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presented by Dr Lukman Olawale Olasunkanmi.

PART 1

DATE: 17 October 2023 **TIME:** 13:00 -15:00

PART 2

DATE: 18 October 2023 **TIME:** 09:00 - 11:00

VENUE: Postgraduate School Training Room, First Floor 108, Akanya Building, APK Campus

TARGET GROUP: PG Diploma, Honours, Coursework Masters, Research Masters, PhD Research students, Supervisors, Support staff, Academics, Postdoctoral Fellows and Research Associate Fellows.

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He has authored/co-authored over a hundred publications in reputable peer-reviewed journals journals and presented his research works at various conferences. He is a reviewer to many scientific journals, home and abroad. He has supervised/co-supervised six (6) postgraduate students (M.Sc. and PhD). He has won several academic excellence awards, including the Global Excellence and Stature Postdoctoral Fellowship Award of the University of Johannesburg (2020 – 2021), Dapo Afolabi Most Productive Science Scholar Award of the Faculty of Science, OAU, Nigeria (2017), and Kayode Adebowale National Young Scientist Prize in Chemical Sciences (awarded by the Nigerian Young Academy) (2017). He is a Fellow of the Africa Science Leadership Programme (ASLP), a Fellow of the Nigerian Young Academy (NYA), a member of Chemical Society of Nigerian and an affiliate member of African Academy of Science (AAS). Dr. Olasunkanmi currently holds a Senior Research Associateship position at the Department of Chemical Sciences, Faculty of Science, University of Johannesburg (UJ). He has served as a speaker/facilitator/resource person at numerous career enriching workshops and seminars. He is currently the Vice-Dean, Division of Student Affairs, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria.

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