

Biography

Full Name	Jerry Jeremias Ekandjo
Date of Birth	17 March 1947
Place of Birth	Windhoek, Khomas Region
Education	Augustineum Secondary School, Windhoek, Grade 8–10 (1964/1968); Rhenish Missionary School, Windhoek (1963); Rhenish Missionary Primary School, Okahandja (1955 -1962)
Career	SWAPO Deputy Head of Voters Registration (1989); SWAPO (internal) Secretary for Information and Publicity (1987– 1988); Teacher at African Methodist Episcopal School at Gibeon (1982– 1987); Secretary for SWAPO Youth League inside Namibia (1983 – 1986), Leading SWAPO activist inside Namibia (1969 – 1973)
Legislation profile	Member of SWAPO Party Central Committee; Minister of Youth, National Service, Sport and Culture (2012 – 2014) Minister of Regional, Local Government, Housing and Rural Development (2008 – 2012); Minister of Lands and Resettlement (2005 – 2008); Minister of Home Affairs (1995 – 2005); Deputy Minister of Home Affairs (1995); Deputy Minister of Local Government and Housing (1990 – 1995); Member of National Assembly since 1990; Member of Constituent Assembly (1989 – 1990)
Historical Aspect	Imprisoned on Robben Island (1974-1981);
Interest	Not applicable