

WORKSHOP

Ethical principles of doing toponymic research with Deaf communities

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An interactive session to build understanding on
adapting policies and protocols to be suitable for
research in Deaf communities:

Introduction to sign languages and Deaf culture.

Deaf research participants as a
vulnerable/marginalised/minority group vis-à-vis other such
groups.

The linguistic-cultural significance of place-name signs.

Ethical frameworks used for human research.

Basic ethical best practices for research with Deaf participants.

Feedback and sharing of knowledge/experiences.

Register

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conference/2025-ispn-home](https://www.ufs.ac.za/conferences/conference/2025-ispn-home)

Date: 26 November 2025

Time: 14:00—16:00

Place: Protea Hotel, Clarens

Fee: R1 000 (or R1 200 for both) (free for delegates)

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