

**COLLEGE OF GRADUATE STUDIES**  
HONOURS RESEARCH TRAINING PROGRAMME (2022)

**OBJECTIVES**

The main objectives of the Training Workshop are to:

- Familiarise Honours and Post-Graduate Diploma students with the Unisa research environment and research ethics.
- Develop an understanding about meta-theories, theories, concepts, models, and trends within and beyond subject disciplines.
- Develop skills to utilise research resources such as library and available research technologies.
- Familiarise students with methodological issues including quantitative and qualitative research methodologies.
- Provide information about the research process, the functions, and components of the research proposal as well as the research report.

**STRUCTURE**

The workshops will be offered as 60 minutes training interventions throughout the year. The meetings will be held from 09:00 to 10:00 on MS Teams.

	DATE	THEME	FACILITATOR	TIME	Link
1	30 March	Introduction of the Honours Research Training Workshop programme	SIRGS Team Honours Coordinators	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3CbHoVj">https://bit.ly/3CbHoVj</a>
2	06 April	My Unisa	Mr Mulaudzi	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3Cn43Ox">https://bit.ly/3Cn43Ox</a>
3	12 April	Library as the foundation of the research process	Ms Napaai	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3CDa3mN">https://bit.ly/3CDa3mN</a>
4	21 April	Turnitin	Ms Flinspach-Van der Walt	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3sJpLjv">https://bit.ly/3sJpLjv</a>
5	28 April	Scientific method as a foundation of conducting research	Ms Napaai	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3CoTrid">https://bit.ly/3CoTrid</a>
6	10 May	Library Training: References	Ms Napaai	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3KpLA6N">https://bit.ly/3KpLA6N</a>
7	18 May	Academic Writing Skills	Dr Madikizela-Madia	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3tHQe9Q">https://bit.ly/3tHQe9Q</a>
8	31 May	Literature Review		09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3hT4reh">https://bit.ly/3hT4reh</a>
9	3 June	Turnitin	Ms Flinspach-Van der Walt	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3KovFpC">https://bit.ly/3KovFpC</a>
10	7 June	Generic components of a research proposal	Prof Tabane	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3tLqWaR">https://bit.ly/3tLqWaR</a>
11	22 June	Academic Integrity and Ethics in research	Ms Coetzee	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3tBlciF">https://bit.ly/3tBlciF</a>
12	6 July	Quantitative Research approaches	Prof Du Plessis	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3MyUpxc">https://bit.ly/3MyUpxc</a>
13	15 July	Turnitin	Ms Flinspach-Van der Walt	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3Ci3Lss">https://bit.ly/3Ci3Lss</a>
14	20 July	Qualitative Research approaches	Prof Du Plessis	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/34q6PGk">https://bit.ly/34q6PGk</a>
15	28 Oct	Turnitin	Ms Flinspach-Van der Walt	09:00-10:00	<a href="https://bit.ly/3MvRLYO">https://bit.ly/3MvRLYO</a>

