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## THE WATER DROP



The official newsletter of the SASSCAL Graduate Studies Programme in Integrated Water Resources Management (SGSP-IWRM)

# First SGSP cohort hits the ground running

- 13 Doctoral Candidates
- 5 SADC Countries
- ONE Goal

The SASSCAL GSP candidates hit the ground running when they arrived on campus, from engaging their respective supervisors, to attending orientation sessions arranged by the Student Services department and Library staff.



IMAGE: Dr Jane Olwoch, SASSCAL Executive Director (front row, centre) and Dr Anna Matros-Goreses, Executive Director, Research, Innovation and Partnerships, NUST (left, front row), pictured with the SGSP Secretariat and Doctoral candidates.

#### Research Seminars gain popularity

To date, more than 15 Hybrid Research Seminars were held successfully by the SGSP. The seminars, facilitated by various professionals from within and beyond NUST, were attended by the SGSP candidates, the university community, as well as the general public. The topics included Research Ethics; Referencing; and Preparing Journal Articles.

To watch the seminars, click here:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/U CeiCK4iQqoYQtgdEeyle1\_A/videos



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#### Ola!

Three SGSP candidates from Angola are currently enrolled in English language courses at NUST to enhance their writing and speaking skills. This forms part of one of the many ways the SGSP caters to the specific unique needs of our students.

### The Acting Director's Corner

"We are elated to welcome the first SGSP scholarship beneficiaries to campus, specifically to the High-Tech Transfer Plaza Select (HTTPS). We look forward to strengthening the capacity of the region by producing a highly-skilled labour force that will assist in creating innovative solutions to respond to the water resources management needs of the Southern African region,"

Ms Rennie Munyayi, SGSP Acting Director