

# RUNDU CAMPUS HARAMBEE INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH CONFERENCE, 2024

Theme: "Resilient Systems for Sustainable Economic Transformation"

DATE: 15 - 17 October 2024 | Venue: UNAM Rundu Campus, Kavango East Region, Namibia

The University of Namibia (UNAM) recognizes the importance of research in creating and disseminating new knowledge to address societal challenges. UNAM supports research that positively impacts people's lives. The Faculty of Commerce, Management, and Law will host the Harambee International Research Conference in October 2024 at the Rundu Campus.

This conference honors the legacy of the late President Dr. Hage G. Geingob, emphasizing strong institutions and sustainable economic transformation. Weak institutions in developing countries hinder progress, leading to poor public service delivery and corruption.

Dr. Geingob's vision aimed to strengthen institutions, promote transparency, and enhance global participation. Hence the need for a convergence of great minds of policy makers, academics, practitioners to showcase evidence-driven approaches to strengthening of institutions, particularly in the Global South.

### The conference sub themes:

- 1. Food security
- 2. Public management systems
- 3. Development financing
- 4. Public resources management
- 5. Human capital development
- 6. Digital economy
- 7. Green economy
- 8. Sustainable tourism
- 9. Corporate governance

- 10. Environmental, social & governance (ESG) reporting
- 11. Financial system resilience
- 12. Board diversity & organizational resilience
- 13. Agility in Multi-Polar Dynamism

#### **Abstract Format**

Abstracts should not exceed a maximum of 300 words in English, Ms word (Times New Roman font size 12). Format to include the following: Tittle, Full names and affiliation of authors, a minimum of 5 keywords, chosen sub-theme, and indicating whether submitting for paper presentation or poster presentation. Spacing should be 1.5.

#### **Presentation Type**

Oral and poster presentations

#### **Key Dates**

Authors of accepted abstracts will be invited to submitfullpapers (max22 pages) by 11 October 2024. Selected papers may be published in Springer.

## Registration

Early registration fees start at N\$2500. See website for more details:

https://www.unam.edu.na/haraconf2024.na

All abstracts and expression of interest for exhibitions should be submitted electronically in Microsoft word to the following email address:

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