

## Two students represent North West Province at SA Senior Athletics championships



*Ms B Seleka (left) and Mr L Motswenyane (right) from Rustenburg Campus represented the North West Province at the South African Senior Athletics Championships in Stellenbosch, Cape Town on 26 March 2017*

ORBIT College, Rustenburg Campus students, Ms Boitumelo Seleka and Mr Lebogang Motswenyane, competed in the prestigious South African Senior Athletics Championships, which took place in Stellenbosch on 26 March 2017. The duo went up against some of SA's top athletes... the likes of world champion, Ms Caster Semenya.

Ms Seleka, a Finance Economics and Accounting (FEA) student, ran against Semenya in the 400m category, and obtained position 5 after running an impressive 56.11 seconds. "It's not every day that one gets to compete against one's role model. It humbles me every time, and it is also what drives me to want to become better than her", Seleka said about Caster.

This was not the first time she went up against the world champion. In 2016, she shared the track with Semenya at the North West Central Athletics held in Potchestroom, where she ran 58.18 seconds, placing her at position 9.

Mr Motswenyane, on the other hand, competed in the Men's 100m and 200m categories at the SA Senior Championships. The Music student ran a spectacular 21.77 seconds in the 200m and obtained position 4. In the 100m race, he pocketed the 5<sup>th</sup> position, after running 10.74 seconds.

Both athletes are members of the Rustenburg Campus and Royal Bafokeng Athletics teams.