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REGISTRAR WORKSHOP MEPA SIMULATION COURSE



Managing
Emergencies in
Paediatric
Anaesthesia

The Department will be hosting a MEPA (Managing Emergencies in Paediatric Anaesthesia) high fidelity simulation Course/Workshop for registrars at the SMART Centre at IALCH on Saturday, **11th July 2026**. The course will be free of charge and preference will be given to registrars who are writing Part 2 exams either later this year or first semester 2027. The number of candidates will be limited to a maximum of ten.

MEPA is a full day practical, hands-on course, starting at 7:30 and finishing around 16:00. The Department will provide tea/coffee and lunch.

Interested individuals may apply for a spot on the course by emailing Dr Christian Kampik (kampik@ukzn.ac.za)

CRITICAL CARE NATIONAL CONGRESS, 17 - 20 SEPTEMBER 2026, CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

We are pleased to invite you to submit abstracts for Presentation at the Critical Care National Congress.

Submission Deadline: 17 July 2026, Presentation format: Free Paper (15 min) and Poster Presentation. To submit your abstract:

<https://forms.gle/i5BFrZGfWtD3jfBNA>

Kindly note that all **presenting authors need to be registered in order to be considered.**

To register:

<https://criticalcarecongress.co.za/registration/>

We look forward to your submissions and to showcasing your work at the congress.

For more info contact: The Organising Committee: 021 712 0571

TTE/TOE WORKSHOP UKZN FCA II

Hosted by Dr K Kistan 📅 Saturday, 01 August 2026. 📍 Limited to 12 participants.

The Department of Anaesthetics invites you to the next **TTE/TOE Workshop** hosted by Dr K Kistan.

Eligibility: Open to all, but preference will be given to:

- Those who have completed or are registered for the Part 2 Tutorial Programme.
- Those currently or soon to be in their cardiac rotation
- Those who have not attended the workshop previously

Registration: Please fill out the form linked below to secure your spot. Closing date for responses is **17th July 2026**.

<https://forms.office.com/r/1cKZJ6JZ8Y>

Closing date: Friday, 17 July 2026

For queries, contact:

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Scroll down for more details

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Send articles/notices of interest to be included in DAWN to anaesthesiology@ukzn.ac.za



UPCOMING FRIDAY MORNING SEMINARS				
07:15 FRIDAY MORNING MEETINGS – TEAMS				
2026	TOPIC		SPEAKER	MODERATOR
10 July	Opiod-free ananesthesia		M Patel	J Kibirige
17 Jul	Clinical Forum DPKISMH/ ICU		K Kistan	
24 Jul	Procedure-related death		N Pierce	T Kisten
31 Jul	Surviving Sepsis 2026 for the Anaesthetist		S Mavuso	K Govender
DEPARTMENTAL WEEKLY DIARY				
DATE	TIME	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER	VENUE / TEAMS
MON 13 Jul	08h30 15h00	IALCH PAIN & OBS FCA PART II <i>Theory: Renal 1 Clinical</i>	<i>D Pillay D Pillay / Z Farina</i>	IALCH VIA TEAMS
TUE 14 Jul	07h00 07h30	M & M MEETING: ADD M & M MEETING: PMMH		ADD PMMH
WED 15 Jul	07h00 07h15	M & M MEETING: IALCH M & M MEETING: DPKISMH <i>DA (SA) exam</i>		IALCH DPKISMH VIA TEAMS
THU 16 Jul	07h15 07h30 16h30	M & M: RKK VMH ICU: M & M MEETING DIPLOMA IN ANAESTHETICS <i>Obstetrics Part I</i>	<i>A Ramkisson</i>	RKK VMH - S block VIA TEAMS
FRI 17 Jul	07h00	FRIDAY MORNING MEETING <i>Clinical Forum</i>	<i>K Kistan</i>	VIA TEAMS/IN- PERSON



Supervisor Workplace Assessment & Teaching Training (S.W.A.T)

SACOMD

 South African
Committee of
Medical Deans

Series 1: WBA for the Clinical Supervisor

 3rd Iteration for 2026

The CMSA/SACOMD is in the process of incorporating workplace-based assessment (WBA) into postgraduate medical education. To ensure that WBA is conducted in a professional, effective, and standardised manner, it is essential to train the clinical supervisors who support registrars in the workplace. The SWAT training will provide an opportunity for clinical supervisors to gain the knowledge, skills, and attitudes needed to perform assessments and provide feedback in the workplace.

