



The Drop

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In the group photo: Dr. Eroid Naomab, NUST Vice-Chancellor (front row, fifth from left), flanked by Prof. Othusitse Madibele; Acting Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Academic Affairs and Research, BUAN (front row, fourth from left); Dr. Jane Olwoch, SASSCAL Executive Director (front row, sixth from left), as well as senior delegates from NUST and BUAN and SGSP-IWRM students.

POSTCARD

Signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between the Namibia University of Science and Technology (NUST) and the Botswana University of Agriculture and Natural Resources (BUAN)

The two institutions signed an MoU on the 7th of July 2023 at the Elisabeth Haus Senate Chamber, NUST. This collaborative agreement sets the stage for an exciting partnership aimed at operationalising the Southern African Science Service Centre for Climate Change and Adaptive Land Management (SASSCAL) Research Chair in Water Resource Quantity and Availability at BUAN.

BUAN's Prof. Ditiro Benson Moalafhi, a renowned academic in the water sector, has been awarded the SASSCAL Research Chair position with an aim of promoting an integrated system of research, training, information and documentation on Water Resources Quantity and Availability. This will support the development and deployment of innovative, excellent and collaborative education and research at PhD level complemented by selected tailor-made training programmes for decision-makers and industry.

One of the key objectives of the MoU is to obtain the communication perspectives and facilitate the internalisation of research and human capacity development in Southern Africa through the dissemination of knowledge and innovations.

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