



2nd University of Pretoria HIV and AIDS Research Indaba 27-28 February 2010

The Centre for the Study of AIDS (CSA) and the Institute for Women's and Gender Studies invite you to a two-day conference at the University of Pretoria on 27 and 28 February 2010.

This Conference serves to 1) promote dialogue on HIV and AIDS across disciplines and 2) show case HIV and AIDS-related research and knowledge at the University of Pretoria.

Since the beginning of the HIV epidemic, basic sciences and health sciences have been at the forefront of initiatives for understanding and tackling HIV and AIDS. Yet, the HIV epidemic has uncovered the social determinants of health like no other epidemics before it. In fact, one of the challenges of effective interventions to curb the HIV epidemic has been its over-medicalisation, which has often resulted in the abstraction of HIV from its social, economic, political and cultural milieu.

This Conference aims to bring together researchers from all disciplines and people working in the field of, or interested in HIV and AIDS to discuss and share views and knowledge of the epidemic in a holistic view that takes into account the medical and the social aspects of HIV and AIDS.

Date: 27-28 February 2010
Time: 08:30
Venue: University of Pretoria Conference Centre, Main Campus

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Refreshments will be served.