the public sector.

Our employees, past and present, have played a pivotal role in building our reputation and making us an organisation of excellence, best practices and an example to other institutions mandated with constitutional accountability and democracy. In our recently published legacy book, we reflected on the road we have travelled and how far we have come over the last century or so. I encourage everyone to understand this legacy and to build on it in whatever role you currently play in the public sector; whether it is auditing, governance or the accounting profession at large. The story of the next 100 years should testify to our growth, transformation, success and an enhanced public confidence in the government of the day.

When I started my term as auditor-general, I reviewed the existing strategy to ensure that the long-term strategic path of the organisation was adequately chartered. Vision 2024 is built on a vision that sees the AGSA as a catalyst in driving transparency and good governance, key ingredients to achieving the strategic goals of government, which must translate to adding value to the lives of citizens.

The thinking behind the new strategy is that in 2024, when we look back at the crucial milestone of 30 years of democracy we want to see a picture that upholds the constitutionally enshrined values and principles governing public administration; a picture that we hopefully would have helped to create. We wish to continue our relationship with the alumni to further enhance the role that we can collectively play within the public sector. We want you, our alumni, to remain part of the AGSA family, to stay connected and to join us in fostering this mutually beneficial relationship.

I invite all alumni to join me and the AGSA in our ongoing journey towards strengthening democracy and building public confidence.