PROGRAMME

	WEDNESDAY, 4 NOVEMBER 2015					
15:00 - 17:00	Registration: Venue Foyer					
18:30	Session Chair: Prof Piggot-Irvine					
	Cocktail Function & book launch: Cash bar available					
	Venue –					

	DAY 1: THURSDAY, 5 NOVEMBER 2015					
08:00	Registration: Venue Foyer					
08:45 - 09:00	Main Venue:					
	Prof Piggot-Irvine - Announcements					
09:00 - 09:30	Venue: Main					
	Session chair: Prof Lesley Wood					
	Welcoming Address: Prof Robert Balfour, Dean, Faculty of Education Sciences, North-West University, Potchefstroom Campus					
09:30 - 11:00	Venue: Main					
	Plenary Session: Celebrating 25 Years of ALARA Contributions: Developing a Learning Conference Culture					
	Convened by Prof Ortrun Zuber-Skerritt - North-West University					
	Dr Pip Bruce Fergusson - Dublin City University					
	Dr Gina Blackberry - Australian Catholic University					
	Prof Eileen Piggot-Irvine - Royal Roads University					
	Dr Ina Louw - University of Pretoria					
	Prof Pieter Du Toit - University of Pretoria					
	Prof Shankar Sankaran - University of Technology Sydney					
	Dr Margaret Fletcher					
11:00 - 11:30	Refreshments					

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11:30 - 12:30

Main venue:

Theme: Community -Posters

Management of resources between funded organizations and host districts

Ms Dora Ramogobeng & Mrs Hanlie Kapp – Foundation for Professional Development

Strengthening Early Linkage and Retention in HIV/AIDS Treatment by implementing facility-based ART Adherence Clubs for stable ART patients in Gauteng, Mpumalanga and Free State Provinces, South Africa

Mr Rick Stephen - Foundation for Professional Development

Centre for Action Research and Democratic Societal Change

Dr Jonas Egmose & Prof John Andersen & Prof Janne Gleerup - Roskilde University

How can I mobilise communities for HIV testing and ensure proven linkages to care, in absence of adequate resources?

Mr Gerhard Lombard & Me Hanlie Kapp - Foundation for Professional Development

Mapping of support groups may open the door to a truly integrated referral service at primary health care level

Mr Shaun Skidmore - Foundation for Professional Development

How a Gender Based Violence project brought my colleagues' two worlds together- a case Study

Mrs RL Wentzel & Miss F Slaven - Foundation for Professional Development

Theme: Organisational development - posters

Can the implementation of Action Learning methodology minimise the impact on performance against targets during transition phase in funded environments?

Ms Gwynneth Makuwaza & Ms Hanlie Kapp - Foundation for Professional Development

Management, Leadership, Teamwork, Mentoring, Delegation

Mr Nadeem Sheriff & Mrs Hanlie Kapp - Foundation for Professional Development

From participating to facilitating an Action Learning set with success – a case Study

Mr Barend Botha & Ms Renee Wentzel – Foundation for Professional Development

Action Research and empowerment of care workers and residents in public nursing homes in Denmark

Dr Annette Bilfeldt - Aalborg University & Dr John Andersen- Roskilde University

Theme: Education - posters

Helping learners to take control of their future career choices – a participative approach to career guidance

Mrs Suegnet Smit & Prof Lesley Wood - North-West University

Change Projects for Changing Practice: Citizen Monitoring of the South African National Water Resources Strategy 2 (NWRS2)

Mr Thabo Lusithi - Environmental Monitoring Group & Ms Jane Burt - Rhodes University

Early childhood intervention towards education reform in Mozambique: a small spark can ignite a big fire

Mrs Gail Janse van Rensburg - Accelerated Education Enterprises & Mrs Magaly Silva - Associação Vida para África

ARTISTIC DISPLAYS:

"Children are not voiceless": creating enabling environments – a retrospective exhibition on participatory action learning through art-based platforms between pre-service teachers and schoolchildren **Ms Merna Meyer – North-West University**

