



Harambee Medical Consulting
National Conference
 Connecting Science, Health
 & Community
 13-15 March 2015
 Stellenbosch University Medical School,
 Tygerberg Campus

PROGRAMME

Friday 13th March 2015

18h30 – 18h45	Welcome	Dr Bonga Chiliza
18h45 – 19h00	Harambee opening address	Dr Siphso Dlamini
19h00 – 20h00	Opening address	Mr Thabo Mbeki

Dinner: 20h00 – late

Saturday 14th March 2015

Plenary 1: Chairs: Prof Charles Wiysonge / Dr Carol Hlela

08h00 – 08h40	Prof William Makgoba	Building an outstanding academic career- pearls of wisdom
08h40 – 09h20	Prof Rudo Mathivha	Critical Care- in Resource-Poor Settings
09h20 – 10h10	Mr. Joel Netshitendze	Health Policy
10h10 - 10h50	Prof Thandinkosi Madiba	Ano-rectal surgery

Tea: 11h00 – 11h20

Plenary 2 Chairs: Prof Nonhlanhla Khumalo / Dr Hlumani Ndlovu

11h20 – 12h10	Prof Nonhlanhla Khumalo	African Hair
12h10 – 12h50	Prof David Henderson	Metabolic Syndrome
12h50 – 13h30	Prof Tandi Matsha	Diabetes in the mixed ancestry (Coloured) population of South Africa.

Lunch: 13h30 – 14h00

Parallel sessions: 14h00 - 16h00

	Parallel 1: Transformation Chairs: Dr Ncoza Dlova/ Dr Rannakoe Lehloenya	Parallel 2: Non-Communicable Diseases Prof Nceba Gqaleni/Dr Litha Fatsha
14h00 – 14h20	Prof David Katerere: Unlocking Africa's Economic Potential	Dr Zuki Zingela: Use of Traditional and Alternative Healers in a cohort of Psychiatric Patients in Nelson Mandela Bay Metropole
14h20 – 14h40	Dr Magnolia Sithole: Racial microaggressions in therapy rooms: Reflections of a Black Therapist	Dr Mashiko Setshedi: Hepatology
14h40 – 15h00	Prof Grace Khunou, Prof Katijah Khoza-Shangase, Dr Edith Phaswana and Dr Hugo Canham:	Dr Shadi Motlana: Medical Leadership
15h00 – 15h20		Dr Avumile Mankahla: Leprosy - a disease long forgotten, current perspectives in the Eastern Cape region of South Africa
15h20 – 15h40		Dr Mvuyiso Talatala: Collaboration between South African Traditional health practice and main stream health: a perspective from a Western Trained Clinician
15h40 – 16h00		Dr Thabo Matsaseng: The need for Affordable ART in SA

Tea: 16h00 - 16h30

Debate: Towards Eliminating Health Disparities: What is the importance of African investigators in addressing Scientific Gaps in African Communities?

16h30 – 17h30	Moderator: Mr Joel Netshitendze	Panel Members: Prof Daniel Ncayiyana Prof William Makgoba
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Dinner: 18h30

Sunday 15th March 2015

Ethics session:

Plenary 4

08h00 – 09h00	Howard Manyonga	Ethics
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Meet the experts:

	Chairs:	Prof Collet Dandara / Dr Phindile Mnguni
09h00 – 09h40	Prof Jimmy Volmink	Medicine hijacked: patients deserve better
09h40 – 10h10	Prof Collet Dandara	Genomics in Africa
10h10 – 10h40	Prof Charles Wiysonge	Evidence based medicine
10h40 – 11h10	Dr Thabi Maitin	Research Funding Opportunities - MRC
11h10 -11h40	Ms June-Rose Ngcobo	Research Funding Opportunities - NRF
11h40 – 12h00	Prof Nceba Gqaleni	An innovation pipeline: when science and indigenous knowledge meet