

Typist rises to NUST council

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Asked to single out one pertinent issue that she would like to address as she begins her term that ends in 2022, she said: “I acknowledge that this will be a new arena that I am entering but being pertinently determined in nature, one burning issue I would like to see being finalised is the appointment of a vice-chancellor.

This, she said, will ensure stability and sound progress for the university.

Frans is also the executive committee chairperson for the Integrated Tertiary Systems (ITS) User Group and an executive member of the Southern African Association for Institutional Research (SAAIR). She also represents the staff on the University's Pension Fund.

“I have always managed to contribute to my “avant-garde” university's strategic goals, specifically with the aim to enable others. Innovation is at the forefront of universities of technology, but I believe we should never lose sight that we are all human.

“I have grown to accept challenges and adventures and I strive to make systems and procedures memorable to others, because I simply love seeing innovative ideas through to fruition,” she added.

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Okahandja moves to evict 'land grabbers'

ELIASER KOCKENALE AND SAKESU SIKELA
THE mission of urban and rural development, Eliasier Kockenale, has applied to the High Court to evict about 2 000 people who allegedly grabbed vacant land outside of Okahandja. Kockenale and the Municipality of Okahandja are asking the court to enforce the provisions of people who allegedly occupied some parts of the land's reserved land (Opas).

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'It wasn't Covid-19'
... distraught mother believes negligence killed baby

CHAMPANE NEKUSHE
THE Minister of Health and Social Services is investigating a complaint by a mother who says her baby did not die of Covid-19 as the government announced on Tuesday.
In Bitterbuck's Karasville (15) told The Namibian yesterday her three-month-old son died in her arms of what health minister Kaluondo Shingiro said was Covid-19.
"I was holding my son's little body in my arms, waiting for medical help, for 'some doctoring'" she said. Kockenale said Shingiro's Public's Kockenale has now, was a part of baby.
The mother has died due to negligence, instead of Covid-19.
Baby Shaka (15) said after his scheduled three-month vaccination concluded on 17 August at the Bitterbuck Clinic in Windhoek.
He died on 21 August, Kockenale said.
"What happened next is what the commissioner the investigating prosecutor said was Covid-19. His condition did not improve until he died. I was shocked," she said. "I was so terrified. My baby died in my arms. His little body became cold in my arms while I was hoping he would wake up. His body, baby," Kockenale said.
She added: "His death contributed to my stress and the cause of death. The official cause of death was Covid-19, but I believe it was negligence. I think, and my son, who had gone there, died because of the baby. Why did they allow that if they say he died of Covid-19?" she said.

GOODBYE SHAKA - Baby Shaka-Dura Paribala Kockenale (left), who died on 21 August, was buried on Friday in Bitterbuck.

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Fear spreads as Erongo rushes out

CHAMPANE NEKUSHE AND TONY MUKENGE
Yesterday, residents started travelling out of the Erongo region, as they avoid the virus. The region is the southern and other parts of the country. The move brings a sigh of relief as several incidents who had been reported in the region in the past few days.

The president on Friday said: "For the Khomas region, the current disposition will be maintained and extended. Rural municipalities remain in 'stay put' mode." (15) continued on page 2

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