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Prof. Tolly.S.A. Mbvette is a holder of a PhD in Engineering from the University of London (Imperial College, UK) of 1989 as well as a Masters Degree of the University of Dar es Salaam (1984) and a B.Sc. Civil Eng. Degree (1981). He also holds a PG Diploma of the UNESCO WRE Institute of Delft, The Netherlands (1982). In Prof. Mbvette's academic career at UDSM, he rose from a Tutorial Assistant in 1981 to a Full Professor in 1999. He was an Associate Dean for Research, Publications and Postgraduate Studies in the former Faculty of Engineering at UDSM (July 1991- June 1994) after which he became the Manager of the UDSM Transformation Programme in the Vice Chancellor's office (July 1994-April 2002). Between 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2004 and 12<sup>th</sup> April, 2005, he was Deputy Vice Chancellor (Academic) of the Open University of Tanzania. From 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2005 to 12<sup>th</sup> April 2015, he was the Vice Chancellor, Open University of Tanzania. Between 2005 and 2007, he was the maiden Chairman of TCU. He is the Immediate Past Vice Chancellor of OUT and a former Member of the Governing Board of the Association of African Universities (AAU) from June 2013 to June 2017. Between 2011 and 2014 he was President of The African Council of Distance Education (ACDE). Between 2014 and April 2017 he was a Board member of the ACDE Board. He is the Immediate Past President of the Council of The Pan African University (PAU) for the period 2015 to 2017.

Between 2008 and December 2016, he was a holder of the UNESCO COL Professorial Chair in Open and Distance Learning (ODL) at OUT. In 2009, Prof. Mbvette was appointed as one of the Honorary Advisors to the Commonwealth of Learning (COL) until 2015. In March 2015, Prof. Mbvette was appointed to be one of the seven ICDE Chairs on Open Educational Resources (OER). In October 2016, Prof. Mbvette was voted to be Chair of the Board of the African Network for Internationalisation of Education (ANIE). Between October 2015 and August 2016, he was appointed by the President of URT as The Chairman of the Governing Board of the Tanzania Telecommunications Company Limited (TTCL). Between July 2017 to date he is The Chair of The

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