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LASHANSEL A WENYUVESI YASENINGIZIMU AFRIKA  
KWEMUKELA, SIGABA SE-2 INGCUNGUTSEL A KANYE  
NEKWETFULWA KWENCWADZI**

*Kugucuka kweNyuvesi yaseNingizimu Afrika kanye  
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- Mcondzisiluhlelo Dkt. Somadoda Fikeni, Umcondzisi:  
weMiklamo leKhetsekile neMeluleki weMphatsi kanye  
neLisekelashansela
- Solwati R Viljoen, Sihlalo: weLitiko Letemlandvo neMholi  
weMklamo

- Solwati A Manson, umbhali walencwadzi
- Solwati A Bawa, sikhulumi setfu lesikhulu lesitawetfula inkhulumo yalamuhla (*Sihloko: I-UNISA kanye neNational Development Trajectory*)
- Emalunga eSigungu sase-Unisa Lesiphetse neBaphatsi Labanetiwe Bahlanganyeli betfu lamuhla emini:
  - Solwati A Keet, Sihlalo: Likomidi leTindvuna Lekwengamela leTingucuko Tetemfundvo Lephakeme
  - Solwati N Baijnath, i-CEO: Umkhandlu weTemfundvo Lephakeme
- Tisebenti tasemahhovisi tase-Unisa
- Titjudeni tase-Unisa
- Labatsintsekako be-Unisa kanye nemalunga etincenyе letakha sikhungo setfu
- kanye nelikwaya letfu lase-Unisa

Ngiyanibingeleta nonkhe, futsi nemukelekile kulencye yesibili yengcungcutsela yetfu nekwetfulwa kwencwadzi. Ngemukela ngalokukhetsekile emalunga etfu nemalunga ephaneli lasandza kusijoyina, futsi latawube abelana natsi inhlakanipho yawo lebumbene kanye nelwati labanalo.

Kumgamu wasekuseni sabelene ngetinhlangotsi letinyenti letehlukene mayelana neluhambo lolukhandlanako Iwe-Unisa

kuleminyaka lendlulile le-145, futsi sitsintse indzima nelifutse layo eNingizimu Afrika kuso kuso leso sikhatsi. Ngicabanga kutsi siyawumelana sonkhe kutsi kube ngumgamu lomnandzi mbamba. Kulemini kugcila kwetfu kutawubuka embili lapho sicabanga *ngelikusasa*: Likusasa letitjudeni tetfu, indzima letawudlalwa yi-Unisa ekwakheni lelo likusasa kanye nelifutse kanye neligalelo ekutfutfukeni kwalo lonkhe lelive letfu.

Leminyaka lenge-50 leyendlulile ibe ngulenesivunguvungu ekwendlalekeni kwentfutfuko kutepolitiki yaseNingizimu Afrika, futsi loku kubonakala kunchubo yayo yetemfundvo lephakeme. Kusuka ekubenit sikhungo lesihlangene kahle saba yindvwangu yembuso welubandlululo kusukela nga-1948 kuye ekucaleni kwabo-1990, i-Unisa yemukele yabuye futsi yagucuka yaba yinyuvesi lekhombisa ibuye futsi ikhutsate simo semmango wentsandvo yelinyenti iphindze futsi yenetisa indzima lenemtselela lomkhulu ekukhulisweni kwekufinyelela imfundvo lephakeme kulomkhakha. Titjudeni taseNingizimu Afrika letingetulu kwakunye kulokutsatfu manje tibhalise e-Unisa, futsi loku kubonakala sengatsi kusatawukhula ngisho naloku sekunebatfulitinsita labatimele. Itolo ngifundze kutsi, sibonelo, Stadio manje sinetitjudeni letinge-29 000 letilandzela umcondvo "wenyuvesi lenkhulukati lenematiko lamanyenti" lekuvumela kutsi ukwati kufundza uchumana nemfundzisi uphindze

futsi ukwati kufundza ngeliposi tifundvo letinyenti letehlukene letikhona naletihleliwe kusuka kutefashini kuye kutebunjinela, netebuciko betemdlalo kuye kutekuhwebelana.

Luhambo lwetfu, nanoma kunjalo, beluloku lunekushikashikeka lokuchubekako kwekugucula tifundvo tetfu nekufundzisa ngendlela lesibonakala ngayo emimangweni kute kutsi sikwati kubonelela tidzingo nemaciniso eNingizimu Afrika kanye newalivekati lase-Afrika ngebubanti balo. Loku kwete sicianiseko sekutsi i-Unisa iyachubeka nekuba ngulehlukile ngendlela lebonakala ngayo kanye nangaloko lesikuniketako futsi sifanele kutsi sigcizelele sibambelele kuko. Sitentele ngalokucinisekile lidvumela lelihle kulelivekati lase-Afrika nakuletinye tindzawo letikhashane kanye nebherendi leyatiwa ubuye futsi ihlonishwe mahlaba wonkhe. Loko kufanele kutsi sikufukule kakhulu sisonkhe sibambisene.

