



ELLA SMITH SIMMONS' INAUGURAL PUBLIC LECTURE

Judith Thomas Library Auditorium
 Wednesday, April 24, 2024
 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm

PROGRAM

ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE
Arrival of Guests	
National Anthem & University Anthem	Pauline Njine, MSc & Team
Opening Prayer	Lisa Beardsley-Hardy, PhD Education Director, GC
Welcome	Josephine Ganu, PhD Director, Research & Grants Development
Opening Remarks	Vincent R. Injety, PhD Vice Chancellor
Annual Public Lecture Series Launch	Harrington Akombwa, DMin AUA Chancellor & SID President
Special Prayer	Blasious Ruguri, Dmin ECD President
Musical Interlude	Pr. Emmanuel Venance Student, MABTS
Introduction of Guest of Honor	Geoffrey G. Mbwana, MA AUA Council Chair
Inaugural Lecture <i>What Difference Does It Make? Leading for Positive Societal Transformation</i>	Ella Smith Simmons, EdD Guest of Honour



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Q & A Session	Lossan Bonde, PhD Dean, School of Postgraduate Studies
Recognition for Research & Publications	Risper Awuor, PhD DVC Academics <i>(Assisted by Josephine Ganu, PhD)</i>
Closing Remarks	Gilbert Opanga, MA Senior Assistant Commission Secretary – Standards, Recognition & Equation of Qualifications, CUE
Appreciation	Feliks Ponyatovskiy, PhD Dean, Theological Seminary
Closing Prayer	George Egwakhe, MBA Associate Treasurer, GC
Photo Session	Janet Oyende-Kariuki, MSc Marketing, PR & Alumni Affairs Office
Networking Reception	Makhosiwonke Moyo, MBA DVC Finance

Dress code: Formal