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	Venue: 1 Theme: Education Session Chair: <i>Mrs BA Seobi</i>	Venue: 2 Theme: Organisation development Session Chair: Prof J Andersen	Venue: 3 Theme: Community Session Chair: Prof E Tetteh	Venue: 4 Theme: Education Session Chair: Ms M Kok	Venue: 5 Theme: Conserving the environment and resources Session Chair: Dr N Avriel-Avni	Venue: 6 Theme: Education Session Chair: Prof E Piggot-Ivine
11:30 - 12:00	A PAR approach to helping HODs in under performing schools to theorise instructional leadership Mrs Audrey Seobi & Prof Lesley Wood – North-West University	Knowledge Dialogues. Homogenizations-diversities and exclusions-inclusions in Colombian education Mr Miguel González - Universidad Católica de Pereira	Integrating work by researchers from different fields is critical for the success of participatory action research initiatives. Experiences from Barotse Flood Plain, Zambia Dr Tendayi Mutimukuru-Maravanyika & Dr Steven Cole & Dr Kate Longley & Mr Jeston Lunda Kalembwe - WorldFish	Learning to be a teacher from an Action Learning excursion Dr Karen Steenkamp - University of Johannesburg	Building a bridge over troubled waters: the wicked problem of dysfunctional local government wastewater treatment works in post-apartheid South Africa Dr Victor Munnik – University of the Witwatersrand Prof Tally Palmer – Rhodes University Mr Garth Barnes - Researcher	Conceptualizing indicators for evaluating collaborative and sustainable learning in action research Prof Eileen Piggot-Ivine & Prof Wendy Rowe - Royal Roads University Dr Deborah Zornes - Royal University Phil Cady Dr Judith Kearney - Griffith University
12:00 - 12:30	An action learning model to assist circuit teams to support school management teams towards whole-school Dr Geoff van der Voort Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University Prof Lesley Wood – North-West University	The influence of transformational management strategies of school principals on job satisfaction levels of educators Dr Peter Tsvara - Researcher Prof Johan Booyse - University of South Africa Mr Francis Manzira - University of Venda	Methodological Issues in Conceptualizing Action Research and Community- Based Participatory Research Framework Prof Emmanuel Tetteh - Capella University	Free therapy: critical self- reflection as therapeutic tool for teachers Ms Mandie Kok & Dr Laetitia Greyling - Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University	Developing Environmental Citizenship on Campus through Action Research Dr Noa Avriel-Avni – Dead Sea and Arava Science Center	Utilising Open Education Resources in support of curriculum transformation at Africa Nazarene University: a participatory action research approach Mr Tony Mays - South African Institute for Distance Education Mrs Mary Ooko - Africa Nazarene University
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch					
13:30 - 15:00	Main venue: Theme: Innovations Workshop No Easy Answers: Using Reflective at Dr Mary Brydon-Miller – University of Dr Danny Burns – University of Sus	of Cincinnati	nical Dilemmas in Action Reseal	rch		

