



# Inclusive Society Institute NEWSLETTER

May 2022

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#### In the media

Dear Reader,

It is always a great pleasure to reach out to you with news on the activities of the Inclusive Society Institute (ISI).

As we enter the second half of the year, there is a lot to reflect on. We are also aware of quite a number of things that are looming on the horizon. The ISI does its best to stay abreast of current development but also maintains a long-term focus on building South African society on social and national democratic values.

During the past month, we engaged in a number of activities, which included the following.

- Participation in a workshop on populism and social cohesion.
- Participation in a civil society engagement on electoral reform
- Releasing the following three reports:
  - Economic research consolidation – Developing a blueprint for the South African economy;
  - Rejuvenating South Africa's economy – Labour sector input; and
  - Rejuvenating South Africa's economy – A perspective from the Agriculture Industry.

Our activities were covered by various media agencies and we provide links to some of that coverage with this newsletter. It is significant that our activities are covered by electronic broadcast media as well as print media (which is also increasingly using digital platforms). This is evidence that our work is making an impact and that our message is getting out to large sections of the population.

I hope that you will enjoy this edition of our newsletter.

Regards,



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## Activities

10 May 2022

### Workshop on “Populism(s) and social cohesion in Southern Africa: a regional, a global challenge?”

On 11 and 12 May, the Institute participated in the workshop on ‘Populism(s) and social cohesion in Southern Africa: a regional challenge, a global challenge?’ The workshop was hosted by the Institute for Justice and Reconciliation, in partnership with the Research Institute Social Cohesion, based at the University of Leipzig, Germany.



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## Publication releases

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### Rejuvenating South Africa's economy – A perspective from the Agricultural Industry

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