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# The 2012 Annual CHRIB Seminar

*Celebrating 22 years of Early Communication Intervention*

**CHRIB 1990-2012**

**For Audiologists and Speech-Language Therapists**



**Saturday 1 September 2012**

**Presented by the Department of Communication Pathology  
(University of Pretoria)**





## Early Communication Intervention is a shared role between audiologists and speech-language therapists

### PROGRAMME

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| 07:00 - 08:00 | Registration   |
| 08:00 - 08:10 | Welcome<br><i>Prof Dr Bart Vinck</i><br><i>Head of Department Communication Pathology, UP</i>  |
| 08:10 - 08:45 | Early Intervention Perspectives from Europe<br><i>Prof Dr Bart Vinck</i><br><i>Head of Department Communication Pathology, UP</i>                                      |
| 08:45 - 08:50 | Questions & Answers  |
| 08:50 - 10:30 | Parent-focused Strategies for Assessment Feedback<br><i>Ms Mari Viviers, Dr Lidia Pottas, Prof Alta Kritzinger</i><br><i>Department of Communication Pathology, UP</i> |
| 10:30 - 10:45 | Questions & Answers  |
| 10:45 - 11:15 | Tea/Coffee Break   |
| 11:15 - 12:15 | Paediatric Amplification: Theory versus Practice in both the Private and Public Sectors<br><i>Ms Louise Hugo</i><br><i>Department of Communication Pathology, UP</i>   |
| 12:15 - 12:20 | Questions & Answers  |
| 12:20 - 13:00 | New Advances in Foetal Alcohol Spectrum Research<br><i>Ms Mari Viviers</i><br><i>Department of Communication Pathology, UP</i>   |
| 13:00 - 13:05 | Questions and Answers  |
| 13:05 - 13:10 | Evaluation of the Seminar & Closure  |



The critical importance of **early auditory system stimulation and mother-infant communication interaction** for speech and language development is best understood by audiologists and speech-language therapists.

# COURSE BROCHURE

## Course Contents and Target Audience

The annual CHRIB seminar focuses on the clinical practice of early communication intervention within the different South African contexts where audiologists and speech-language therapists work.

Early Communication Intervention is a trans-disciplinary field where audiologists and speech-language therapists not only share roles, but each discipline also contributes uniquely to services directed at families with infants and preschool children with feeding difficulties, hearing loss and disorders, established and emerging communication disorders, or those who are at risk of developing difficulties in these areas. Diagnostic assessments remain discipline-specific, but family-centred intervention requires shared expertise.

## Course Outcomes

Audiologists and speech-language therapists working in the field of early communication intervention should create opportunities for knowledge and skills sharing between the two professions. Such collaboration may lead to an enriched understanding of your own role, expansion of your own role to understand more about the other profession, sharing of knowledge, and finally, release and support of some professional roles and functions which should be fulfilled in Early Communication Intervention. The CHRIB seminar offers a unique opportunity to hone your clinical skills, to provide holistic services to infants and young children, and their families.

## Course Structure and Venue

This is a half day course presented at the Department of Communication Pathology, University of Pretoria Main Campus.  
Free parking is available at the UP.







A certificate of attendance with 5 CPD points will be issued to all delegates.

The course fee is R450 per delegate and includes all course notes, tea and refreshments. The course fee for early registration - before 1 AUGUST 2012 - is R400.

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