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International and Local Engagement Section

26th August 2022

Dear Students/Staff

LOCAL ENGAGEMENT

UniSey Staff attend First Aid training

A group of UniSey staff member attended a two-day Level 1 of the First Aid Training developed by the Red Cross Society of Seychelles. The training which took place on Thursday 28th and Friday 29th July, was conducted at the UniSey, Anse Royale Campus by Mrs. Karine Ernesta.



Internship in ILES ends for Dainn.



On Friday 29th July 2022, after one month of work experience in ILES, intern Mr. Dainn Laboudallon, says Thank You and goodbye to the team. Dainn, currently a BBA student here at UniSey, started his internship in the International and Local Engagement Section on Monday 4th July 2022. According to Dainn, this month has been a wonderful and fruitful experience whereby he has learnt a lot about the behind the scene functions of the University of Seychelles. On our part, we have felt very fortunate to have had Dainn. Through his great personality and eagerness to learn, Dainn has been a great help for the section, and we wish that his internship could have lasted longer than one month!

INTERNATIONAL ENGAGEMENT

UniSey welcomed Dr. Jean Kiyala from the Durban University of Technology (DUT)

UniSey welcomed Dr. Jean Kiyala from the Durban University of Technology (DUT) from Monday 1st to Friday 5th August 2022 as a visiting lecturer on the MA in Peace and Conflict Resolution programme. Dr. Kiyala is a Senior Lecturer in the Faculty of Management Sciences and an honorary research associate in the Faculty of Innovation and Engagement at DUT. During his visit, he taught the students about non-violence as opposed to violence



Group photo: Dr. Jean Kiyala (second right) with the students

in bringing about social change; and how to apply a range of nonviolent tools within a strategic planning framework.



The students (Angela Payet on the left and Jim-Roy Jeannevol on the right) delivering their class presentation on leading figures in nonviolence and peace e.g. Mahatma Gandhi and Martin Luther King Jr.

UniSey bids farewell to visiting Researchers from Rhodes University, Makhanda, South Africa.

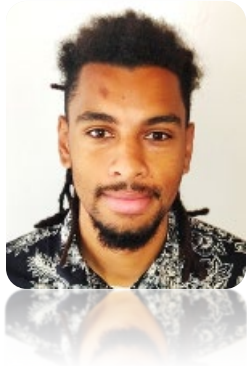


The University of Seychelles, bid farewell to Ms. Millie Anne Siziba, and Mr. Brian Khumalo who had been on a research visit at the University of Seychelles from July 01st to August 01st 2022.


During their visits, the two researchers conducted research for the Ocean Sustainability project entitled “Negotiating Ocean Conflicts among Rivals for Sustainable and Equitable Solutions (No Crises). As this project also included several other international small island developing states, the exposure Seychelles (and the University of Seychelles as partner) will get will greatly contribute to the ranking of the UniSey and Seychelles in

additional to providing valuable information regarding conflicts in the coastal communities of the Seychelles.

Volunteer Ph.D. student from the University of York at UniSey!



The University of Seychelles is hosting Mr. Theo Tomking, a Seychellois, studying at the Leverhulme Centre for Anthropocene Biodiversity, University of York, England. Mr. Tomking is working as a volunteer with the Wildlife Clubs of Seychelles and will be with us until 24th August 2022. His research is based on the history of soil science in East Africa and the Caribbean. This is the second time that Mr. Tomking has come to assist the Wildlife Club of Seychelles and this time he is keen to engage with other researchers and staff at the University. Mr. Terrence Vel is the liaising person who is assisting Theo during his time at the UniSey Centre for Environmental Education (UCEE).



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