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2025 PSYCHIATRY RESEARCH WEEK



24-28 FEBRUARY 2025



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	Monday 24 February	Tuesday 25 February	Wednesday 26 February	Thursday 27 February	Friday 28 February
9:00-10:00	Welcome and Introduction Prof. Saeeda Paruk	Qualitative Data Collection & Interview Techniques Prof. Thirusha Naidu	Practical Example of Qualitative Data Analysis Prof. Thirusha Naidu, Dr. Lunga Shabalala, Dr. Nduku Wambua	Individual Qual & Quant Consults with Facilitators (upon request)	Individual Qual & Quant Consults with Facilitators (upon request)
10:00-11:00	Qualitative Research Guide Workshop: Introduction & Methods Dr. Nduku Wambua	Intro to Qualitative Data Analysis Prof. Thirusha Naidu		Writing Up Qualitative Results Dr. Nduku Wambua	Including People with Lived Experience In Research Dr. Olivia Matshabane
11:00-12:00	Theory In Qualitative Research Dr. Lunga Shabalala	Theory In Data Analysis Dr. Lunga Shabalala		Tips for Qualitative Research Prof. Thirusha Naidu	
12:00-13:00	Lunch Break	Lunch Break	Lunch Break	Lunch Break	Lunch Break
13:00-14:00	Academic talk: Dr. Olivia Matshabane <i>(Stellenbosch University, South Africa)</i>	Academic talk: Dr. Hannah Brown <i>(Boston University, USA)</i>	Academic talk: Dr. Dickens Akena <i>(Makerere University College of Health Sciences, Uganda)</i>	Academic talk: Dr. Lunga Shabalala <i>(University of Johannesburg, South Africa)</i>	Academic talk: Prof. Pfano Mashau <i>(Durban University of Technology, South Africa)</i>
14:00-14:30	Intro to Basic Epidemiology Ms. Tithi Baul	Survey Development Dr. Rachel Oblath	Writing a Study Protocol: Aims & Objectives Ms. Tithi Baul	Intro to STATA Dr. Vuyokazi Nhlantsana	Research Statistics Made Easy: Bivariate Stats Dr. Rachel Oblath
14:30-15:00		Survey Development in REDCap Ms. Tithi Baul	Writing a Study Protocol: Methods Ms. Tithi Baul		Research Statistics Made Easy: Multivariate Stats Dr. Rachel Oblath
15:00-15:30	Intro to Quantitative Methods Dr. Rachel Oblath	Data Management Ms. Tithi Baul	Writing a Study Protocol vs. a Manuscript Ms. Tithi Baul	STATA: Univariate Stats Dr. Rachel Oblath	
15:30-16:00		Intro to Research Reviews Dr. Dickens Akena	Writing a Manuscript Dr. Hannah Brown		
16:00-16:30	Welcome Remarks Dr. David Henderson & Prof. Bonga Chiliza	Systematic Reviews: Literature Search Dr. Dickens Akena		Research Statistics Made Easy: Bivariate Stats Dr. Rachel Oblath	