



National Information Workers Association of Namibia

XXIV SCECSAL Conference

Theme: Inclusive Libraries and Information Services Towards Achieving Prosperity for Sustainable Development in Africa

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Windhoek, Namibia 8-11 February 2021

Preliminary Programme
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Day 1, Monday, 8 February 2021

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Plenary Session 1: Opening Session

Room: TBA; Chairperson: *Dr. Sarah Kaddu - President: Uganda Library Association*

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| | The SCECSAL Opening Session will include: |
| 09:00 – 09:05 | • Namibia & African Union Anthem |
| 09:05 - 09:10 | • Welcoming Remarks -Dr Ellen Ndeshi Namhila (<i>NIWAN Founding Member & PVC Finance and Administration University of Namibia</i>) |
| 09:10- 09:20 | • Introduction of the Conference -Dr.Chiku Mnubi-Mchombu (<i>Chairperson of SCECSAL National Organising Committee</i>) |
| 09:20 - 09:25 | • Address from the SCECSAL Secretariat –Dr John Anbu.. |
| 09: 25- 09:35 | • Message of Support – Gerald Leitner (<i>Secretary General International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions</i>) |
| 09:35 - 09:50 | • Remarks by Minister of Education- Hon. Minister Ms Ester Anna Nghipondoka (<i>Minister of Education, Republic of Namibia</i>) |
| 09:50- 09:55 | • Introducing the Guest of Honour- Ms Judy Grobler (<i>Chairperson Namibia Library and Information Council, Director of Namibia University of Science and Technology</i>) |
| 09:55- 10:15 | • Guest of Honour - Hon. Prof. Peter Katjavivi- (<i>Speaker of the National Assembly, Republic of Namibia</i>) |
| 10:15 -10:20 | • Vote of Thanks -Ms Namutenya Hamwaalwa (<i>Chairperson :National Information Workers Association of Namibia</i>) |

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