

Training Opportunity

Hospitality & Tourism



Food & Beverage Service / Accommodation Service Level 2

the living classroom

in the heart of NamibRand Nature Reserve



The Wolwedans Desert Academy - a private sector not-for-gain Vocational Training provider – is based in the heart of the **NamibRand Nature Reserve** in the western Hardap region. Since its inception in 2007, the programme has graduated in excess of 350 young Namibians in Hospitality & Tourism Level 3. Since 2023 Desert Academy has also been NTA accredited for Horticulture training with the first pilot group well underway.

Desert Academy now seeks to embark on a new cycle of training and enroll eager and talented young Namibians for the **Hospitality & Tourism – Food and Beverage Services / Accommodation Services Level 2 program**, commencing in March 2024 with assessment in November/December. After successful completion, candidates will have the opportunity to further their studies in the 2025-2026 Level 3 program. **This training opportunity is funded by the Namibia Training Authority under the 35% Vet Levy Key Priority Grant .**

The success of Wolwedans Desert Academy lies in a healthy balance of textbook theory and practical exposure. In light of our location in the heart of the Namib, trainees are naturally exposed to a peaceful environment that is conducive to learning and personal growth, without the distractions associated with the hustle and bustle of city-life. Life Skills are a key component of our training focus, providing our trainees with essential skills and self-awareness expected in the real world. Right from the first-year trainees are exposed to the real deal which we call **“The Living Classroom”**.

Our Purpose is the Pursuit of Happiness, and our philosophy is embedded in the balance between people, planet and profit which yields, inevitable harmony. In that sense, Wolwedans exists to inspire a new way.

For more information on our Purpose, Compass and Values, visit: www.arideden.org

For more information (courses/ admission/ application process etc.) and the application form please go to: www.wolwedansdesertacademy.org

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