



SAYAS Stakeholder Engagement Workshop 2025

Are you a masters or doctoral student or postdoctoral researcher in South Africa? Do you know who can shape your research and how to work with them?

Stakeholder engagement a crucial skill for anyone who wants to do impactful, connected, and sustainable research.

Join us for a practical, engaging workshop designed specifically for **Postgraduate students and postdocs**, where we'll explore:

- ✓ What "stakeholders" really are and why they matter in research
- ✓ How to use tools like the Power-Interest Grid to map and manage relationships
- ✓ Real examples of stakeholder types (supervisors, funders, communities, industry, family)
- ✓ Practical strategies to build trust, communicate effectively, and avoid common pitfalls

What do I need to do to attend?

Any masters or PhD student or postdoctoral researcher from any research field in South Africa can participate.

Please sign up for the Stakeholder Engagement Workshop that will take place on the **10th of October 2025** from **10:00-12:00** on MS Teams by completing this form : <https://forms.gle/ckZJmJG3BfjdeEDk8>

You will receive an invitation to the Teams Workshop after applications close.

The closing date for applications is the **26th September 2025**

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