



Methodology and Scholarly Writing Workshop

Program

Venue: Harare, Zimbabwe

Date: February 19-24, 2018

Day 1: February 19, 2018: Engaging projects

- 8:30-8:45 Registration
- 8:45-9:45 Opening session
- Godwin Murunga (Executive Secretary, CODESRIA)
 - Freedom Mazwi , Representative of the Sam Moyo African Institute of Agrarian Studies
 - Ato Onoma (Research Program, CODESRIA)
- 9:45-10:45 Talk: *Theorization, revisionism and incrementalism in knowledge production*
- Speaker: Godisang Mookodi
 - Chair: Godwin Murunga
- 10:45-11:00 *Health break*
- 11:00- 12:00 Symbolic power, genre and violence on the popular music scene in Kinshasa
- Discussant: Aymar Nyenyezi Bisoka
 - Chair: Divine Fuh
- 12:00-13:00 Resistance and adaptation of peasants to global and local changes in the agrarian and land domains in Africa's Great Lakes Region
- Discussant: Mamadou Dime
 - Chair: Divine Fuh
- 13:00-14:00 *Lunch break*
- 14:00- 15:00 Large-scale Land Investments and (Un)Employment Questions in Africa: Quantitative and Qualitative Insights from Nigeria
- Discussant: Rosaine N. Yegbemey
 - Chair: Saadia Radi

- 15:00- 16:00 Impacts of climate-related information provided to smallholder farmers through SMS on labor allocation, yield and income: Evidence from a pilot randomised controlled trial in north Benin
- Discussant: Evans Osabuohien
 - Chair: Saadia Radi
- 16:00- 16:15 *Health break*
- 16:15- 17:15 Talk: *From research to publication: CODESRIA outlets and beyond*
- Speaker: Divine Fuh
 - Chair: Elisio Macamo

Day 2: February 20, 2018: Engaging projects

- 8:30-9:30 Discursive Contestation of the Political Economy of Hawkers in Nairobi's Central Business District: A Conceptual Metaphor Analysis
- Discussant: Rejoice Makaudze
 - Chair: Godwin Murunga
- 9:30-10:30 Re/telling the war story, healing the wounds: a bibliotherapeutic reading of recent African novels
- Discussant: Esther Wangui Kimani
 - Chair: Godwin Murunga
- 10:30- 10:45 *Health break*
- 10:45- 11:45 Meaning-Making "Child Prostitutes" in Zimbabwe: Case studies of the Harare, Chipinge, and Beit Bridge Communities
- Discussant: Nhamo Anthony Mhiripiri
 - Chair: Godisang Mookodi
- 11:45- 12:45 Bringing 'the ordinary' into video and cellphilm: People-centred production, dissemination and analysis
- Discussant: Sola Owonibi
 - Chair: Goodisang Mookodi
- 12:45 13:45 *Lunch break*
- 13:45- 14:45 Y en a marre, Filimbi, Lucha and Balai Citoyen : Consonances and dissonances of citizen engagement movements in Africa
- Discussant: Léon Tsambu
 - Chair: Divine Fuh
- 14:45- 15:45 Decolonization and the collective agency of student teachers in South Africa
- Discussant: Fred Bidandi
 - Chair: Divine Fuh

- 15:45- 16:00 *Health break*
- 16:00- 17:00 University governance and community relations in Ghana: dimensions, tensions and opportunities
- Discussant: Miguel Marrengula
 - Chair: Abdul Karim Bangura
- 17:00- 18:00 Talk: *Africa in the division of labor in knowledge production*
- Speaker: Elisio Macamo
 - Chair: Abdul Karim Bangura
- 19:00 *Welcome dinner*

