



Presentation to A high-level convening on early career researcher development in the post-PhD phase

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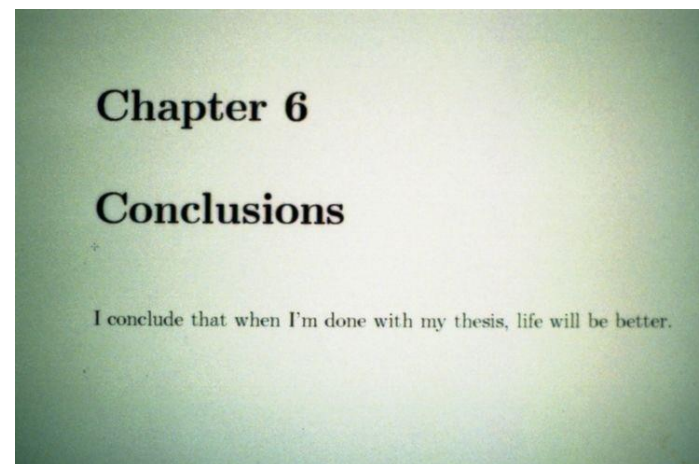
The PhD Journey

PhD

Patiently hoping for a Degree
Protein has Degraded
Paid half what I Deserve
Professorship? hah! Dream on!
Please hire. Desperate.
Pipetting hand Disease
Probably heavily in Debt
Parents have Doubts
Pound head on Desk
Potential heavy Drinker
Permanent head Damage

