# Virtual Conference Call for Abstracts

## Flexible Futures 2020

VIRTUAL HIGHER EDUCATION INNOVATION CONFERENCE
University of Pretoria

### Teaching innovation in Higher Education: COVID-19 and beyond

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This is the opportunity to learn and share:
- innovative teaching, learning, assessment methods and student success interventions
- innovative use of educational technology in higher education

## Background

The conference is organised by the University of Pretoria. Consolidating the experience from previous Flexible Futures conferences, we extend invitations to researchers, practitioners, and industry professionals interested in the field of teaching innovation, with a particular focus on learning with technology. This conference provides a forum to address critical issues and challenges confronting the education sector today. We seek contributions focusing on understanding and improving teaching, learning, assessment and student success strategies through the innovative implementation of teaching with technology.

## Sub themes

- Remote and Hybrid Teaching and Learning
- Online assessment
- Innovative online learning and teaching methodologies
- The effective use of learning analytics
- The future of Higher Education
- Academic support strategies in the context of remote teaching and learning
- Strategies to boost lecturer/student resilience during isolation

## Presentation types

Abstracts may be submitted for papers, practitioner presentations, or demonstrations. Detailed information on the various presentation types is available on the conference website: www.flexiblefutures.co.za

## Review process

Each submission will be blind reviewed by a member of a review panel designated by the conference organizers and then by the conference chair. A submission may be returned to the person who submitted it to effect changes. Submissions with the highest evaluation scores will be accepted for presentation at the conference.

## Presentations

Authors of papers and vendors will have 15 minutes to present their contributions, followed by 5 minutes for questions.

## KEY Dates

**30 June 2020:** Deadline for abstract submissions

**1-31 July 2020:** RSVP

**10 July 2020:** Notification of acceptance

**20 July 2020:** Provisional programme available

***All deadlines at 23:59 SAST***

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