The SWAT Training is a short course accredited by the CMSA/SACOMD national committee.

The course will be presented from 27 July to 20 September 2026 covering the four topics with webinars as scheduled below held from 16:00 – 19:00

Module 1:	WBA: The Nuts and Bolts – Dr Tashneem Harris	Webinar: 4 August 2026
Module 2:	Know Yourself, Your Environment and Your Trainee – Dr Madeleine Muller	Webinar: 18 August 2026
Module 3:	Effective Feedback – Prof Richard Cooke	Webinar: 2 September 2026
Module 4:	Making Ad Hoc and Summative Entrustment Decisions – Prof Mergan Naidoo	Webinar: 15 September 2026

Offering:

24 CPD Points (20 general and 4 ethics)
24 Notional Hours

What qualifies a clinical supervisor for an accredited SWAT certificate:

- Asynchronous, online training: accessible on Learn@CMSA (12 hours)
- Interactive online webinars: 4 webinars of 3 hours each (equivalent to the 2-day face-to-face in-house university training)

HOW TO REGISTER AND ACCESS THE SWAT COURSE

- Register for the SWAT training [HERE](#) or scan the QR code
- You will be sent an enrollment email containing the following:
 - Instructions on how to log in and enroll for the asynchronous training on Learn@CMSA
 - The links to each of the 4 webinars



HOW TO COMPLETE YOUR SWAT TRAINING

- Already registered and enrolled in the SWAT course?
 - Skip all the above and continue to complete all asynchronous training material and register for the outstanding webinars in [2026 SWAT](#).
 - Attend all 4 webinars.
 - Complete the asynchronous training material: the platform will be open for 2026, but it is advised to complete all 4 modules within 2 months of registration.

CMSA/SACOMD Short Course Certificate of Completion:

A certificate of completion will be issued on completion of all components of this course.

Registration and Technical support: bianca.vdwesthuizen@cmsa.co.za

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Register here : <https://form.jotform.com/260493908477066>



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DEPARTMENT OF ANAESTHESIOLOGY, PAIN MEDICINE AND CRITICAL CARE

FCA2 TRANS-THORACIC AND TRANS-OESOPHAGEAL ECHOCARDIOGRAPHY WORKSHOP

LOCATION: SMART CENTRE AND ANAESTHETIC SEMINAR ROOM,
INKOSI ALBERT LUTHULI CENTRAL HOSPITAL (LEVEL 4)

