MINISTRY OF HIGHER EDUCATION, TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION PRESENTATION TO THE STI4SDGs IN AFRICA PROJECT: INFORMATION MEETING

NAMIBIA STI4SDGs NEEDS ON THE DESIGN OF STI FOR SDGs ROADMAP

12 JULY 2022
STI is a strategic imperative for national development, and for the attainment of the national development aspirations.

Namibia’s development aspirations are premised on Vision 2030, the National Development Plans (NDPs), the second Harambee Prosperity Plan (HPP2) and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).
## INSTRUMENTS FOR ACCELERATING ATTAINMENT OF SDGs

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| 5  | GENDER EQUALITY                    | **STI POLICY (2020-2030)**

OBJECTIVE 4: TO IMPROVE GENDER EQUALITY AND MAINSTREAMING IN STEM                           |
| 6  | CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION         | **STI POLICY GUIDING PRINCIPLE 6: SUSTAININABLE DEVELOPMENT**                           |
| 7  | AFFORDABLE ENERGY                  | IMPROVED ACCESS TO CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION FACILITIES                               |
|    |                                    | IMPROVED ACCESS TO ENVIRONMENTALLY SOUND ENERGY, AND ENHANCING ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY |
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| 8 | DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH          | **NDP5:** The four integrate progression, social transformation, environmental sustainability and good governance:  
• *Economic Progression:* diversify the economy from reliance on primary industries towards greater contribution of secondary and tertiary (less government services) industries to GDP. |
| 9 | INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE   | **NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE STRATEGY (DRAFT)**  
**STI POLICY OBJECTIVE 8:** To improve research and innovation infrastructure provision |
NAMIBIA’S NEEDS

- Moving from activity measures to impact measures
- To develop country specific STI impact indicators including indicators for strengthening indigenous knowledge systems (IKS) in Research and Development
- Strengthening monitoring and evaluation of STI for SDGs
- Integration of policy instruments into roadmap
RECENT COLLABORATIVE PROJECTS


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“In God we trust, all others must bring data.”
W. Edwards Deming

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