

**Final Conference program**  
**Teaching Information Ethics in Africa:**  
**Current Status, Opportunities and Challenges**

**Date:** 6 & 7 September 2010

**Place:** University of Botswana Library Auditorium

**Director of Ceremony:** Prof S. Mutula/Anthony Hoffmann

**Rapporteur:** Sandra Braman/Douglas Kimberley

**Protocol & seating:** Dr. Sekgomotso Keakopa

**Part One: Monday September 6**

**0800-0830:** Registration of delegates: Dr Peter Sebina/Dr Priti Jain

**0830-0840:** Welcome Remarks – Ag. Deputy Vice Chancellor Academic Affairs (University of Botswana) – Prof AB Ngowi

**0840-0845:** Context of IE Conference – Prof J. Britz

**0845-0910:** Official opening: Hon. Frank J. Ramsden, Minister for Transport & Communication (Republic of Botswana)

**0910-0915:** Award for distinguished service to developing IE for Africa-Prof. J Britz

**0915-0955:** Setting the scene: Prof Dr Rafael Capurro on Global Intercultural Information Ethics

**0955-1000:** Vote of Thanks: Prof KH Moahi, Dean Faculty of Humanities

**1000-1030:** HEALTH TEA BREAK

**1030-1200:** The need for Information Ethics in Africa

- UNESCO perspective: Jaco Du Toit
- Academic perspective: Prof. Johannes Britz

**1200-1300:** DISCUSSIONS

**1300-1400:** LUNCH BREAK

**1400-1520:** Status reports from different African countries on the teaching of Information Ethics

- South Africa: Prof. Dennis Ocholla
- Botswana: Prof. Stephen Mutula
- Uganda: Dr. Dick Kawooya

**1520-1545:** HEALTH TEA BREAK

**1545-1800:** Status reports from different African countries on the teaching of Information Ethics

- Nigeria: Prof. Iyabo Mabawonku
- Kenya: Prof. J. Mugambi, Mr. C. Nandain, Mr. A. Limo & Ms. S. Kibugi
- Zambia: Dr. Akakandelwa Akakandelwa
- Zimbabwe: Dr. Lawton Hikwa

**1900-2100:** Cocktail - University of Botswana Staff Lounge

**Part Two: Tuesday morning September 7**

**0800-0900:** Summary of status reports and discussion – introduced and facilitated by Kimberly Douglass

**0900-1000:** Development of an Information Ethics toolkit for African universities –  
Prof Sandrah Braman

Break out session

**1000-1015:** HEALTH TEA BREAK

**1020-1050:** Can you buy an African Dream (Rafael Capurro)

**1050-1120:** The road ahead

Children /Youth and Information Ethics in Africa

**1120-1200:** Key note – Jesse Mugambi “*Information Ethics and Character Formation of Children in Tropical Africa*”

**1200-1300:** Panel presentations and discussion:

Charles Nandain “*Cultural Literacy: Reclaiming the African Dream for Children in Africa*”

Andrew Limo “*Information Ethics and the New Media: Challenges and Opportunities for Kenya’s Education Sector*”

Sarah Kibugi “*Empowering Children and Youth in the Slums through Cultural Literacy: Kenyan Perspective*”

Plenary: Wrap Up

**1300-1400:** LUNCH BREAK