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<u>DEPARTMENT</u> : Strategic Communication

CAMPUS : APK

MODULE: STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION (SCC2BB2)

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QUESTION 1: [Branding] BRAND SA CASE STUDY

Read the case study and follow the link below to answer the questions below. Also, refer to the feedback on your previous assessment to improve your work.

Brand South Africa | Official South African Brand Guide



Brand South Africa was established in August 2002 to help create a positive and compelling brand image for South Africa.

At that time, the world was unsure about what to think of South Africa, with many different messages being sent out by various sources. This did very little to build the country's brand and it was evident that to attract tourism and investment there was a need to co-ordinate marketing initiatives to make them more effective.

This led to the creation of Brand South Africa, whose main objective is the marketing of South Africa through the Brand South Africa campaign.

There are many benefits to having a consolidated brand image, with the most important being that a consistent Brand South Africa message creates strategic advantages in terms of trade and tourism for the country in an increasingly competitive marketplace.

QUESTION 1

1.1 Briefly explain the importance of the Brand SA campaign and its impact on the economy of South Africa. Your answers should include the importance of having one solid integrated brand for South Africa.

[10]

1.2 In your own words, discuss the competitive advantage of integrating the concepts of Ubuntu and the Rainbow Nation in the Brand SA initiative for South African brands abroad.

[10]

- 1.3 Discuss the impact of corruption, state capture and the July 2021 riots in South Africa on BrandSA. [10]
- 1.4 As a strategist, you have been appointed to help South Africa grow its brand to the international community in the next world economic forum. Explain to the project manager of Brand SA the initiatives and majors introduced by the Government of South Africa to restoring South Africa's image. [20].

QUESTION 2: [Organisational Communication] COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

You work for a mining company in Gauteng, South Africa, and your company experienced high COVID-19 infection rates, loss of life due to Covid-19 and profit loss in the past year. Your manager tasked you to develop an internal organisational communication campaign to address vaccination hesitancy in your organisation.

- 2.1 Discuss how you will integrate a system thinking approach to address vaccine hesitancy in your organisation. [10]
- 2.2 Identify and discuss internal organisational communication channels you will use to encourage employees to protect themselves against the COVID-19. [10]
- 2.3 In a short paragraph discuss the role and function of Strategic Communication in an organisation, such as a mine. [10]
- 2.4 Write a short reflection about what you learned from this module. [10]

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riots in South Africa on Brand SA.	And the Times Live news article below	
	on July riots <u>LIVE UPDATES</u> Riots and	
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	insurrection? (timeslive.co.za)	
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	capture, corruptation and the riots on	
	the citizens, businesses and	
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	image of the country (Brand SA)	
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