Session Chair: Dr K Steenkamp Development Session Chair: Ms Korrie de Koning Reflections on being a South African Teacher in the 21 st century: An action learning activity approach Dr Karin Steenkamp & Dr Martyn van der Merwe University of Johannesburg 14:00 - 14:30 Participatory Action Research as instrument for student voice and human development Dr Sonja Loots & Prof Melanie Walker - University of the Free State Session Chair: Ms Korrie de Koning Who's PARty is this Ms Jacqui Lovell - York St John University Prof Jacqui Akhurst - Rhodes University Prof Jacqui Akhurst - Na Miscauda A Miscau		Venue: 1	Venue: 2	: THURSDAY, 5 NOVEMBI Venue: 3	Venue: 4	Venue: 5	Venue: 6
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Participatory Action Research: a methodology for Impact? Dr Ana Amaya – United Nations University Institute Prof Nicla Yeates – The Open University Dr Themba Moeti - Health System Trust Participatory Action Research: a methodology for Impact? Sustainable action and learning from Action Research processes in a large public sector organisation Dr John Molineux – Deakin University Dr Themba Moeti - Health System Trust Sustainable action and learning from Action Research processes in a large public sector organisation Dr John Molineux – Deakin University Dr Ernest Khalema – University of Alberta Sustainable action and learning for survival: students through overseas collaboration, leveraging on Information Community-based Participatory Praxis: Engaging on Information Communities in Research Practice from the Bottom Up Dr Ernest Khalema – University of Alberta Sustainable action and learning of gifted students through overseas collaboration, leveraging on Information Community-based Participatory Praxis: Engaging on Information Communities in Research Practice from the Bottom Up Dr Ernest Khalema – University of Alberta Mr Stuart Campion – Balngarra Clan	14:00 - 14:30	instrument for student voice and human development in higher education policy development Dr Sonja Loots & Prof Melanie Walker - University	PAR as a way of organising a social workers labour union in Greenland Dr Steven Arnfjord – University of Greenland Prof John Andersen –	maternal and child health services: Comparing two community educational strategies in Wau, South Sudan Mrs Maryline Nyaboga & Mrs Mary Elario – International Medical Crops Ms Korrie de Koning – Royal	Redesigning the Instructional design of a literacy course according to the principles of Reflective Practice Dr Liqhwa Siziba - North-	research and the power of future creating workshops Ditte Tofteng & Mia Husted - University	
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5:30 - 16:00 Venue: Main Theme: Organisational development Symposium							

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15:30 - 16:00	Methodological actions for researching student teacher professional development Dr Angela James – University of KwaZulu-Natal	Cultural Historical Activity Theory analysis of an initiative in a learning organization: Example of the South African Qualifications Authority Dr Heidi Bolton & Ms Portia Flanagan - South African Qualification Authority	Action research and learning through the community scorecard: bridging participative methodologies in community engagement <i>Ms Elmé Vivier</i> – University of Pretoria Ms DianaSanchez-Betancourt – Human Sciences Research Council	Evaluating class participation and student assessment by education students (Potch Campus) Ms Kedumetse Motlhankane - North-West University	How Action Research anchored me - a case study Mrs Renee Wentzel - Foundation for Professional Development	Exercising visual approaches to participation; a methodological workout Dr Gill Black & Dr Joanna Wheeler & Mr Nabeel Petersen & Miss Becky Hillyer - Sustainable Livelihoods Foundation
16:00 - 16:30	A whole new world: The magic of iPad applications in an extended degree program Mrs Lea Koenig & Mr Alastair Smart - University of the Free State	Models to improve student pass rates on health management courses Dr Gustaaf Wolvaardt & Mr Anton La Grange – Foundation for Professional Development	From etic action research practitioner to emic action learning facilitator: a community engagement case Prof Tomé Mapotse – University of South Africa	Education for sustainability teachers conceptualize their new role by action research Dr Noa Avriel-Avni – Dead Sea and Arava Science Center	Use of Team-Based Learning (TBL) in Ionic Equilibrium Chemistry Lecture Ms Rosalind Loh & Mr Kian Seng Chong & Mr Chan Xin Wei & Mr Ong Dun Hao - Meridian Junior College	
16:30 - 17:00	How can I help? Using learning style identification to enhance learning Mrs Imelda Smit - North-West University	Playful provocation: how being appreciative creates change – theory and practice from health and social care in Scotland Dr Cathy Sharp - Research for Real Prof Belinda Dewar - University of the West of Scotland	Integrated use of Appreciative Inquiry and the World Cafe Method in Low Socio Economic Environments: Practical Application Dr Susanne Jacobs & Mrs Elmari Botha/Verhage - North-West University	The principal as participatory activist researcher: Reconsidering and repositioning traditional views of school leadership in a community school Mr Bruce Damons – Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University	Pedagogical Challenges of Action Learning In Higher Education in South Africa Prof Rosh Maharaj -PC Training & Business College Prof Roger Mason - Durban University of Technology	
17:00 - 18:00	Reflection on learning Theme: Education	Reflection on Learning Theme: Organisational Development	Reflection on Learning Theme: Community	Reflection on Learning Theme: Environment		
18:00 - 19:00	Venue: Main Meeting ALARA members					
19:00	Venue: Dinner: Cash bar available					

