

Invitation

Virtual Launch of Global Jurisprudential Apartheid in the Twenty-First Century

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—*Willemien du Plessis, professor of law, North-West University*

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Universalism and Particularism
in International Law

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North-West University and University of Namibia

Invites you to the Virtual Launch of Global Jurisprudential Apartheid in the Twenty-First Century

The North-West University and University of Namibia cordially invites you to the virtual launch of *Global Jurisprudential Apartheid in the Twenty-First Century*, which shows that globalisation is a variant of the apartheid era particularism and not universalism, working to advantage the Global North while disadvantaging the Global South under the pretense of humanitarianism. The book is edited by Artwell Nhemachena; Howard Tafara Chitimira and Tapiwa Victor Warikandwa.

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Thursday 21 October 2021

09:00 South African Time

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Programme

Representatives of Research and Deans from both Universities

09:00-09:05: **Welcome by MC/Chair: Prof M Carnelley, Research Director, North-West University**

09:05-09:10: **Prof Jeffrey Mphahlele, DVC Research & Innovation, North-West University**

09:10-09:15: **Prof Anicia Peters, Pro-Vice Chancellor: Research, Innovation & Development, University of Namibia**

09:15-09:20: **Prof Frednard Gideon, Pro-Vice Chancellor: Academic Affairs, University of Namibia**

09:20-09:25: **Dr Jacob Nyambe, Executive Dean, Faculty of Commerce, Management and Law, University of Namibia**

09:25-09:30: **Dr Neo Morei, Executive Dean, Faculty of Law, North-West University**

Reviewers / Endorsers of the book

09:30-09:35: **Prof TH Mongalo, University of the Witwatersrand**

09:35-09:40: **Prof W Du Plessis, North-West University**

Editors of the book

09:40-09:50: **Dr TV Warikandwa, University of Namibia**

09:50-10:00: **Dr A Nhemachena, University of Namibia**

10:00-10:10: **Prof HT Chitimira, North-West University**

Authors of book contributions/chapters

10:10-10:15: **Prof Samuel K Amoo, University of Namibia**

10:15-10:20: **Dr Asheela-Shikalepo, University of Namibia**

10:20-10:25: **Prof Prince D Zongwe, Walter Sisulu University**

10:25-10:30: **Dr Clemence Rusenga, University of Bristol**

Question & answer session

10:30-10:50: **Q & A**

Vote of Thanks

10:50-10:55: **Prof Michelle Barnard, Deputy Dean, Faculty of Law, North-West University**

Background

In *Global Jurisprudential Apartheid in the Twenty-First Century: Universalism and Particularism in International Law*, the contributors argue that the world is witnessing the formation of a global jurisprudential apartheid despite the promotion of democracy, equality, human rights, and humanitarianism. Examining organisations such as international criminal courts, the World Trade Organisation, the United Nations Security Council, the International Monetary Fund, and the World Bank, the contributors unpack the challenges of global jurisprudential apartheid. In particular, they analyse the ways in which these organizations hold and contribute to the increasing inequalities between the Global North and the Global South.
