

READ-IN: DUT MARKS MEDIA FREEDOM DAY

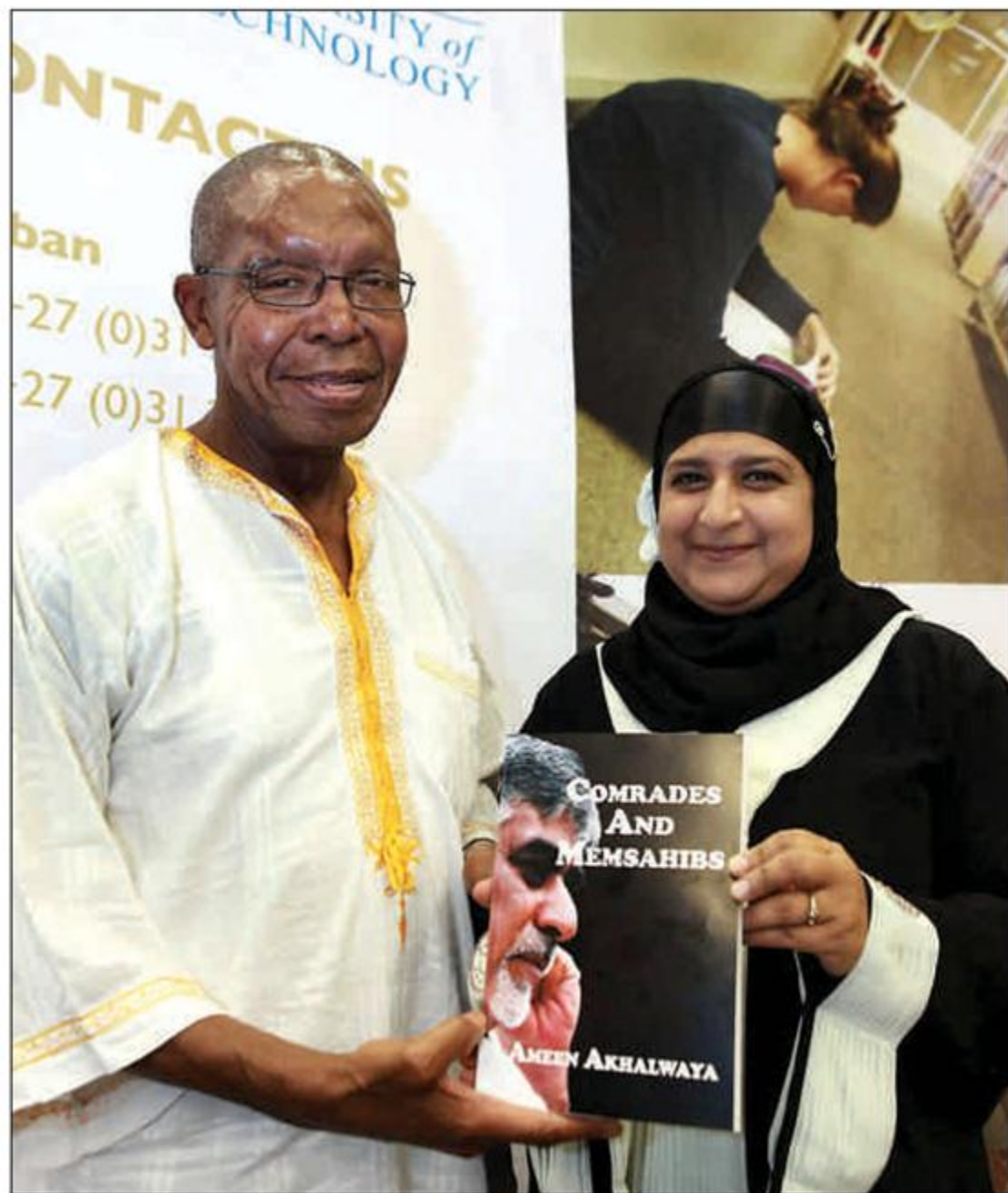


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Press Ombudsman Joe Thloloe and Zaytoon Akhalwaya-Abed, daughter of the late struggle journalist Ameen Akhalwaya and a freelance journalist herself, attended the launch of 'Reading is Power' at the Durban University of Technology to mark Media Freedom Day. DUT in association with Women in Action presented a selection of readings from Ameen Akhalwaya's book *Comrades and Memsahibs*, with a panel discussion on media freedom and the current state of journalism.