

2nd ALL AFRICA CLINICAL TRIAL SUMMIT



**A strategic model for the future of clinical trial sites in Africa:
A gateway to developing quality management systems**

16-18 AUGUST 2019

Wolfson Lecture Theatre | Faculty of Health Sciences
University of Cape Town | SOUTH AFRICA

PROGRAMME

DAY 1 | FRI 16 AUGUST 2019

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
SESSION 1 Current state of IRB and MHRA oversight in Africa		Chair: Prof. F. Odedina
09:00 – 09:15	Welcome and Conference goals	Profs. Odedina/Okoye/Shamley
09:15 – 09:30	Welcome messages	Mrs. El Fadil/Mrs. Mariam
09:30 – 10:00	The role of clinical trials in addressing Africa’s Public Health priorities	Dr. Ahmadou Iamin Samateh, Hon. Minister of Health, Gambia
10:00 – 10:30	The state of HREC and MHRA oversight in Africa today	Prof. Moses Bockarie
10:30 – 11:00	TEA BREAK & NETWORKING	
11:00 – 11:20	AVAREF and WHO initiative to harmonise approval process at HA and IRB	Prof. Moses Bockarie
11:20 – 11:40	How transparency can assist HA to approve CT	Prof. Verna Vanderpuye
SESSION 2 Good practice and challenges for clinical trials in Africa		Chair: Prof. I. Okoye
11:40 – 12:00	Clinical Trials in Africa: A SWOT Analysis	Prof. Omolara Fatiregun
12:00 – 12:20	Industry perspective on the reality of GCP in Africa	Dr. Anthony Ikeme
12:20 – 13:00	Community-based Clinical Trials: Innovative Model	Prof. Lynette Denny
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH BREAK & POSTER VIEWING	
SESSION 3 Status of Clinical Trials in Africa		Chair: Dr. B. Dalia
14:00 – 14:20	Clinical Trials in Africa: Current Status	Prof. Folake Odedina
14:20 – 14:40	East African clinical research site capabilities	Gibson Kibiki (Exec. Secretary, EACHRC, Tanzania)
14:40 – 15:00	WAHO: West African clinical research site capabilities	Issiaka Sombie (Burkina Faso)
15:00 – 15:30	Gaps for intervention trials in Africa	Prof. Ophira Ginsburg
15:30 – 16:30	Panel Discussion: Town Hall 1 Brainstorming Session	
END OF DAY 1		



DAY 2 | SAT 17 AUGUST 2019

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
SESSION 1 Building clinical research unit/site capabilities		Chair: Dr. A. Ibrahim
08:00 – 09:00	Networking /One-on-one Meetings	
09:00 – 09:20	What is a GCP-ready site?	Dr. Coleman Obasaju
09:20 – 09:40	Elevation of African researchers to international standards: What will it take?	Prof. Windy Dean-Columb
09:40 – 10:00	Biobanking and biological resource management	Dr. Maimuna Mendy
10:00 – 10:30	TEA BREAK & NETWORKING	
10:30 – 10:50	Current BMGF capacity development of clinical trial sites in Africa	Prof. Thy Pham
10:50 – 11:10	Strategy for industry clinical trial success and sustainability	Dr. Adama Ibrahim
11:10 – 11:30	Current capacity building efforts	Prof. James Batchelor
SESSION 2 Patient-Centric Approaches for Effective Trials in Africa		Chair: Prof. W. Dean-Columb
11:30 – 11:50	The Legacy of Henrietta Lacks: Importance of Clinical Trials in Africa	Prof. Alfred Lacks-Carter
11:50 – 12:10	Making Patients and Survivors your Partners for Clinical Trials: Advocate view	Ms. Dicey Scroggins
12:10 – 12:30	Making Patients and Survivors your Partners for Clinical Trials: Scientist view	Dr. Bodour Dalia
12:30 – 13:00	Panel Discussion for Patient-centric approach	
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH BREAK & POSTER VIEWING	
SESSION 3 Open Innovation Workshop 1		
14:00 – 16:00		
16:00 – 17:00	Rapporteurs meeting /poster viewing	
18:00	Summit Dinner – Transport provided	
END OF DAY 2		

Workshop Facilitators	Rapporteurs
Gerhard Fortwengal	Ms. Annemie Stewart
Prof. Ophira Ginsburg	Ms. Nicky Hickman (nee Kramer)
A/Prof. Delva Shamley	Sr. René Williams
Prof. Ifoema Okoye	Bernie VD Oosthuizen



DAY 3 | SUN 18 AUGUST 2019

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
08:30 – 09:30	Panel Discussion: Town Hall 2 Brainstorming Session	
SESSION 1 Partnering with business for sustainability		Chair: A/Prof. D. Shamley
09:30 – 10:00	Modelling and funding a clinical trials unit: Partnering with AAI	Drs. Dent/Graef
10:00 – 10:30	BERTHA	To be confirmed
10:30 – 11:00	TEA BREAK	
11:30 -12:00	SPARKS HEALTH	To be confirmed
12:00 – 12:30	Capacity building and sustainability of trial site infrastructure	Mr. Alex Lopes
SESSION 2 Lunch Session: Building confidence		Chair: Prof. A. Orobor
12:30 – 13:00	A strategy for quality oversight of CTU in Africa: Building confidence	Profs. Odedina/Okoye/Shamley
13:00 – 13:30	LUNCH BREAK	
SESSION 3 Open Innovation Workshop 2 13:30 – 15:30		
16:00 – 17:00	Next Steps: Action Plan	Prof. Anthonia Orobor
17:00	Closing	Prof. Ambroise Wonkam
END OF DAY 3		

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Prof. Windy Dean-Columb	Bernie VD Oosthuizen
Colin Pillai	A/Prof. Delva Shamley
Ms. Dicey Scroggins	Ms. Inge Vermeulen

