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*If you have an article, reference or any newsworthy exposé please forward to [anaesthesiology@ukzn.ac.za](mailto:anaesthesiology@ukzn.ac.za)*

## ICS TRAINING - SURVEY - DEADLINE: 3 JULY 2020

ICS is offering training in specific products, All this training will be done online. Please complete the survey at the link below **by no later than Friday, 3 July 2020** for them to set up some training for you.

<http://www.123formbuilder.com/form-5250831/form>

With more employees working from home, more meetings conducted online, and more candidates interviewed via webcam, do you wish to learn more and improve your virtual meeting experiences?

### Zoom

Zoom is a cloud-based video conferencing service you can use to virtually meet with others - either by video or audio-only or both, all whilst conducting live chats - and you may also record those sessions for later viewing.

### Skype for Business

Microsoft Skype for Business is a communication and collaboration tool installed on your computer or mobile device, which allows you to instant messaging, video-chats, ad-hoc or scheduled online video meetings/webinars, share screen and content with other participants.

### Adobe Acrobat DC

Acrobat Pro DC is composed of three components:

**Acrobat DC**, which allows you to perform a variety of editing functions on your PDF documents via your computer and mobile devices

**Adobe Document Cloud**, which lets you create and export PDF files, as well as store and send files and collect electronic signatures; and

**Acrobat Reader DC**, which enables you to read, print, and sign PDF documents.

## RESEARCH METHODOLOGY: EXTENSION TO MODULE CLOSING DATE – 31 JULY 2020

The closing date for the first-semester Research methodology module has been further extended to **31 July 2020**. Kindly complete the requirements for the module on or before this date.

## MATERNITY LEAVE, INCAPACITY LEAVE AND RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING DURING REGISTRAR TRAINING

The Registrar Programme Steering Committee (RPSC) has resolved that no Registrar's training period shall be extended unless ratified by the Committee accordingly.

It is therefore requested that the following information be submitted to the RPSC:

1. Details of leave requests for Registrars who are taking maternity and/or incapacity leave during their training for RPSC ratification and adjustment of contract dates. Going forward, the RPSC must be notified of any such leave within the semester that the leave/s was taken.
2. Details of any Registrar affected by incapacity leave must be referred to the College's Impairment Committee via Student Support Services.
3. The Department should be notified of any application for recognition of prior learning (RPL) by no later than the end of 3rd year of training for approval by the RPSC.

## COVID CONVERSATIONS MEETINGS

Meetings every fortnight on Wednesday's mornings at 07:00am via zoom at IALCH called "COVID Conversations" the schedule so far:  
**1 July:** Occupational Health and PPE by Prof R Naidoo, Dr C Nurse and Dr B Kusel

**15 July:** Ethics Discussion on COVID by Prof McQoid-Mason  
Zoom link will be sent.

## NRF P/G SCHOLARSHIPS

NRF Postgraduate Scholarships for 2021

<http://notices.ukzn.ac.za/ViewNotice.aspx/55049>

## JOB VACANCY - HEAD CLINICAL UNIT - IALCH

**POST:** Head Clinical Unit (Anaesthesia) Grade 1

**CENTRE:** Inkosi Albert Luthuli Central Hospital

**REFERENCE:** HCUANESTH/1/2020

**REMUNERATION:** An all-inclusive flexible remuneration package of R1 728 807.00 per annum is payable to the successful candidate who will be required to enter into a permanent employment contract, as well as complete a Performance Agreement with the Manager of the post. The incumbent must be prepared to do commuted overtime.

### REQUIREMENTS:

- Tertiary Qualification equivalent to MBChB.
- Registration with HPCSA as Medical Specialist in Anaesthesia
- Five years post registration experience as a Medical Specialist – Anaesthesia.
- Evidence of administrative and management experience in academic and clinical roles in an anaesthetic department.

**ENQUIRIES:** Dr S Bechan Tel 031 240 1798/1804/1762

**APPLICATIONS:** All applications must be addressed to the Human Resources Manager, and should be placed in the application box situated at Security at the entrance to the Management Building at IALCH or posted to Private Bag X03 Mayville 4058.

