



HEaLL Lunch Seminar 2026

The Power of Perseverance: Building Drive and Purpose Against the Odds

Date: Thursday, 20 August 2026

Time: 12h30 – 14h00

Venue: ILRC: Auditorium & Virtual

Zoom: <https://zoom.us/j/93237884277?pwd=d05Bem5UUUZqTGh5NVVOYW8rcEkvUT09> Namibian entrepreneur, author, youth leader, and social impact advocate

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ABOUT THE SEMINAR

Every individual encounter challenge that tests the determination, confidence, and sense of purpose. While adversity is inevitable, it does not have to define one's future. The Power of Perseverance is more than a personal story; it is a guide to building the drive, resilience, and purpose needed to overcome life's obstacles and create meaningful impact.

Drawing from her lived experiences, Ms Christ Laolange Shameulu shares how setbacks, rejection, hardship, personal loss, and uncertainty became opportunities for growth, leadership, and self-discovery. Through honest storytelling and practical insights, she demonstrates that perseverance is not simply about enduring difficult circumstances, but about developing the discipline, mindset, and courage to keep moving forward despite them.

Ultimately, this session aims to inspire everyone to understand that success is rarely determined by where one begins, but by the willingness to persevere when circumstances become difficult. It is a reminder that purpose is often discovered through adversity, and that every challenge carries the potential to shape stronger leaders, professionals, and citizens.

ABOUT THE PRESENTER

Ms Christ Laolange Shameulu is a Namibian entrepreneur, author, youth leader, and social impact advocate dedicated to empowering young people and women through entrepreneurship, leadership, and community development. She is the Founder and Managing Director of **Swakopmund Fashion Week**, the **Youth in Politics Summit (YIPS)**, and author of *The Power of Perseverance: A Guide to Building Drive and Purpose Against the Odds*.

Her leadership journey has earned her recognition through programmes such as **the Young African Leaders Initiative (YALI)**, the **Tony Elumelu Foundation Entrepreneurship Programme** and **Konrad Adenauer Stiftung (KAS)**.

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