

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME 2025

Bloemfontein

Session	Dates	Times	Campus	Topics	Presenters
1	26 March	09:00 - 15:00	BFN	Career Planning for Early Career Academics	Prof Bekithemba Dube
2	23 - 24 April	09:00 - 15:00	Online	Formulating and Writing Grants	Dr Charmaine Williamson
3	14 May	09:00 - 15:00	BFN	Mentoring and Coaching in Academia	Prof Bekithemba Dube
4	04 June	09:00 - 15:00	BFN	Focusing and Planning Your Research	Dr Charity Ndereya
5	23 July	09:00 - 15:00	BFN	Personal Branding for Early-Career Academics	Dr Nthabeleng Rammile
6	10 September	09:00 - 15:00	BFN	NRF rating, Funding and Ethics	Ms Thabi Mosoetsa Mrs Maricel Van Rooyen
7	29 October	09:00 - 15:00	BFN	Abstract Submission and Conference Presentations	Dr Charity Ndereya
8	12 November	09:00 - 15:00	BFN	Promoting well-being amongst early-career academics: Tools from Positive Psychology	Dr Pravani Naidoo

This programme enhances the research skills of early academics (Masters and PhDs in all disciplines) who want to develop their personal and professional career. For any enquiries, contact Tsoanelo Phakisi at pdp@ufs.ac.za