**CLOSING DATE:** 10 July 2020

The full advert on the dept website

## ANNUAL HPCSA REGISTRATION

All foreign staff to please check the expiry date of their HPCSA registration. Please ensure that the application to annually renew is initiated three (3) months in advance. Send an email to [anaesthesiology@ukzn.ac.za](mailto:anaesthesiology@ukzn.ac.za) with your registrar dates and when your HPCSA registration expires. A letter will then be sent to Ms Thuli Ngcobo in the Postgrad Office to renew.

**WORLD CONGRESS OF ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS**

Date: 04 – 08 September 2021  
 Venue: Prague, Czech Republic  
[www.wcaprague2020.com](http://www.wcaprague2020.com)

**CHS - UKZN RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM**

Save the Date: 18 – 19 Aug 2020  
 If postponed new dates will be confirmed.

**ANAESTHETIC FOUNDATION 2020 REFRESHER COURSE**

Date: 12-13 September 2020  
 Venue: Indaba Hotel, Fourways  
 W: [www.painsacongres.co.za](http://www.painsacongres.co.za)  
[anaestheticfoundation@vlocityvision.co.za](mailto:anaestheticfoundation@vlocityvision.co.za)  
 Coordinator: Dr S Sikhakhane  
 Enquiries: [sebe88nzile@gmail.com](mailto:sebe88nzile@gmail.com)

**NEXT DAWN: 10 July 2020**

Send contributions to:  
[anaesthesiology@ukzn.ac.za](mailto:anaesthesiology@ukzn.ac.za)

**FCA PART 1 REFRESHER**

Date: 16 – 20 November 2020  
 Venue: 27 Rhodes Avenue, (JHB)  
 Enquiry: Dr Zainub Jooma  
[jhbanaesthesia@gmail.com](mailto:jhbanaesthesia@gmail.com)

**07:15 FRIDAY MORNING MEETINGS – L5 LECTURE THEATRE, MEDICAL SCHOOL**

2020	TOPIC	SPEAKER	MODERATOR	UNIT ADDRESS
03 Jul	Drugs of Abuse and the implications for Anaesthesia and Critical Care:	M Balkisson	K Allopi	
10 Jul	Special Talk	T Naidu		
17 Jul	Clinical Forum			
24 Jul	Upper Airway Obstruction in Children Post ICU Extubation: Cuffed Versus Uncuffed Tubes	S Naidoo	C Chellan	
31 Jul	Disaster Management and Surge Event Preparation	D Naidoo	Z Moyce	

MON 06 Jul	15h00	FCA PART II <i>Vascular 2</i>  <i>A de Castro</i> <i>A de Castro/B Kusel</i>	IALCH
	08h30	IALCH PAIN & OBS <i>Pain Journal Club</i>	IALCH
Tues 07 Jun	07h00 07h30	M & M MEETING: ADD M & M MEETING: PMMH	ADD PMMH
WED 08 Jul	07h00	M & M MEETING: IALCH <i>M&amp;M</i>	IALCH
	15h00	FCA PART I <i>Intermediary Metabolism</i> <i>Exercise</i> <i>Temperature regulation and temp Measurement</i>  <i>A Ramkisson</i>	IALCH
THUR 09 Jul	07h15	M&M: RKK	RKK
	07h30	KEH ICU: M & M MEETING	KEH - S block
	16h30	DIPLOMA IN ANAESTHETICS <i>Neuro Anaesthesia</i>  <i>V Satyapal</i>	
FRI 10 Jul	07h00	FRIDAY MORNING MEETING: <i>Special Talk</i>  <i>T Naidu</i>	ZOOM

**DIARY**

CLINICAL COURSE, IALCH  
**CANCELLED**

**DISCIPLINE WEBSITE**

<http://anaesthetics.ukzn.ac.za/>

**PUBLICATIONS TRAINING MATERIALS**

<https://ics.ukzn.ac.za/rig-online-help-1/>



**2020 BIRTHDAYS**

Monday – 06 July  
*Sudha Bechan*  
 Tuesday – 07 July  
*Nhlanhla Masuku*

**Thought for the Day!**

*“With new day comes new strength and new thoughts.”*