

SAPRIN POPULATION SCIENCE SEMINAR SERIES

Date: Wednesday, 25 September 2024

Time: 15:00 – 16:00

This monthly science focused forum is aimed at sharing and collaborating amongst the nodes and beyond. The topics are primarily Health and Demographic Surveillance Site (HDSS) and Population Science focused. All interested are welcome to attend.

Facilitator

Dr André Rose



Dr Rose is Deputy Director at the South African Population Science Research Infrastructure Network (SAPRIN). He is a medical doctor with a PhD in Public Health. Dr Rose is a multidisciplinary researcher with significant experience in international development and leadership. He holds a postdoctoral fellowship from the National Cancer Institute and has participated in global health initiatives, including the Institute for Global Health research exchange and the Salzburg Global Seminar. He is currently a Kofi Annan Fellowship recipient, aimed at developing senior health leaders in Africa.

Speakers

Dr Atiya Mosam



Topic: *Leveraging Population Data for a Successful National Health Insurance (NHI) Rollout*

Dr Mosam is a medical doctor and holds a Masters of Public Health (Policy and Management) as well as a Masters of Medicine (Community Health). She is currently a Public Health Medicine Specialist through the College of Medicine South Africa. Dr Mosam has 15 years of experience in health system strengthening initiatives from national policy development to health management and implementation of interventions, with a special focus on primary health care initiatives. She also holds an interest in healthcare financing and economics, health promotion and prevention for non-communicable diseases and human resources for health.

Stanley Carries



Topic: *Co-development of a wellbeing scale for application in economic evaluations of multi-sectoral interventions for adolescents living with HIV in Sub-Saharan Africa*

Stanley Carries is a senior scientist at the South African Medical Research Council's Health Systems Research Unit (HSRU). He has more than 10 years of data research management. Stanley holds Masters in Business Administration and Medical Sciences from the University of KwaZulu-Natal. His current research interests are in economic evaluations and human centred design thinking related to complex interventions for improving health and wellbeing among vulnerable youth. He is pursuing a PhD in Public Health (Health Economics) at the University of Stellenbosch.

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