



Name: *Mosiwa Samuel*
Date of Birth: *06 July 1962*

Vice Admiral Hlongwane

Chief of the South African Navy

1982	Worked as an underground operative of the African National Congress (ANC) to join the ranks of UMKhonto We Sizwe (MK) in exile (Angola).
1984	Joined the African National Congress and its Military Wing UMKhonto We Sizwe and received Basic Military Training in Angola, Malange (Caculama Camp).
1986-1991	Received military training from the former Union of Soviet Socialist Republic (USSR) and attained the Diploma in Ship Command Navigation.
1991-1992	Appointed as Chief Logistics of the two MK Camps in Tanzania (Kidetete and Magagawa).
1993-1994	Participated in the Joint Military Co-ordinating Committee (JMCC) Integration Committee of the Armed Forces.
1996-1997	Deployed to SAS UMGENI (Mine Hunter).
1997-1999	Re-mustered to Intelligence (Counter Intelligence Section).
1999-2003	Promoted to the rank of Commander and appointed as SO1 Maritime.
2003	Promoted to the rank of Captain (SAN) and appointed Senior Staff Officer Operations Counter Intelligence (SSO OPCI).
2005-2008	Appointed as the South African Defence Attaché to the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) and The Republic of Congo.
2008-2012	Promoted to the rank of Rear Admiral Junior Grade (JG) and appointed as Chief of Fleet Staff at Fleet Command Headquarters in Simon's Town.
2012-2014	Promoted to the rank of Rear Admiral and appointed as Deputy Chief of the Navy.
As from 04/2014	Promoted to the Rank of Vice Admiral and appointed Chief of the South African Navy.