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08:00	Registration:		·			
	Venue: Main					
	Session Chair: Prof Eileen Piggot-Ir					
09:00 - 10:00	Keynote Address: Prof Richard Tea	re - Ready for life and work? De	signing professional developme	ent pathways with marginalize	zed young adults	
10:00 - 10:30	Refreshments: Venue					
10:30 – 12:00	Venue: Main Theme: Organisational developmen Developing capability using a maturity Prof Shankar Sankaran – University Dr Wenday Rowe & Mr Phil Cady – I	model for action research: An inte of Technology Sydney Royal Roads University				
	Venue: 1 Theme: Education Session Chair: Mrs R SetIhare- Meltor	Venue: 2 Theme: Organisational development Session Chair: Dr JE Egmose	Venue: 3 Theme: Community Session Chair: Prof DW Davies	Venue: 4 Theme: Innovations Symposium	Venue: 5 Theme: Conserving the environment and resources Symposium	Venue: 6 Theme: Education Workshop
10:30 – 11:00	Cognitive dissonance: caught between the rhetorical rock and the ideological hard place of humanising pedagogy and neo-liberalism in higher education Engagement - the self-reflective autoethnographical narrative of a comprehensive universi ty Engagement Manager Dr Belinda du Plooy – Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University	How belonging to an Action Learning set improved my work-life balance Mrs Alet Bosman - Foundation for Professional Development	Dancing in Nazareth: explorations in the therapeutic arts as a basis for personal and community development Prof David Davies - University of Derby Ms Reem Shamshoum - Maawal Nazareth Mrs Ermer Clarke - Daviesclarke Associates	Using Participatory Action Research to Build Ownership and Equity in Agricultural Research; learning from experiences in Africa, Asia and the Pacific Dr Marina Apgar & Mr Jeston Lunda Kalembwe & Mr James Kwaimani &	The River Speaks: Supporting the voice of civil society action in water practices South Africa Ms Jane Burt - Environmental Monitoring Group Prof Heila Lotz-Sisitka & Prof Tally Palmer - Rhodes University Mr Derick Du Toit - AWARD	Striving towards a fairer world through difficult dialogues Dr Deirdre van Jaarsveldt - University of the Free State
11:00 – 11:30	Fatlhogang – Teachers generate the light at the end of the tunnel using a PALAR process Mrs Rubina Setlhare-Meltor – University of Johannesburg Prof Lesley Wood – North West University	Assessment of the Skills Development Facilitators and Human Development practitioners Competencies at the Eastern Cape Health Districts Miss Pricilla Sebone & Mr Geoffrey Guloba & Mrs Ernesha Webb-Mazinyo - Foundation for Professional Development	Community strengthening for a people-centred primary health care system: PAR as a tool for social change in Zimbabwe and Tanzania Barbara Kaim – Training and Research Support Centre Zimbabwe Greysmo Mutashobya – Health Promotion Tanzania Tatemda Chiware – Zimbabwe Association of Doctors for Human Rights	Mr Sochanny Hak - WorldFish		
11:30 – 12:00	Cultural complexity, ethics and action research in Secondary School Literature teaching Ms Nicci Hays - Rhodes University	Making Sense Bringing Everyday Life at Work - Experiences with Critical Utopian Action Research as Trans-disciplinary Methodology Dr Jonas Egmose & Prof Janne Gleerup & Prof Birger Nielsen - Roskilde University	Ebola outbreak prevention and control through community-medical participatory partnerships Dr Frederick Marais – Western Cape Government Prof Meredith Minkler – Berkeley University Prof Nancy Gibson – McGill University	Participatory Democracy as Philosophy of Science Orientation for Action Research Dr Erik Lindhult - Mälardalen University		

