



The **South African Young Academy of Science (SAYAS)**,
hosted by the Academy of Science of South Africa (ASSAf)
cordially invites you to a webinar on

**Empowering your success for 3rd Years' and Postgraduates (Hons, Masters, & PhD)
Writing/Preparing Funding Applications**

The SAYAS Task Team on Feeding the Pipeline has developed a funding application toolkit. **NOTE** that this is not a SAYAS funding call, the purpose is to assist graduates in the preparation for potential funding applications for postgraduate studies. **Come and learn how to write a winning proposal/application for funding for your postgraduate studies.**

Date: 16 May 2024

Time: 15:00 -17:00

Format: Webinar (the event will also be livestreamed via the SAYAS Facebook page)

RSVP: [Click here to register.](#)

Speakers:



Tricia Naicker, a professor at the Discipline of Pharmaceutical Sciences within the College of Health Sciences at the University of KwaZulu-Natal, serves as the director of the Catalysis and Peptide Research Unit. Her specialization lies in method development for synthesizing biologically significant intermediates and drugs, particularly within the antibacterial field. With an extensive publication record, Tricia has mentored numerous MSc and PhD students to graduation and has adeptly secured external funding to support her research initiatives.



Prof Willie Chinyamurindi is a National Research Foundation (NRF) Rated Researcher (Y2) working at the University of Fort Hare as a Professor within the Department of Business Management. He considers himself as a pan-Africanist and is a scholar with intent in promoting such ideals in his work. In 2021, he served as Co-Chair of the South African Young Academy of Science, in addition to his professional membership with this society.

Featuring **Ms Busisiwe Sibiya**, A Professional Officer from the National Research Foundation under the Human and Infrastructure Capacity Development (HICD) directorate.

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