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About me:

PROFILE:

Mr. Paulus Mungeyi is a qualified environmentalist and has overwhelming experience in environmental consultancies since 2006, as a senior environmental specialist at Efo Environmental Services Cc. He formed part of the development of the Namibian Biosafety framework; the Biosafety Act, 2006 (Act No. 7 of 2006). He is a lead coordinator in the development of the National Bioeconomy Strategy. Mr. Mungeyi is qualified in different areas and has extensive experience in many fields. He is currently studying at the Namibian University of Science and Technology towards a PhD in Natural Resources and Conservation. He obtained a master's in business administration (MBA) from the Australian Institute of Business in 2016, a master's in environmental management from the University of Stellenbosch in 2010, and a BSc. in Natural Resources and Conservation from the University of Namibia in 2005. His focus is on leadership, strategic management, and performance management. Other experience includes policy developments; the SADC harmonized seed regulations, the National Programme on Research, Science, Technology, and Innovation, 2014–2017; Biosafety Regulations, National Survey of Research & Experimental Development, Bioeconomy Strategy 2021–2026, among others. He is a member of the International Advisors to the Global Bioeconomy Summit. A national liaison person: The International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology (ICGEB). He is enthusiastic, trustworthy, strategic and generates new ideas, adapts well to different working environments and enjoys being a part of a successful team. He is dedicated to assisting any team aiming at the development of our country and the region while protecting the environment and ensuring the safety of its people through sustainable development, meeting all national and international environmental policies.

● EDUCATION AND TRAINING

01/02/2019 – CURRENT – 13 Jackson Kaujeua Street, Windhoek, Namibia

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN NATURAL RESOURCES - IMPLICATIONS OF THE NAMIBIAN BIOSAFETY REGULATIONS ON PROCESSED FOOD AND FEED IMPORTERS A CRITICAL REVIEW. – Namibian University of Science and Technology, Windhoek (Namibia).

<https://www.nust.na/>

01/09/2014 – 30/11/2016 – 27 Currie Street, Adelaide, Australia

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION – Australian Institute of Business

<https://www.aib.edu.au/>

<http://www.sun.ac.za/english>

<https://www.unam.edu.na/>

● **AREAS OF EXPERTISE**

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Project Management
Monitoring and evaluation
Quality Management System
Results-Based Management
Theory of Change
Business Process Improvement
Multi-Stakeholder Consultation
Budget Planning & Fund Management
Resource Mobilization
Science Communication
Standards development
Academic supervisor (Masters Students- Environmental related courses)
National Policy and Program developer

● **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Feasibility study for the sedimentation and re-proclaiming of Walvis Bay lagoon

Technical staff member. The project entails environmental investigations into the impact of sedimentation in the Walvis Bay lagoon on both flora and fauna. responsible for administering public participation and drafting the scoping report, including the environmental management plan (EMP). (Walvis Bay Municipality).

Environmental impact assessment (EIA) for Tetelestia Aquaculture, zone 3.

Technical Staff Member: The aim of the environmental impact assessment (EIA) was to identify the environmental sensitivities of the proposed development, to assess the potential impacts of the proposal, and to draft mitigation measures and an environmental management plan based on the findings. The EIA included various specialist assessments of the area. Responsible for drafting environmental management plans for the proposed zone as well as providing technical support for public participation. (Walvis Bay Municipality).

Environmental Impact Assessment: Proposed residential development in Tsumeb, Oshikoto Region, July 2016.

Environmental Impact Assessment(EIA) and Environmental Management Plan (EMP) for establishment of a fuel service station in Omakange.

Lead Conordinator Development of the Bioeconomy national Strategy 2023-2027

Expert Reviewing the World Food Programme Country's Strategic Plan 2023-2028

● LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): **OSHINDONGA**

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
ENGLISH	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

● DIGITAL SKILLS

My Digital Skills

Microsoft Office | Microsoft Powerpoint | Microsoft Excel

● DRIVING LICENCE

Driving Licence: B

● PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND COMMITTEES:

01/07/2018 – CURRENT

International Advisory Council on Global Bioeconomy (IAC).

The IAC was initially formed to support the Global Bioeconomy Summit 2015 and has been maintained, extended and updated since. The IAC is composed of about forty high-level policy experts and drivers of bioeconomy in all hemispheres. The IAC is significantly involved in the development of the GBS2020 plenary agenda and workshop program to ensure its global spirit and its noncommercial nature. The IAC plays a key role in providing strategic programming guidance for GBS2020 and in mobilizing speakers and participants. The IAC develops and approves policy recommendations on how to promote the development of a sustainable bioeconomy globally.

<https://gbs2020.net/international-advisory-council/>.

01/08/2018 – CURRENT

FAO International Sustainable Bioeconomy Working Group (ISBWG).

The ISBWG bioeconomy develop guidelines related to the production, utilization and conservation of biological resources, including related knowledge, science, technology, and innovation, to provide information, products, processes and services across all economic sectors aiming toward a sustainable future.

<http://www.fao.org/energy/bioeconomy/en/>.

01/07/2017 – CURRENT

Namibia's Second National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan (NBSAP II) working group.

The working group provided a strong foundation for the sustainable management and use of biodiversity in the country hence tracking progress of the implementation of various programs to ward sustainable utilization and conservation of the Namibian Biodiversity.

Environmental Economics Network of Namibia

The EENN is a not-for-profit, member-governed, network dedicated to advancing understanding of the relationships among ecological, social, and economic systems for the mutual well-being of nature and people in Namibia. EENN brings together like-minded individuals working together to protect Namibia's inimitable biodiversity by promoting and mainstreaming the use of environmental economics within Namibia.

<https://resmob.org/eenn/>

01/02/2022 – CURRENT

International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology (ICGEB) National Liaison Officer

The ICGEB Liaison Officer (LO) is a national scientist officially nominated by the Member State, whose main function is to liaise with his/her national scientific community and the ICGEB on matters related to the scientific programmes and activities of the Organisation.

<https://www.icgeb.org/governance/members-states/#MN>

● **PUBLICATIONS**

Joint Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety/Aarhus Convention Cooperation on Public Access to Information and Public Participation: Experiences and Lessons Learned from Namibia.

<http://207.253.234.122/protocol/outreach/newsletter/bpn-13.pdf> – 2018

Impact of Hydrogen Sulphide on Mariculture Industries of Namibia. Master Thesis, University of Stellenbosch.

2010

Project Management Methodology Suitable For Public Sector Organisations: A Case Study Of The National Commission On Research Science And Technology (NCRST).

2016

Incidences of Eschericia coli and Salmonella Species in processed Hake from companies based at Walvis Bay, Namibia, Africa, Association of International Research and Development Centres for Agriculture.

2008

I supervised a master student: University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.

● **RECOMMENDATIONS**

Mr. Moses Moses. – NCRST Head: Knowledge Management & IP Coordination – mmmoses@ncrst.na – (+264) 812610211

Available to give details.

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