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Vice Chancellor's Message

The 100 Kwacha project

The University of Zambia is a very special place for all of us. For more than 51 years, students have received internationally recognized education from an excellent team of academic staff. The University of Zambia has grown in stature from 300 students at inception in 1966 to 27,000 students in 2018.



Our growth in Schools has been phenomenal, and today numbers thirteen Schools and three institutes spanning the domains of nursing sciences, law, engineering, health sciences, education, medicine, social sciences, public health, business, mining, engineering, agricultural sciences, natural sciences and Chinese language and culture training.

By recruiting our graduates, employers are partnering with the nation's leading provider of higher education to create value for our nation.

Alumni Relations & Advancement an operation of the University of Zambia offers expansion opportunities and a new vision for the University of Zambia. Record numbers of applicants are seeking admission into the University of Zambia. And so we need to make every effort to help them realize their dreams.

The 100 Kwacha project launched in January 2018 seeks to raise 50,000,000.00 Kwacha by the close of the year. By joining us in this campaign you will be promoting the success of a national University.

We are better, stronger and successful together. Your participation is an investment in your community. Your gift ensures UNZA's future and will impact the next generation of leaders.

Thank you for your anticipated support.

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Vice Chancellor*

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5,951 New Alumni at the 47th Graduation Ceremony

At the 46th Graduation Ceremony, we recorded 5,242 graduates. At the 47th Graduation Ceremony held from 18th - 22nd December 2017, this number grew to 5,951. A special welcome to our new Alumni.



UNZA-USA Alumni Branch Network launched



UNZA-1st Annual Fundraising Gala Dinner



Zesco refurbishes Electrical Engineering laboratory



Friends of UNZA donate





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UNZA LAUNCHES AMERICAS ALUMNI RELATIONS & ADVANCEMENT BRANCH NETWORK

“We are all agreed that achieving excellence in the three areas will put our national university up high in the regional and international rankings”.

The University of Zambia launched the Americas UNZA Alumni Relations and Advancement Branch Network on Saturday 15 July 2017 at the Ambassador's Residence, Embassy of the Republic of Zambia in Washington DC United States of America.

Speaking at the occasion of the launch, Alumni Relations and Advancement Board Chairperson Dr Tukiya Kankasa – Mabula explained that the University of Zambia had set out to leverage on the alumni and friends of the University of Zambia to contribute towards three strategic pillar in University Advancement namely:

- 1. Maintenance and expansion in teaching and learning infrastructure;**
- 2. Enhancing the research profile of the University of Zambia;**
- 3. Creating opportunities for funding towards scholarships.**

Dr Mabula said, ‘We are all agreed that achieving excellence in the three areas will put our national university up high in the regional and international rankings. Although a lot of

good things have happened over the last fifty one years of UNZA's operational existence, the institution now operates in a rapidly changing business environment, and it is important that it remains robust in order to prepare our people adequately.’

The launch attracted alumni and friends of the University of Zambia from different States in the United States. UNZA Management's initiative to engage the Alum in the effort to transform the institution was well received.

UNZA Alumnus Awarded UCT Fellowship



Chuma Himonga (LLB (Zambia), LLM (Kings College, London University) PhD (London School of Economic and Political Science, London University)

Chuma Himonga is Emeritus Professor of the University of Cape Town (UCT), where she also held the Department of Science and Technology (DST)/ National Research Foundation Chair (NRF), “Customary Law, Indigenous Values and Human Rights” (the Chair). The Chair was initially awarded for the period 2010-2015. It was renewed for a second term to 2019 upon a successful review. Professor Himonga was a member of the South African Law Reform Commission Project Committee on the Harmonisation of the Common Law and Indigenous Law for a number of years. She has published extensively in the areas of her research interest: Law of person and marriage, customary family law, children's rights, women and law in Africa, legal pluralism, indigenous values and human rights. She has collaborated in several international and regional research projects in Europe and Africa in the areas of family law, customary law and human rights, as well collaborating with individual academics at the University of Cape Town in the fields of family medicine and sociology. She has served on several Boards, including the founding Board of the International Association of Law Schools and the Board of the Commission on Legal Pluralism.

Chuma Himonga's scholarship, which focuses on the Law of Persons and Marriage, African Customary Law, legal pluralism, and women's and children's rights under Customary Law in Southern Africa, spans nearly 40 years.