DATE: SATURDAY, 01 AUGUST 2026

TIME	ITEM	FACILITATOR
07h45 – 08h00	WELCOME AND REGISTRATION	Dr. Kroshlan Kistan Dr. Dhamiran Naidoo
08h00 – 08h15	TRADE SPONSOR - <i>Mbuso Medical Supplies</i>	Mr. Samson Wesley Abboy
08h15 – 08h45	ULTRASOUND "KNOBOLOGY"	Dr. Belinda Kusel
08h45 – 09h45	GROUP A: Live model ultrasound scanning (Trans-thoracic)	Dr. Belinda Kusel Dr. Dhamiran Naidoo
08h45 – 09h45	GROUP B: Hands-on simulator workshop (Trans-oesophageal)	Dr. Kroshlan Kistan
09h45 – 10h00	TEA BREAK	Mbuso Medical / UKZN
10h00 – 11h00	GROUP A: Live model ultrasound scanning (Trans-thoracic)	Dr. Belinda Kusel Dr. Dhamiran Naidoo
10h00 – 11h00	GROUP B: Hands-on simulator workshop (Trans-oesophageal)	Dr. Kroshlan Kistan
11h00 – 12h00	GROUP B: Live model ultrasound scanning (Trans-thoracic)	Dr. Belinda Kusel Dr. Dhamiran Naidoo
11h00 – 12h00	GROUP A: Hands-on simulator workshop (Trans-oesophageal)	Dr. Kroshlan Kistan
12h00 – 12h45	LUNCH BREAK	Mbuso Medical / UKZN
12h45 – 13h45	GROUP B: Live model ultrasound scanning (Trans-thoracic)	Dr. Belinda Kusel Dr. Dhamiran Naidoo
12h45 – 13h45	GROUP A: Hands-on simulator workshop (Trans-oesophageal)	Dr. Kroshlan Kistan
13h45 – 14h45	ETHICS SESSION: USE OF ULTRASOUND IN END-OF-LIFE CARE DECISION-MAKING	Dr. Nivisha Parag
14h45 – 15h15	QUESTIONS AND FEEDBACK	Dr. Kroshlan Kistan Dr. Dhamiran Naidoo
15h15 – 15h30	CLOSING	Dr. Kroshlan Kistan Dr. Dhamiran Naidoo

ENQUIRIES:
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CPD ACCREDITED
5 CLINICAL +
1 ETHICS POINT





DEPARTMENT OF ANAESTHESIA
& PERIOPERATIVE MEDICINE
UNIVERSITY OF CAPE TOWN

ANNUAL NATIONAL PART I ANAESTHETIC REFRESHER 9-13 NOV 2026

EXCLUSIVE
ONLINE EVENT



Daily Programme [HERE](#)

Register [HERE](#)

COST:

Registration fee for the week - R5 500

Registration fee per day - R1 100

Registration includes access to a
PDF copy of the Notes Book

CPD POINTS:
30 General CEU's





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ANNUAL NATIONAL PART I ANAESTHETIC REFRESHER 9-13 NOV 2026 PROGRAMME

MON 9 NOV

08:00 - 08:30	Introduction, Exam Structure and Study Tips	K Bergh
08:30 - 09:10	Heart-Lung Interactions	J Piercy
09:10 - 09:50	The "Opy's" of Cardiacs	F Montoya
09:50 - 10:05	TEA	
10:05 - 10:45	Drugs for Cardiac Failure	C Alphonsus
10:45 - 11:25	Pacemakers	E Cloete
11:25 - 12:05	Anti-arrhythmics	M Crowther
12:05 - 12:20	Pre-lunch slot (15 minutes)	
12:20 - 13:00	LUNCH	
13:00 - 13:40	The Cardiac Cycle "Wiggers Diagram"	T Mhlari
13:40 - 14:20	Altitude and Anaesthesia	M James
14:20 - 14:25	Pre-tea slot (5 minutes)	
14:25 - 14:40	TEA	
14:40 - 15:40	Q&A	J Purcell-Jones

TUES 10 NOV

08:00 - 08:05	Introduction	
08:05 - 08:45	Stats 1	C Simons
08:45 - 09:25	Stats 2	H Meyer
09:25 - 10:05	Local Anaesthetics	U Plenge
10:05 - 10:20	TEA	
10:20 - 11:00	Volume of Distribution	R Duys
11:00 - 11:40	Clearance	G Wilson
11:40 - 12:20	Manufacturing, Storage and Supply of Anaesthesia Gases	R Hofmeyr
12:20 - 12:35	Pre-lunch slot (15 minutes)	
12:35 - 13:00	LUNCH	
13:00 - 13:40	Depth of Anaesthesia Monitoring	E Coetzee
13:40 - 14:20	How do Anaesthetic Agents Work	A Reed
14:20 - 15:00	Uterotonics and Tocolytics	A Ernst
15:00 - 15:05	Pre-tea slot (5 minutes)	
15:05 - 15:30	TEA	
15:30 - 16:30	Q&A	A Carpenter



