

Postgraduate School Research Capacity Development Events SEPTEMBER 2023

Category: Doctoral Research Candidates, PDRFs, Research Associates & Supervisors

The Research Capacity Development Unit invites all PhD students, supervisors, and staff to the Viva – Doctoral Degree Oral Defense Workshops. The training will be in the form of four workshops covering policies, processes, guidelines and tips for the different entities involved in the Viva process. The following workshops are offered via **Zoom**. **Please click on links below to register for the workshops.** Please contact the RCD team at rcdenquiries@uj.ac.za for enquiries.

PART ONE THEME: VIVA – DOCTORAL DEGREE ORAL DEFENSE WORKSHOPS

DATE	DAY	PLATFORM/FORMAT	TIME	WORKSHOP TITLE	FACILITATOR
12 Sep	Tue	Zoom Click here to register	13:00 - 15:00	General Guidelines and Policies	Prof Pragna Rugunanan
13 Sep	Wed	Zoom Click here to register	09:00-11:00	Student and Supervisor processes and tips	Dr Morwesi Sitto-Kaunda
14 Sep	Thu	Zoom Click here to register	10:00-12:00	Non-Accessing Chair processes and tips	A/Prof Petrus Nel
15 Sep	Friday	Zoom Click here to register	10:00–12:00	Accessing Chair processes and tips	Prof Kriveshini Pillay

A physical mock session will be considered and arranged at a later stage based on the number of interested individuals who are willing to participate.

If you would like to attend the session, either as a participant or an observer, please fill in Microsoft form – [Click here](#).

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- These events may be photographed and video recorded for marketing, social media and media purposes.
- By attending any event, you grant the University of Johannesburg permission to use and publish any recorded material.
- Only registered UJ postgraduate students and staff members are eligible for these opportunities.
- Repeat no-shows may not be given access to future workshops and events.
- Workshops with fewer than 10 participants may be cancelled or postponed.