

Water-Gender-Social Vulnerability Symposium

Symposium date: 2 - 3 July 2026

Theme: Water-Gender-Social Vulnerability: Challenges and Key Solutions in Thabo Mofutsanyana District Municipality

HOST

Centre for Global Change, University of the Free State,
Private Bag x13, Phuthaditjhaba 9866

WHO IS INVITED

Researchers, postgraduate students, policymakers, municipalities, water-related agencies, community members, and community leaders

INTRODUCTION

The primary aims of the symposium are to address the social impacts of water scarcity, explore innovative solutions for water conservation, and create a platform for meaningful engagement between academics and local communities on water-related challenges affecting Thabo Mofutsanyana District Municipality in the Free State

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TOPICS

- Health and sanitation
- Innovation and technological solutions in water management
- Water and gender inequality
- Water, poverty, and social unrest

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

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LEARNING ACTIVITIES

Keynote address, interactive oral presentations, poster flash, panel discussion, and networking.

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