WED 11 NOV

08:00 - 08:05	Introduction	
08:05 - 08:45	Blood Products	R Davids
08:45 - 09:25	Cardiac Output Monitors	A de Vaal
09:25 - 10:05	Types of Filters and Humidification	K Bester
10:05 - 10:20	TEA	
10:20 - 11:00	The Waterfall Phenomenon	M Miller
11:00 - 11:40	The Physiology of Pregnancy	D van Dyk
11:40 - 12:20	Temperature, Thermodynamics and Thermoelectrics	I Joubert
12:20 - 12:35	Pre-lunch slot (15 minutes)	
12:35 - 13:00	LUNCH	
13:00 - 13:40	The Physiology and Pharmacology of Postoperative Nausea and Vomiting	S Hendricks
13:40 - 14:20	Drugs Acting on the GIT	C Lake
14:20 - 15:00	Muscular Contraction - Smooth and Skeletal	A Ally
15:00 - 15:05	Pre-tea slot (5 minutes)	
15:05 - 15:30	TEA	
15:30 - 16:30	Q&A	M Gayaparsad

THURS 12 NOV

08:00 - 08:05	Introduction	
08:05 - 08:45	The Physiology of Ageing	K Bergh
08:45 - 09:25	The Anaesthesia Machine	L Collier
09:25 - 10:05	Tricky Concepts in Respiratory Physiology	R Gray
10:05 - 10:20	TEA	
10:20 - 11:00	Body Fluid Composition and Compartments	M Haasbroek
11:00 - 11:40	Crystalloids and Colloids	T Kallenbach
11:40 - 12:20	Laser, Fire and Explosions	F Kabambi
12:20 - 12:35	Pre-lunch slot (15 minutes)	
12:35 - 13:00	LUNCH	
13:00 - 13:40	Newer Atypical Opioids	J Van der Walt
13:40 - 14:20	Calcium and Phosphate	T Biesman-Simons
14:20 - 15:00	Renal Acid-Base Regulation	P Moodley
15:00 - 15:05	Pre-tea slot (5 minutes)	
15:05 - 15:30	TEA	
15:30 - 16:30	Q&A	M Nejthardt

FRI 13 NOV

08:00 - 08:05	Introduction	
08:05 - 08:45	Gas and Vapour Analysis	R Burger
08:45 - 09:25	Transducers	H Weeber
09:25 - 09:40	TEA	
09:40 - 10:20	Spinal Cord Arc and Reflexes	C Arnold-Day
10:20 - 11:00	Pharmacological Considerations at the Extremes of Age	K Singata
11:00 - 11:40	Hepatocyte Structure and Function	D Batty
11:40 - 11:55	Pre-lunch slot (15 minutes)	
11:55 - 12:35	LUNCH	
12:35 - 13:15	Scavenging Systems and Suction	L Dougall
13:15 - 13:55	The Surgical Stress Response	G Nethathe
13:55 - 14:35	MRI	K Kemp
14:35 - 14:40	Pre-tea slot (5 minutes)	
14:40 - 14:55	TEA	
14:55 - 15:55	Q&A	C Pfister

Register here : <https://anparc.cmcevents.co.za/product/general-registration/>

HYPOSPADIAS CAMP

INKOSI ALBERT LUTHULI CENTRAL HOSPITAL



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SINCE 2018



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SURGICAL CAMPS
CONDUCTED

SINCE 2018



ONGOING COMMITMENT

Improving access,
reducing backlog and
building expertise for
better outcomes.



NEXT CAMPS:



18 July 2026



17 October 2026



*Healing today, hope for tomorrow.
Together, we transform lives.*



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