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Upcoming UCT interview opportunities and events

- **Pink Week at UCT:** Featuring discussions such as "Homosexuality is more African than Christianity" and "Intersections: Race, class and sexual orientation in contemporary South Africa"
- **Spring Seminar Series:** Celebrating 30 years of linguistics at UCT

Date	Event	Highlights/Speakers	Contact
16 - 20 Sept	Pink Week: RainbowUCT, the official Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Intersex and Questioning society of UCT, is hosting its annual flagship event.	<p>This week of activism and awareness will be hosted on the UCT campus. A series of events will take place to educate people on issues related to sexual diversity and tolerance.</p> <p>The schedule for Pink Week 2013 is as follows:</p> <p>16 September 2013</p> <p>Opening of Pink Week with Professor Thandabantu Nhlapo, UCT Deputy Vice-Chancellor responsible for internationalisation and advancing UCT as an Afropolitan university</p> <p>Evening event: A candlelight vigil on UCT's Lower Campus in remembrance of those who lost their lives as a result of prejudice and discrimination</p> <p>17 September 2013 Evening panel discussion: "Homosexuality is more African than Christianity"</p> <p>18 September 2013 Evening screening of a</p>	<p>Kemantha Govender</p> <p>Tel: 021 650 5672 Cell: 084 737 6522</p> <p>kemantha.govender@uct.ac.za</p>

		documentary: "Breaking out of the box: Stories of black lesbians" 19 September 2013 Evening lecture: "Intersections: Race, class and sexual orientation in contemporary South Africa"	
18 Sept – 16 Oct	Spring Seminar Series: Celebrating 30 years of linguistics at UCT Time: 16h00 – 17h30 Venue: Huma Seminar Room, 4th Floor, Humanities Graduate School Building, Upper Campus	Celebrating its 30 th birthday, the Linguistics Section of UCT's School of African and Gender Studies, Anthropology and Linguistics will host a series of seminars by past and present staff. The next seminar is on: 18 September 2013 "Language switching: Not just a matter of mixing jou tale" – by Kay McCormick 25 September 2013 "Lost and threatened languages" – by Matthias Brenzinger 2 October 2013 "The social life of language" – by Rajend Mesthrie and Ana Deumert 9 October 2013 "Theories of language and language use" – by Jon Orman, Kate McLachlan and Sean Bowerman 16 October 2013 "Language and creativity" – by Ana Deumert and Ellen Hurst	Kemantha Govender Tel: 021 650 5672 Cell: 084 737 6522 kemantha.govender@uct.ac.za

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