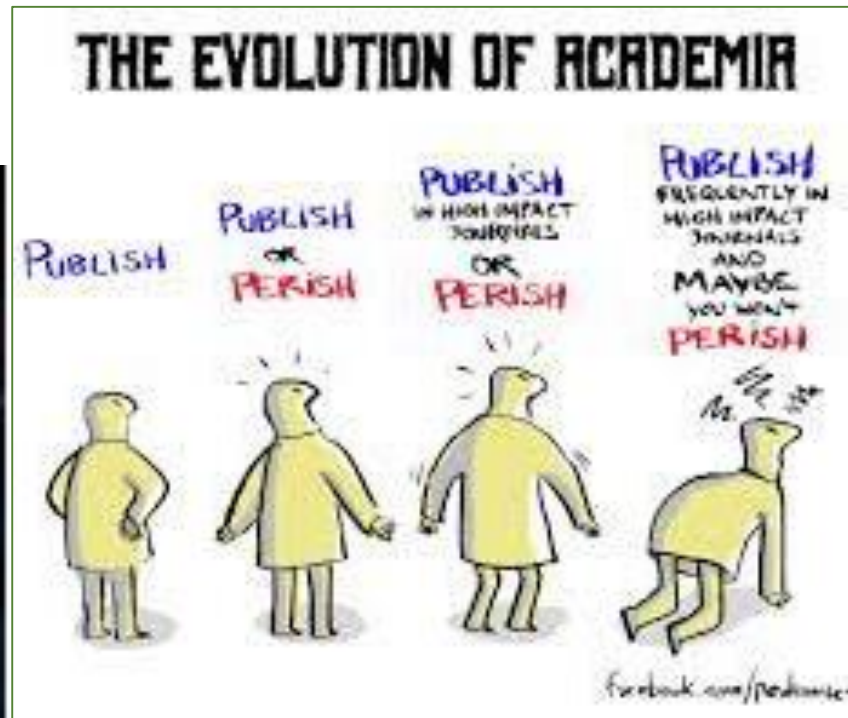
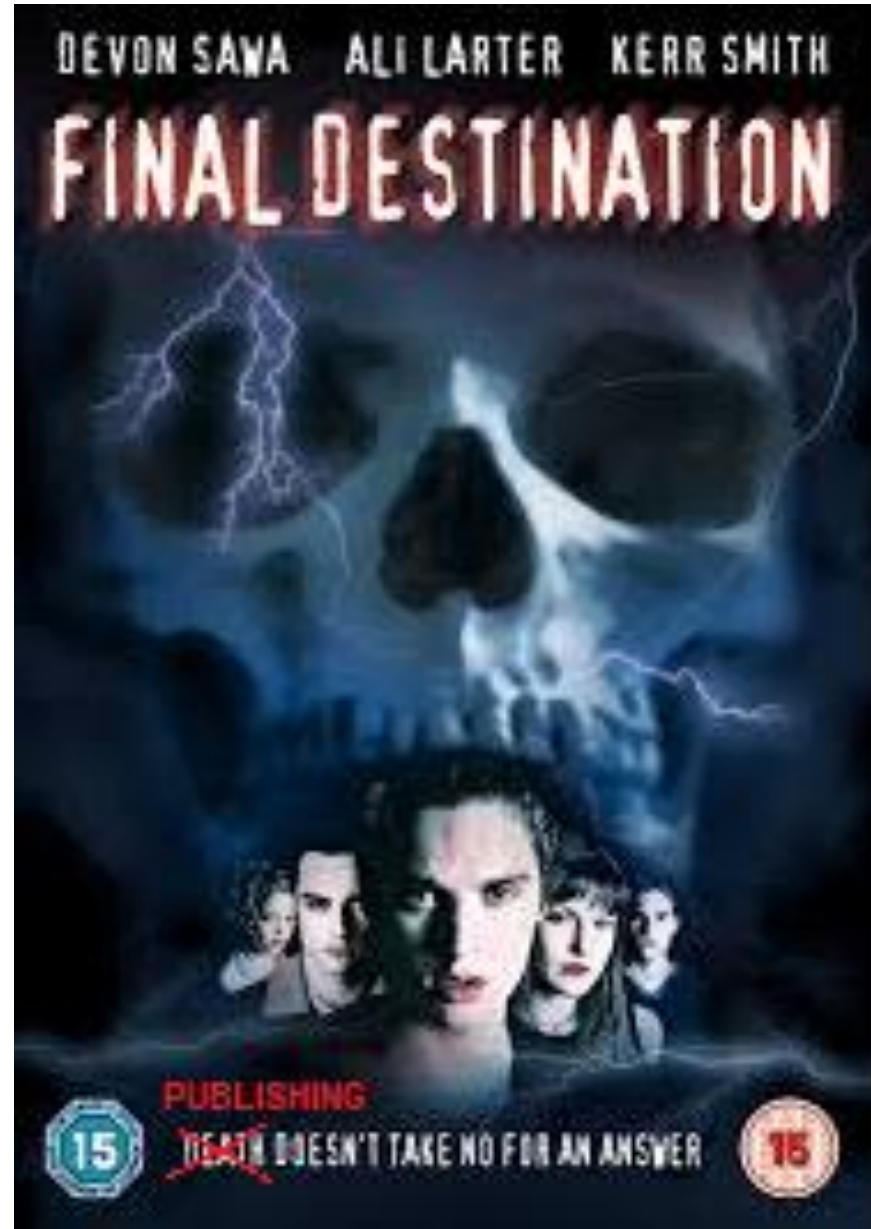
-How's your PhD going on?
-Yeah, everything is on track.

The track:



My supervisor reading my
thesis draft





- Partnership: University of Pretoria, the University of Leeds (United Kingdom) and FANRPAN
- Aim: conduct research that enhances understanding of Africa food systems and identify climate-smart, nutrition-sensitive, poverty-reducing interventions
- Focus countries: Tanzania, Ghana, Kenya, South Africa, Malawi and Zambia.
- Funders: Global Challenges Research Fund under UKRI and African Research Universities Alliance (ARUA).

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Opportunities

Trainings/ skills development

- System analysis and methodologies
- Research ethics and responsible innovation,
- Fast-tracking impact
- Intellectual property in collaborative research
- **Gender integration** for improved outcomes,
- Safeguarding,
- Monitoring, evaluation and impact,
- Stakeholder engagement plans,
- Data management

Mentorship: Triads



Countries: SA, TZ, Malawi, UK

Disciplines: resource & environmental economist, infrastructure & the environment, environment & development and food systems.



THANK YOU

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