

# 2025 Surgical Biennial Research Workshop

## WRITING IN SURGERY FOR JUNIOR CONSULTANTS AND SENIOR REGISTRARS —

- **DATE:** Sunday, 29th June 2025
  - **TIME:** 09h00-15h30
  - **VENUE:** Len Miller Auditorium / Skills Lab Lecture Room
  - **PREREQUISITE:** Draft manuscript in preparation
  - **PAX:** 12-15 delegates
  - **SOFTWARE:** MS Word; ENDNote/any other ref manager. Bring your own laptop
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### TOPICS:

#### — Workshop/lectures

- The writing process: Manuscript to Publication
- Writing techniques & scientific style
- Manuscript structure & Data presentation
  - Methods & Results
  - Introduction & Discussion
  - Abstract & Title
  - Editing & Submission (including Impact Factor vs Immediacy)
- Referencing

#### — Writing practical session with facilitators

- Dedicated writing time
- Reference management

#### — Peer review and feedback

- Group/one-on-one feedback
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### LECTURERS & FACILITATORS:

- Prof Deirdre Kruger and Team
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### THINGS TO CONSIDER:

- Target audience: Senior Registrars/Junior Consultants/Associate PIs
  - Manuscript writing (final study phase)
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### TIMING:

- 09h00: Welcome & introductions
  - 09h15: Seminar/lectures
  - 10h45: Tea
  - 11h00: Seminar/lectures (cont.)
  - 12h00: Writing practical session 1
  - 13h00: Lunch
  - 13h45: Writing practical session 2
  - 14h45: Peer review & feedback
  - 15h30: Close
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### REGISTRATION:

- **Registrars:** R 800,00 | **Consultants:** R 1 200,00
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