



# Invitation

Unisa Western Cape

## Unisa Library Cape Town

*Invites you to attend*

### Nal'ibali Lamadoda – Here are the stories of men

*in celebration of South African Library Week, presents*

#### The Story Tellers

**Dr Shahieda Jansen**

Deputy Director: Academic & ICT Support and Clinical Psychologist

**Mr. Zolani Potane**

Social Worker & intern in a model of Masculinised psychotherapy

**Mr. Takudzwa Richard Chifungo**

Current Unisa student

**Mr. Mtutuzeli Songelwa**

Former Unisa student

*The Library and Information Association of South Africa (LIASA) is celebrating South African Library Week (SALW) with the theme "Libraries: telling powerful stories" from 20-26 March 2023.*

*Humans have told stories for as long as we can remember. These stories are used to share news, amplify the accomplishments of heroes, and pass on cultural traditions, and transfer knowledge and history. Libraries have been central in collecting, preserving, and sharing these stories.*

*Stories make difficult information easier to understand. Stories can change the future for the better. This year we are focusing on telling those stories, both from a librarian and library user's perspective, focusing on the achievements of libraries in South Africa over the years, as libraries transform to fit into the New World.*

*Libraries are central to communities; they provide not only access to books, but also a space for knowledge, access to information for all, and occasionally offer an escape from the harsh realities. Technology has transformed how we find and use books, how we gather information, and how we learn. The 4IR has shifted the landscape and how we tell these stories which have contributed to global knowledge, memory and communication. Libraries in South Africa are transforming the stories that they share and how they share them. This includes the platforms that are used to tell these stories, whether they are recreational, educational, or historical.*

**Date & Time:**

24 March 11h00 – 14h00

**Link to the Program:**

<https://tinyurl.com/yvkt5m6j>

**Physical venue:**

B1, First Floor, Cape Town Campus

**Virtual venue:**

MS Teams. To join online click here: <https://tinyurl.com/fajdxjh7>

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