DAY2: FRIDAY, 6 NOVEMBER 2015								
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch:							
13:00 – 14:30	Venue: Main Theme: Community Workshop AL / AR applied as a tool for Community Development in Curricular Related Community Engagement Ms Gernia van Niekerk – University of Pretoria							
	Venue: 1 Theme: Education Session Chair: Dr M Stander	Venue: 2 Theme: Organisational development Session Chair: Dr J Molineux	Venue: 3 Theme: Education Symposium	Venue: 4 Theme: Education Session Chair: Ms GM Meyer	Venue: 5 Theme: Education Symposium	Venue: 6 Theme: Education Workshop		
13:00 – 13:30	The recognition theory as guideline for the development of religious tolerance praxis in mono-religious education institutions Mr Morne Diedericks - AROS	Forming, norming, storming and performing in action learning set - a case study Ms Renee Wentzel & Mrs Hanlie Kapp & Mr Barend Botha – Foundation for Professional Development	Finding Our Way Through the Dark – Researchers' Reflection on ALARA Experiences at The University of Fort Hare (UFH) Dr Ulene Schiller & Ms Cuzette du Plessis & Ms Penny Jaffray & Ms Tammy Ridley - University of Fort Hare	Changing roles, changing outcomes: a critical reflection on the facilitator's multi-faceted position and learning during an action research process Ms Merna Meyer & Prof Lesley Wood – North-West University	Changing the World is Easy, Changing the Academy is Hard: Systemic Action Research and the Recreation of Higher Education Dr Mary Brydon-Miller – University of Cincinnati Dr Danny Burns – University of Sussex	The Action Research Network of the Americas (ARNA): Toward Worldwide Collaboration in Practitioner Inquiry Dr Joseph Shosh - Moravian College		
13:30 – 14:00	Enhancing marking skills of external markers in higher institutions using action research Dr Matthew Ovbiebo – University of South Africa	The challenges of keeping an Action Learning set together Mrs Alet Bosman - Foundation for Professional Development		Enhancing learners' Maths and English - a service-learning project initiative Dr Hanlie Dippenaar – Cape Peninsula University of Technology	Dr V ictorFriedman – Max Stern Yezreel Valley College Dr Maricar Prudente & Dr Socorro Aguja - De La Salle University Dr Mia Husted &			
14:00 - 14:30 14:30 - 15:00	"Plagiarism is for real". Avoiding plagiarism in academic institutions: action research from the writing centre Dr Marga Stander – University of the Free State Refreshments: Venue –	Action research is the catalyst for change in a dramatic improvement of IPT initiation rates in Vhembe district Dr Margot Uys & Ms Ntombi Sibanyoni – Foundation for Professional Development		An action research investigation into student reflections on their teaching and writing experience using reflective diaries Dr Willie Chinyamurindi & Ms Mari Ford & Mrs Linda Scheckle - University of Fort Hare	Dr Ditte Tofteng - University College Capital			

DAY2: FRIDAY, 6 NOVEMBER 2015

15:00 – 16:30

Venue: Main
Theme: Community Symposium & visual arts
Food Dignity as Project, Radical Dignity as Process: exploring the impact of community-academic relationships on a U.S. action research project
Ms Jemila Sequeira MSW - Whole Community Project
Mr Damon Brangman - Whole Community Project
Dr Monica Hargraves - Cornell University
Mr Daryl Marshall - East New York Farms
Lt Marty Neideffer - Dig Deep Farms and Produce
Mr Pac Rucker - Dig Deep Farms and Produce
Ms Ylanda Bowden - Dig Deep Farms and Produce
Mr Reece Owens - Feeding Laramie Valley
Ms Lina Dunning - Feeding Laramie Valley
Ms Trish Penny - Feeding Laramie Valley
Mr Tony Mendoza - Feeding Laramie Valley
Dr Katharine Bradley - Food Dignity Project