2017

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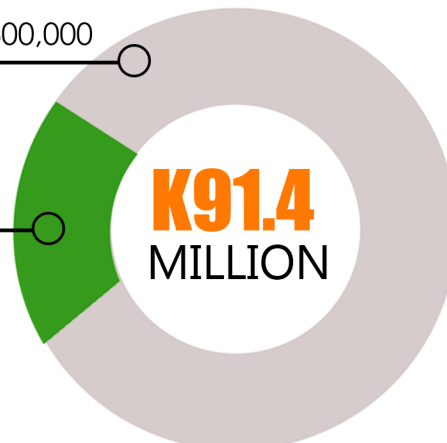
18
FROM PARENTS
AND FREINDS



5
FROM UNZA
STUDENTS

Multipurpose Teaching & Learning Centre / 91,300,000

Scholarships / K100,000.00





7th UNZA FUNDRAISING GALA DINNER HIGHLIGHTS

DECEMBER 02, 2017 MULUNGUSHI INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE CENTRE



Zesco Refurbishes Electrical Engineering Laboratory at UNZA



Zesco Managing Director Mr. Victor Mudende said Zesco Limited was delighted to support this undertaking and noted that the occasion was a true demonstration of the importance of collaboration between the University and industry in improving the learning conditions of students at the nation's highest learning Institution.

UNZA Vice Chancellor, Prof. Luke E Mumba said

" the gesture by Zesco

Limited is a great milestone towards capacity building in the training of young Engineers".

The University of Zambia opened its doors to a refurbished Electrical Engineering laboratory at the Great East Campus on the 24th of May 2017. The Laboratory has been refurbished by the nation's power generation and supply Company at a total cost of Nine Hundred and Twenty Thousand Kwacha (K920,000).

Prof. Mumba assured Zesco Limited of the University's commitment to raising and sustaining the quality of education.

FRIENDS OF UNZA DONATE



UNZA Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Luke Mumba (5th from left), Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Enala Tembo-Mwase (4th left) and Friends of UNZA-USA Representative, Dr. Anil Patel (5th from right) pose for a group photo with other senior UNZA staff in the Senate Chamber on Thursday, 4th January 2018.

"Thankyou to the Friends of UNZA-USA for the donation of a 60 seater bus worth US\$70,000.00 and 100 computers".

UNZA Alumnus appointed CEO, NATSAVE



The University of Zambia congratulates Alumnus Mukwandi Chibesakunda on her recent appointment as the Chief Executive Officer, National Savings and Credit Bank.

A graduate of the University of Zambia in Economics Mrs Chibesakunda joins NATSAVE with a wealth of banking experience spanning over a decade in senior management roles.

Prior to joining NATSAVE, She served as Head of Personal and Business Banking at Stanbic Bank Zambia Limited. The other previous portfolios held were Chief Executive Officer, at Access Bank Zambia Limited, Executive Director - Consumer Banking and Head of Service Quality for Southern Africa, at Standard Chartered Bank Zambia.



The University of Zambia Alumni Relations & Advancement extends sincere thanks to all its donors at the first Alumni Fundraising Gala Dinner held on the 2nd December 2017.

Special thanks go to our national leader, His Excellency the President Alumnus Edgar Chagwa Lungu for his great act of philanthropy.

5,951 New Alumni at the 47th Graduation Ceremony

The 47th Graduation Ceremony was held from 18th to 22nd December 2017. A 13 percent increase in graduands was recorded from 5,242 in 2016 to 5,951 in 2017. Fifty four percent of the graduates were female. The 47th Graduation Ceremony also witnessed 35 graduands at postgraduate level representing the first Alumni from the Graduate School of Business.



WE ARE ACHIEVERS



2017 GRADUATION STATISTICS

Undergraduate	5,451
Postgraduate	492
PhD	8



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UNZA ALUMNI REUNION

P R E T O R I A

DATE:

SATURDAY, 31 MARCH 2018

VENUE:

HIGH COMMISSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA
570 Ziervogel St, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0007,
Pretoria. SA

TIME:

2:00 pm

CONFIRM ATTENDANCE:

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THE K100 PROJECT

Project description:

Multipurpose Teaching & Learning Centre – UNZA

Total Project Cost:

K220,000,000.00/US\$22,000,000

The K100/US\$10 Project seeks to raise: K50,000,000 by 31 December 2018

Funds raised as at 31st December 2017:

K91.400,000

BE PART OF THE TRANSFORMATION
OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ZAMBIA

Fill out your endowment form
Deposit your K 100/US\$10 directly
Account Name: UNZA Alumni
Bank: Zanaco Acacia Park, Lusaka



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K _____

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- ☐ The UNZA Endowment (Scholarships, teaching excellence, program endowment)
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- ☐ Unrestricted Fund (applied to areas of greatest need)

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