

## RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS: 6, 7 & 8<sup>th</sup> November 2018

**VENUE: LIBRARY AUDITORIUM**

**THEME: TOWARDS QUALITY RESEARCH WORK**

| DATE   | TIME                 | TOPIC   | SESSION    | FACILITATOR                             |
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| <b>6<sup>th</sup> November<br/>(Tuesday)</b>   | 08:00 – 09:30        | Registration  |            |   |
|  | 09:30 – 09:35        | Introduction  | Plenary    | GSA President                           |
|  | 09:35 – 09:45        | Welcome Address and Objectives of the Workshop  | Plenary    | Dean, SGS, Prof. G. O. Anderson         |
|  | 09:45 – 10:00        | Official Opening  | Plenary    | Vice Chancellor, UB, Prof. David Norris |
|  | <b>10:00 – 10:30</b> | <b>TEA (Health Break)</b>   |            |   |
|  | 10:30 – 11:15        | Topic selection, Identifying and Prioritizing a problem for research and Review of Literature | Lecture    | Dr. M. Gondwe                           |
|  | 11:15-12:15          | Topic selection, Identifying and Prioritizing a problem for research and Review of Literature | Group Work | Dr. M. Gondwe                           |
|  | 12.15-13.00          | Topic selection, Identifying and Prioritizing a problem for research and Review of Literature | Plenary    | Dr. M. Gondwe                           |
|  | <b>13:00 – 14:00</b> | <b>LUNCH</b>  |            |   |
|  | 14:00-15:00          | Problem Analysis and formulation of the Statement of the Problem Statement                    | Lecture    | Dr. M. Gondwe                           |
| <b>7<sup>th</sup> November<br/>(Wednesday)</b> | 08:30-09:30          | Problem Analysis and formulation of the Statement of the Problem Statement                    | Group Work | Dr. M. Gondwe                           |
|  | 09:30 – 10:30        | Formulation of Research Questions, Hypothesis, Objectives and the title of the study          | Lecture    | Dr. M. Gondwe                           |

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|   | <b>10:30– 11:00</b>                               | <b>TEA (Health Break)</b>   |                                    |                    |
| <b>8<sup>th</sup> November<br/>(Thursday)</b> | 11:00 – 12:30                                     | Thesis Writing – Getting started;<br>Roman Sections of the Thesis:<br>✓ Title Page<br>✓ Writing the Abstract<br>✓ Acknowledgements, dedication, Table of Contents, List of Figures, List of Tables, List of Plates, Acronyms etc. | Lecture followed<br>Discussion     | Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa  |
|   | 12:00-13:00                                       | Structure of a Thesis – through Publications<br>Structure of a Thesis – Book Format   | Lecture Followed<br>By Discussion  | Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa  |
|   | <b>13:00 – 14:00</b>                              | <b>LUNCH</b>  |                                    |                    |
|   | 14:00 -15:00                                      | Thesis Writing – Data Chapters (arrangement, logical connectivity)  | Lecture followed<br>by Discussions | Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa  |
|   | 15:00 - 16:00                                     | Services they provide to Graduate Students  | Lecture                            | DR. E.B. Mokibelo  |
|   | 16:00 - 16:30                                     | Ethics and Research Permits   | Lecture                            | DR. M. Kasule      |
|   | <b>TIME</b>                                       | <b>TOPIC</b>  | <b>SESSION</b>                     | <b>FACILITATOR</b> |
|   | 08:30-10:00                                       | Chapter 1: Introduction<br>Chapter 2: Literature Review & Theoretical Framework<br>Chapter 3: Research Design & Methodology   | Lecture Followed<br>By Discussion  | Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa  |
|   | <b>10:00– 10:30</b>                               | <b>TEA (Health Break)</b>   |                                    |                    |
|   | 10:30 – 12:00                                     | Chapter 4: Writing the Results/Findings/discussion<br>????? Writing the synthesis Chapter?????????  | Lecture Followed<br>By Discussion  | Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa  |
| 12:00-13:00                                   | Library facilities available to Graduate Students | Lecture   | Mrs. B.T. Fidzani                  |                    |

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|      | <b>13:00 – 14:00</b> | <b>LUNCH</b>  |                                |                   |
|      | 14:00 -15:00         | Chapter 5: Conclusion, Summary, Recommendation, References, Appendences | Lecture Followed By Discussion | Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa |
|      | 15:00 - 16:00        | Project Presentation  | Lecture                        | Dr. S. Oluka      |
|      | 16:00-16:30          | Closing Remarks   | Plenary                        |                   |

#### **FACILITATORS PROFILE:**

1. Prof. J.E. Mbaiwa , Director – Research Management, Okavango Research Institute (ORI)
2. Dr. M. Gondwe , Senior Research Scholar, Okavango Research Institute (ORI)
3. DR. E.B. Mokibelo, Lecturer and Coordinator, Communication and Study Skills Unit
4. Dr. S. Oluka, Deputy Director, Teaching and Learning, Center for Academic Development (CAD)
5. Mrs. B.T. Fidzani, Deputy Director, Information and Research Services, Library
6. Dr. M. Kasule, Assistant Director, Ethics, Office of Research and Development (ORD)