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## International Symposium on Modern Statistics and Biostatistics

The Department of Statistics at the University of Pretoria is hosting the 4<sup>th</sup> annual International Symposium on Modern Statistics and Biostatistics at the Future Africa Campus. The symposium is aiming at bringing experts to upskill local students and academic staff, with specific focus on student development. The event consists of plenary speakers, workshops and postgraduate student presentations.

### Invited speakers:

- Prof Masoud Asgharian (Department of Mathematics and Statistics, McGill University)
- Prof Yaser Samadi (School of Mathematics and Statistical Sciences, Southern Illinois University Carbondale)
- Dr Nonhlanhla Yende-Zuma (Specialist Statistician, SAMRC)
- Dr TaryLee Reddy (Unit head, SAMRC)
- Professor Ding-Geng (Din) Chen (Extraordinary Professor and DST-NRF-SAMRC SARCHI Research Chair in Biostatistics, Department of Statistics, University of Pretoria, South Africa)

### Guest speakers:

- Dr Bedilu Alamirie Ejigu (Department of Statistics, Addis Ababa University)
- Dr Tzirizani Kaombe (Department of Mathematical Sciences, University of Malawi)

### Workshop presenters:

- Dr Janet van Niekerk (King Abdullah University of Science and Technology)
- Prof Gary Sharp (Department of Statistics, Nelson Mandela University)
- Prof Yaser Samadi (School of Mathematical and Statistical Sciences, Southern Illinois University Carbondale)

### Important Dates:

- Abstract submission deadline: 31 May 2024
- Registration deadline: 31 May 2024
- Payment deadline: 7 June 2024
- International Symposium on Modern Statistics and Biostatistics: 26 – 28 June 2024

Link for symposium website: <https://www.up.ac.za/cf-symposium2024>