Ms Gayle Woodsum - Action Resources International

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	Venue: 1 Theme: Education Session Chair: Ms MS Mathikithela	Venue: 2 Theme: Organisation development Session Chair: Dr LP Sizipa	Venue: 3 Theme: Community Session Chair: Ms Tessa Meyer	Venue: 4 Theme: Innovations Workshop / Artistic Display	Venue: 5 Theme: Education Session Chair: Mrs I Smit	Venue: 6 Theme: Education Session Chair: Dr J Shosh			
15:00 – 15:30	Youth as agents of change: a YPAR approach to making school an enabling space Ms Maite Mathikithela & Prof Lesley Wood – North-West University	Sustaining participatory action research approaches in institutional practice: learning from working with health centre committees Dr Rene Loewenson – Training & Research Support Centre Ms Therese Boulle – University of Cape Town Sr Idah Zulu & Dr Clara Mbwili Muleya – Lusaka District Health Management Team	Social determinants of child health: capturing and addressing community perspectives through a participatory action research approach Dr Frederick Marais – Western Cape Government Dr Ayesha Kadir – World Health Organization Dr Nicola Desmond – Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine	Reflection and learning with Participate: a global network on participatory practice and policy influence / Film screening: Work with us - Community-driven research inspiring change Ms Erika Lopez Franco & Ms Thea Shahrokh – Institute of Development Studies Dr Joanna Wheeler – Sustainable Livelihoods Foundation	with Participate: a global network on participatory practice and policy influence / Film screening: Work with us - Community-driven research inspiring change Ms Erika Lopez Franco & Ms Thea Shahrokh – Institute of Development Studies Dr Joanna Wheeler –	Using the Graphic Tablet Projection Technology (GTPT): improving students' learning through action research Prof Rakesh Belwal & Prof Shweta Belwal - Sohar University	Contributing to the Creation of A Worldwide Knowledge Base on Teaching by Teachers: The Moravian Action Research Project Dr Joseph Shosh - Moravian College		
15:30 – 16:00	Developing a support system for teachers in an inclusive education setting: A collaborative action research approach Mrs Reinette Koekemoer – North-West University	How Action Research and Action Learning helped me to develop a conference evaluation toolkit while developing myself Mrs Alet Bosman – Foundation for Professional Development	The Greatest Gift: Improving Couple HIV Testing Rates in two districts in South Africa Ms Tessa Meyer & Ms Ncamsile Nhlabathi – Society for Family Health		The use of ICT for teaching and learning in South African school: A Participatory action Research. Dr Leodi Tshelane - University of the Free State	Building "Restorative Relationships": An Actionable Theory of Inclusive School Practice Prof Victor Friedman - Max Stern Yezreel Valley College Dr Michal Razer - Oranim Academic College of Education			
16:00 – 16:30	Teenagers doing it for themselves: a PAR approach to the prevention of teenage pregnancy Ms Rarah Hendricks – Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University Prof Lesley Wood – North-West University	Being led to insight using Action Research principles. It's not me, it my project – a case study Mrs Renee Wentzel - Foundation for Professional Development	Confronting dissenting community voices – Experiences from community based Aboriginal researchers using PAR for research and evaluation in Northern Australia Mr Dean Ybarbuk & Mr Otto Bulmaniya Campion & Ms Hmalan Hunter-Xenie & Dr Bev Sithole – Charles Darwin University		Decoding and encoding learning towards the empowerment of lecturers and students across a university's three campuses Mrs Imelda Smit & Dr Liqhwa Siziba & Ms Kedumetse Motlhankane & Ms Matshidiso Pooe - North-West University	Creating authentic, action learning spaces: reflection, mindfulness and resiliency as tools for teacher training and personal development Dr Martyn Van der Merwe & Ms Nardia Randell - University of Johannesburg			
16:30 – 17:00	Building Healthy Communities through community-based participatory research, action and evaluation approaches – an innovative short course Dr F rederick Marais - Western Cape Government Prof Meredith Minkler - Berkeley University	Using participatory action research to identify roles and competencies of district and sub-district pharmacists in Cape Town, South Africa Dr Hazel Bradley & Prof Uta Lehmann & Prof Nadine Butler - University of the Western Cape	A Case Study on Action Learning with Problem-Based Learning in Gaming Simulation for Promoting Community Resilience Dr Yusuke Toyoda & Dr Hidehiko Kanegae & Mr Kohei Sakai - Ritsumeikan University	Decoding and encoding ICT preferences and skills levels of first year students at North-West University, Mafikeng Campus Ms Matshidiso Pooe - North-West University	A Study on the Effectiveness of Action Learning Workshop from the Perspective of "Fundamental Competencies for Working Persons" Mr Kohei Sakai & Dr Yusuke Toyoda & Dr Hidehiko Kanegae - Ritsumeikan University	Voicing Our Identities Sara Salyers - Fife College Dr Pip Bruce Ferguson - Dublin City University			
17:00 - 18:00	Reflection on Learning Theme: Education	Reflection on Learning Theme: Organisational Development	Reflection on Learning Theme: Community	Reflection on Learning Theme: Innovations					