Nanoma ngubani lofundza ngemlandvo we-Unisa waleminyaka lelikhulu leyendlulile angeke ahlale angamangaliswa kuba mihibahiba kwalesikhungo lesikhulukati kanye nendzima yaso lesidlalako lematima futsi lebanga tinkhulumomphikiswane kumbuso nakutemfundvo lephakeme. Njengalesinye setikhungo lekukudzala tikhona, i-Unisa yakhiwe ngulokuhle nalokubi ngaloyindida, lapho imishiyandvuku lengasimihle ichubeka ivimba emazinga ekugucuka

ngesivinini, nanoma kunjalo enta kutsi kube nekutinta lokufananako lokuchuba kukhula kwalesikhungo kancanekancane.

I-Unisa ngekungangabati iyinyuvesi leluphawu Iwase-Afrika yekufundza ngeliposi. Manje-ke sitakucinisekisa kanjani kukhula kwayo kanye neligalelo layo lelinemandla ekutfutfukeni kwelive lonkhe lakitsi. Sonkhe siyasati lesisho lesitsi: *Labo labangafundzi emaphutseni abo batawaphindza futsi*. Lwetfu alukate Iwaba lula, futsi angeke lube luhambo lolulula. Loku kutsiwa Yingucuko Yetimboni ye-4 lenemandla lamakhulu ekutfutfukisa lelive lonkhe – ikakhulu ngekusebentisa i-ODeL – isiphoccelela kutsi sibukane netinsayeya letimatima mbamba: letimayelana netingcucuko, kubambisa nekutfola bantfu labanemakhono lesiwadzingako kucinisekisa kutsi sichubeka nekufaneleka nekusebenta ngalokunemphumelelo kanye nekutsi baphotfuli betfu batsatfwa njengetakhamuti temhlaba letibalulekile naletinesibopho. Lomlandvo losemtsetfweni weNyuvesi yaseNingizimu Afrika uniketa inkhundla neluhlu Iwetifundvo letifundziwe, lekungakhelwa utukwato tindzaba te-Unisa takusasa lapho singena esikhatsi lesibalulekile nalesibucayi ekutfutfukisweni kwetemfundvo lephakeme eNingizimu Afrika.

Loku-ke kusondzele kakhulu enhlitiyweni yesikhulumi setfu lesicavile salamuhla emini, Solwati Ahmed Bawa, kwamanje loyi-CEO

yeNyuesi yaseNingizimu Afrika, sikhungo lesimelele onkhe emanyuvesi esive lange-26 lalapha eNingizimu Afrika. Inyuesi yaseNingizimu Afrika yakha inchubomgomo, ibukana nemitamo yenchubommgom yembuso ibuye futsi ihlangabetane netidzingo tekwesekelwa sive letidzingwa ngulomkhakha. Ngembi kwaloko, Solwati Bawa bekaLisekelashansela kanye neMphatsinyuvesi e-DUT; Solwati longuMphatsikolishi, eHunter College, City University of New York; kanye neLisekela leLisekelashansela eNyuesi ya KwaZulu-Natal, emkhatsini waletinye tikhundla letibalulekile. Uneticu te-PhD latitfola eNyuesi yaseDurham emkhakheni wetenjulolwati yefiziksi. Futsi yebo, njengato tokhe "tifundziswa" letinyenti taseNingizimu Afrika kutenhlalo netepolitiki, Solwati Bawa uSitjudeni se-Unisa seSikhatsi Lesendlulile, watfola ticu takhe te-BSc nga-1982 (tetifundvo bekagcile kuto, Tibalo neFiziksi). Solwati Bawa bekasishoshovu setitjudeni. Lokuchazanako kutsi, usakhummbula kutsi wafundziswa ngumfundzisi sibongo sakhe lebesisakaVerwoerd. Kubosolandvo labakhona lapha emkhatsini wetfu, kungaba yintfo lenhle kujula kumlandvo kute sibone kutsi ingabe lomfundzisi bekahlobene yini naDkt. Verwoerd lowaba livulandlela lemfundvo yalabamnyama, *abantu*. Uma ngabe kunjalo, kwengeta kulokunotsa, kushuba kanye nesimo lesiphikisanako salenyuvesi yetfu lenhle kangaka!

Solwati Bawa, wemukelekile kakhu. Lokwetfulwa kwakho lokufishane akwenti bulungiswa kuligalelo lakho lelikhulu

nalelineseitfunti kangaka kutemfundvo lephakeme eNingizimu Afrika, kepha kusiniketa umfanekiso nesicinisekiso sekutinikela kwakho kutemfundvo lephakeme, lophindze futsi uyakukhombisa namuhla emini. Silindzele kuva loko lotawabelana natsi ngako.