

RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS: 9th -11th November 2016

VENUE: UNIVERSITY OF BOTSWANA CONFERENCE CENTRE (Opposite old BIAC in Village Ward)

THEME: TOWARDS QUALITY RESEARCH WORK

DATE	TIME	TOPIC	SESSION	FACILITATOR
9th November (Wednesday)	08:00 – 08:30	Registration		
	08:30 – 09:30	Topic selection, Identifying and Prioritizing a problem for research and Review of Literature	Lecture	Dr. M.C. Bonyongo
	09:30 – 10:00	Topic selection, Identifying and Prioritizing a problem for research and Review of Literature	Group Work	Dr. M.C. Bonyongo
	10:00 – 10:30	TEA (Health Break)		
	10:30 – 11:00	Topic selection, Identifying and Prioritizing a problem for research and Review of Literature	Lecture	Dr. M.C. Bonyongo
	11:00 – 13:00	Problem Analysis and formulation of the Statement of the Problem Statement	Lecture	Dr. M.C. Bonyongo
	13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH		
	14:00 – 15:00	Problem Analysis and formulation of the Statement of the Problem Statement	Group Work	Dr. M.C. Bonyongo
	15:00 – 16:00	Formulation of Research Questions, Hypothesis, Objectives and the title of the study	Lecture	Dr. M.C. Bonyongo
10th November (Thursday)	09:00 – 09:05	Introduction	Plenary	GSA President
	09:05 – 09:15	Welcome Address and Objectives of the Workshop	Plenary	Dean, SGS, Prof. G. O. Anderson
	09:15 – 09:45	Official Opening	Plenary	DVC Academic and Student Affairs, Prof. M.M. Mokgwathi
	09:45– 10:30	TEA (Health Break)		

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11 th November (Friday)	10:30 – 11:30	Thesis Writing – Getting started; Roman Sections of the Thesis: ✓ Title Page ✓ Writing the Abstract Acknowledgements, dedication, Table of Contents, List of Figures, List of Tables, List of Plates, Acronyms etc.	Group Work	Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa
	11:30 – 12:30	Services they provide to Graduate Students	Lecture	DR. L.E. Seru
	12:30 – 13:30	LUNCH		
	13:30 – 14:30	Structure of a Thesis – through Publications Structure of a Thesis – Book Format	Lecture Followed By Discussion	Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa
	14:30 – 15:30	Career Opportunities Through Learning	Lecture	Ms. Martina Seetso
	15:30 – 16:30	Thesis Writing – Data Chapters (arrangement, logical connectivity)	Lecture followed by Discussions	Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa
	TIME	TOPIC	SESSION	FACILITATOR
	08:30 – 10:00	Chapter 1: Introduction Chapter 2: Literature Review & Theoretical Framework Chapter 3: Research Design & Methodology	Lecture Followed By Discussion	Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa
	10:00– 10:30	TEA (Health Break)		
	10:30 – 11:30	Chapter 4: Writing the Results/Findings/discussion ????? Writing the synthesis Chapter???????	Lecture Followed By Discussion	Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa
	11:30 – 12:30	Library facilities available to Graduate Students	Lecture	Mrs. B.T. Fidzani
	12:30 – 13:30	LUNCH		
	13:30 – 14:30	Chapter 5: Conclusion, Summary, Recommendation, References, Appendences	Lecture Followed By Discussion	Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa

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	14:30 – 15:30	Project Presentation	Lecture	Dr. S. Oluka
	15:30 – 16:00	Ethics and Research Permits	Lecture	Dr. M. Kasule
	16:00 – 16:15	Closing Remarks	Plenary	

FACILITATORS PROFILE:

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4. Dr. S. Oluka, Deputy Director, Teaching and Learning
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6. Dr. M. Kasule, Assistant Director, Ethics
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