

SAMRC CELEBRATES WORLD INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY (IP) DAY



IP and the SDGs: Building our common future with innovation and creativity

Date: Thursday, 23 May 2024

Venue: Cape Town: SAMRC Building A –
VC Boardroom (In-person)

Time: 14:00 – 16:00

Pretoria and Durban: TEAMS (Virtual)

Registration is compulsory for both virtual participation and in-person attendance

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DEAR SAMRC COMMUNITY,

The SAMRC Technology Transfer Office welcomes you to join the World Intellectual Property (IP) celebration session taking place on the 23rd of May 2024. The session is dedicated to SAMRC staff, researchers, and students across all regions; SAMRC Cape Town campus (in-person) and Durban and Pretoria (virtual).

World IP Day was founded in 2000 and is celebrated annually to increase people's understanding of IP and awareness of how IP rights encourage innovation and creativity within different contexts. This year, under the theme "IP and the SDGs: Building our common future with innovation and creativity", the celebration focuses on how innovative solutions contribute to the sustainability of our earth and the well-being of individuals and societies.

Please use the [link](#) to register for the 2024 SAMRC World IP Day celebration by 21 May 2024.

Registration is compulsory for both virtual participation and in person attendance for catering purposes.

ALL are Welcome!

PROGRAMME

Introduction to the National Intellectual Property Management Office (NIPMO), IP and SDGs

*Tshimangadzo Munyai –
Deputy Director: NIPMO*

Themed talk on protecting and enforcing IP rights

*Rory Moore – Senior Associate:
Von Seidels IP law firm*

Celebrating SAMRC innovation: The innovation journey and product showcasing

*Dr Averalda van Graan –
Specialist Scientist and manager
of SAFOODS: SAMRC*

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