

GHAM 2021 PROGRAMME

Leading Research and Innovation in Time of COVID-19 Pandemic

Turning Adversities into Success

08h00– 09h30	Setting up Virtual Conference	
Session 1	Program Director: Dr Nadine Harker	
09h30 – 09h45	Opening remarks and Welcome address	Dr Thabi Maitin
09h45 – 10h10	Address by SAMRC President/CEO	Prof Glenda Gray
10h10 – 10h40	Keynote speaker From the bench side to the market	Prof Keolebogile Shirley Motaung
10h40 – 10h50	Tea	
Session 2	Dr Nadine Harker	
10h50 – 11h00	Brief overview of RCD Programmes – Building & Strengthening Research Team	Dr T Maitin
11h00 – 11h15	Reflection of the Research Strengthening Program at Under Resource Universities	SAMRC – Prof Johan Louw
11h15 – 11h25	Improving research culture: administrative aspects and challenges	RCDI – Prof Pascal Bessong – UNIVEN
11h25– 11h45	Navigating between funding programmes	MCSP – Prof Zilungile Mkhize-Kwitshana – UKZN
11h45 – 11h55	Strengthening a research team for a neglected problem: the case of SMU and Nyaope Research	MCSP – Prof Kebogil Mokwena – SMU
11h55 – 12h05	Enhancing the Emerging Scholar through Research Teams	RCDI – Prof Anthea Rhoda – UWC
12h05 – 12h15	Competition, collaboration and negotiating power differentials in large research projects	MCSP – Prof Jason Bantjes – SUN
12h15 – 12h35	Discussion and Conclusion	
12h35 – 12h50	Lunch (15-20 min)	
Session 3	Dr Nadine Harker	
12h55 – 13h20	Address by SAMRC Vice-President	Prof Jeffrey Mpahlele
13h20 – 13h50	Keynote speaker Research Leadership: personal experiences from a personal journey	Prof Kelly Chibale
10 min	Questions	
14h05– 14h30	Legal matters	Ms Sumaya Behardien
	Finance matters	Ms Noluthando Sikhutswa
10 min	Questions	
14h45– 15h15	Closing Remarks/Vote of thanks	