Day 3: February 21, 2018: Engaging projects

- 8:30-9: 15 Higher education governance and Africa's social transformation
- Speaker: Michael Cross
 - Chair: Ibrahim Oanda
- 9:15-10:15 The role of governance in the use of innovative pedagogies for learning and research outputs in Kenyan public universities: A comparative analysis
- Discussant: John Lekan Oyefara
 - Chair: Ibrahim Oanda
- 10:15- 10:30 *Health break*
- 10:30-11:30 Use of information and communication technology (ICT) and performance of middle level lecturers in teaching and research in Nigerian universities
- Discussant: Yusuf Sayed
 - Chair: Michael Cross
- 11:30- 12:30 Higher Education Management and Leadership in Mozambique: dynamics and challenges of 14 Higher Education Institutions in Mozambique
- Discussant: Susan Kilonzo
 - Chair: Michael Cross
- 12:30- 13: 30 Stakeholder engagement in Higher Education governance: Collaboration and partnerships between higher education institutions and various stakeholders: Case study, the University of the Western Cape, South Africa
- Discussant: Edmond Akwasi Agyeman
 - Chair: Michael Cross
- 13:30- 14:30 *Lunch break*

- 14:30- 17:00 CODESRIA Day Lecture
- The Struggles for Epistemic Freedom in Africa**
- Speaker: Professor Sabelo J. Ndlovu-Gatsheni
 - Chair: Godwin Murunga

Day 4: February 22, 2018: Methodology primer

- 8:30- 10:00 *Some reflections on data collection, field work and archival research*
- Speaker: Michael Cross
 - Chair: Saadia Radi
- 10:00- 10:15 *Health break*
- 10:15- 11:45 *Thoughts on study design*
- Speaker: Elisio Macamo
 - Chair: Saadia Radi
- 11:45- 13:15 *Issues in quantitative research*
- Speaker: Abdul Karim Bangura
 - Chair: Michael Cross
- 13:15- 14:15 *Lunch break*
- 14:15- 15:45 *Issues in qualitative research*
- Speaker: Saadia Radi
 - Chair: Elisio Macamo
- 15:45- 16:00 *Health break*
- 16:00- Group work

Day 5: February 23, 2018: Methodology primer

- 8:30- 10:00 *Issues in interpretivist work*
- Speaker: Abdul Karim Bangura
 - Chair: Ato Onoma
- 10:00-10:15 *Health break*
- 10:15-11:45 *The promise and challenges of mixed methods research*
- Speaker: Abdul Karim Bangura
 - Chair: Divine Fuh

11:45- 13:15 Round-table discussion: *Ethical considerations in research and knowledge production*

- Panelists: Saadia Radi; Ibrahim Oanda; Divine Fuh
- Chair: Godwin Murunga

13:15- 14:15 *Lunch break*

14:15- Group work

Day 6: February 24, 2018: Updates on project revisions

8:30- 10:10 **Higher Education Leadership**

- ✓ University governance and community relations in Ghana
- ✓ The Role of Governance in the Use of Innovative Pedagogies for Learning and Research Outputs in Kenyan Public Universities:
- ✓ Use of information and communication technology (ICT) and performance of middle level lecturers in teaching and research in Nigerian universities
- ✓ Higher Education Management and Leadership in Mozambique
- ✓ Stakeholder engagement in Higher Education governance: Collaboration and partnerships between higher education institutions and various stakeholders
- Chair: Michael Cross

10:10- 10:25 *Health break*

10: 25- 11:45 **The environment, climate change and the agrarian question**

- ✓ Résistance et adaptation des paysans face aux changements globaux et locaux dans les domaines agricole et foncier en Afrique des Grands Lacs
- ✓ Large-scale Land Investments and (Un)Employment Questions in Africa
- ✓ Impacts of climate-related information provided to smallholder farmers through SMS on labor allocation, yield and income
- Chair: Elisio Macamo

11:45- 13:05 **Popular contestations and social change**

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- ✓ Meaning-Making "Child Prostitutes" in Zimbabwe
- ✓ Decolonization and the collective agency of student teachers in South Africa
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Fields of contestation, collaboration and healing

- ✓ Re/telling the war story, healing the wounds
- ✓ Bringing 'the ordinary' into video and cellphilm
- ✓ Pouvoir symbolique, genre et violence sur la scène de la musique populaire à Kinshasa
- Chair : Abdul Karim Bangura

15:05- 15: 30

Closing session & delivery of certificates.