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## SUCCESSFUL CYBER SECURITY SEMINAR AT NIPAM CAMPUS



*Attendees of the Cyber Security Public Seminar*

On Monday, 15 May 2023, the Namibia Institute of Public Administration and Management (NIPAM), jointly with the Ministry of Information and Communication Technology (MICT), Communications Regulatory Authority of Namibia (CRAN), and the Namibia Security Association for Long-Term (SALT) held a cyber-security seminar. This free public seminar took place at the NIPAM campus and attracted 70 participants in person and about 1200 viewers online.

The event aimed to raise awareness and foster an understanding of the importance of cybersecurity in our increasingly digital world. The seminar featured renowned experts, industry professionals, and government officials who shared their knowledge and insights on various cybersecurity topics. The discussions and presentations provided valuable information on emerging threats, best practices, and strategies to protect individuals, organizations, and the nation's critical infrastructure from cyberattacks.

In his opening remarks, NIPAM's Acting Executive Director, Mr. Sankwasa Mubita, stated that due to increasing interconnectivity, the Fourth Industrial Revolution (4IR) has brought many life-changing benefits but has also led to cybersecurity threats and attacks. "We must be aware of the potential risks and vulnerabilities in the cyber world and take necessary precautions to safeguard ourselves and our organisations." He said.

The seminar saw an impressive turnout of cybersecurity enthusiasts, students, professionals, and government representatives. Participants hailed from various sectors, including finance, telecommunications, and education and the expert speakers delivered captivating presentations on a wide range of topics, covering areas such as network security, data protection, threat intelligence, secure coding practices, incident response, and more. Attendees gained insights into the latest trends and challenges in the cybersecurity landscape.

## NIPAM CONTINUES TO TRANSFORM THROUGH CAPACITY TRAINING

As part of its mandate, NIPAM trains public sector employees to enhance their skills and transform the Namibian public service. The recent training includes Disciplinary Procedures Training attended by officials from Namibia Revenue Agency (NamRa), and Certificate in Public Sector Management (NQF 7), module 1 (one) training.

These programs allow participants to grow their knowledge base, and improve their job skills to be more productive in their roles.



*Various Officials from NAMRA along with their NIPAM facilitator*

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