



THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF ZANZIBAR

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS: THE ABEID AMANI KARUME PROFESSORIAL CHAIR IN LIBERATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF AFRICA

The State University of Zanzibar (SUZA) is pleased to invite applications for the position of Abeid Amani Karume Professorial Chair in Liberation and Development of Africa, to begin June 1st 2024.

The Abeid Amani Karume Professorial Chair in Liberation and Development is established by the State University of Zanzibar (SUZA) in honour of the late Abeid Amani Karume, a revolutionary, the First President of Zanzibar and Chairman of the Revolutionary Council and the First Vice President of the United Republic of Tanzania for his contributions in the liberation and development of Zanzibar, Tanzania and Africa.

We invite applications from suitably qualified candidates from humanities and social sciences disciplines. Preferably the candidate should be a scholar with strong understanding of African and Pan-African studies, and strong research and publishing track record. Also, the candidate should have good record of national and international networks.

Responsibilities

The Chair will be expected to:

- Prepare and deliver public lectures, including inaugural lecture that will be published by SUZA
- Conduct research and/or create and establish social or cultural projects
- Assist SUZA to raise resources to grow the endowment for the Abeid Amani Karume Chair

Conditions

The successful candidate will serve as a Chair for a three-year term but with the possibility of extension for the second term.

Mode of Applications

Applicants should submit the following to the Secretary of Search Team and attention to the Vice Chancellor of SUZA (vc@suza.ac.tz):

- a covering letter for expression of interest
- a curriculum vitae
- a proposal for working programme of the tenure period (maxi. 5 pages)
- three letters of reference to be sent directly to the Vice Chancellor (vc@suza.ac.tz)
- Only short-listed candidates will be contacted and they may be invited for face-to-face interview.

Application Deadline: May 3rd 2024

Applicants are responsible for ensuring that the required documents are complete and duly submitted by this date.

For further information, please contact: kigoda.karume@suza.ac.tz