

Inspiring the Next Generation of Public Auditors at UNAM Career Fair Rundu



Picture: Ms. Gerolda Mangundu, a Performance and Environmental auditor at the Office of the Auditor-General receive a certificate of participation from Dr. Helen Miranda, the director of the University of Namibia's (Unam) Rundu campus on behalf of the office.

For the first time, the Office of the Auditor-General took part in the highly anticipated UNAM Career Fair in Rundu that was held from 23-25 July 2024. This event presented an exceptional opportunity for our dedicated team to engage with high school learners, university students, and the public, sharing insights into the pivotal role of public auditing and the rewarding career paths it offers.

Throughout the three-day fair, our knowledgeable representatives were on hand to provide comprehensive information about the mandate and responsibilities of the Office of the Auditor-General. Visitors had the chance to learn first-hand about the office's critical function in promoting transparency, accountability, and effective governance within public institutions.

Engaging with aspiring professionals, our team highlighted the dynamic and fulfilling nature of a career in public auditing. They shared insights into the diverse skill sets required, ranging from analytical abilities and attention to detail to strong ethical principles and a commitment to serving the public interest.

Beyond career guidance, the fair allowed us to foster open dialogues with members of the public, addressing their queries and concerns regarding the auditing processes and the office's role in safeguarding public

resources. This interaction not only strengthens awareness but also reinforce the office's dedication to transparency and open communication. The overwhelming response from attendees is a testament to the growing interest in public auditing and the desire for careers that make a tangible difference in society.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to UNAM and the organizers of the Career Fair for providing us with this invaluable platform. The Office of the Auditor-General remains committed to nurturing and supporting the development of skilled professionals who will uphold the highest standards of public accountability in the years to come.