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	DAY 3: SATURDAY, 7 NOVEMBER 2015								
08:00	Registration: Venue		,						
	Venue: Session Chair: Prof Piggot-Irvine								
08:30 - 09:30	Keynote: Prof Danny Burns - Reach								
	Venue: 1 Theme: Education Session Chair: Mr A Smart	Venue: 2 Theme: Organisational development Session Chair: Dr A Turner	Venue: 3 Education Session Chair: Dr L Wolvaardt	Venue: 4 Theme: Education Session Chair: Ms CD Rensburg	Venue: 5 Theme: Education Session Chair: Prof D Santos	Venue: 6 Theme: Organisational Development Session Chair: Mr R Waddington			
09:30 – 10:00	Improving LMS usage through scaffolded support to staff and students Mr Alastair Smart - University of the Free State	Social change through action research Dr Agnes Turner & Dr Thomas Stern – University of Klagenfurt	Supervising as living theory: tradition versus transformation Dr Liz Wolvaardt & Prof Pieter du Toit - University of Pretoria	Facilitating alumni support for a low resourced high school using Participatory Action Research methodologies (PAR) Mrs Cheryl Rensburg & Dr Laetitia Greyling - Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University	An enquiry into the significance of first-person research for the creation of knowledge to reduce suffering and enhance human flourishing Dr Joan Walton - Liverpool Hope University Ms Sonia Hutchison - University of Cumbria	Every picture tells a story: Finding hope in a toxic organisation through action research Mr Rod Waddington & Prof Lesley Wood – North- West University			
10:00 – 10:30	Facilitating successful design learning outcomes for all in first-year architecture Ms Ariane Janse van Rensburg - University of the Witwatersrand Prof Juliana Smith - University of The Western Cape	Community involvement in reducing perinatal deaths Mrs Sharon Ngomane & Ms Sharon Ramaila & Mrs Tebogo Sefufula – Foundation for Professional Development	The action research thesis and beyond: A transformative journey? Prof Annette Wilkinson - University of the Fee State	Applying a PALAR approach to develop an integrated process for facilitating sustainable holistic well-being in South African school communities Dr Ansie Kitching - North-West University	Participatory action research and educational changes: coping with the 'predictable' unpredictable actions Prof Doris Santos - Universidad Nacional de Colombia	Assessment of the effectiveness of the General Practitioners Contracting model in Tshwane Health District, South Africa Dr Nkhensani Nkhwashu & Mr Geoffrey Guloba - Foundation for Professional Develoment Dr Victor Andoseh - Consultant			
10:30 - 11:00	Refreshments: Book launch - Prof D	Danny Burns							
11:00 – 12:30	Venue: Main Theme: Innovations Workshop Are journals obsolete? Innovative writing, publishing, and kno Prof Victor Friedman – Max Stern Yo	wledge sharing in action research		Cincinnati					

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	Venue: 1 Theme: Education Workshop	Venue: 2 Theme: Organisational development Symposium	Venue: 3 Theme: Community Session Chair: Prof J Andersen	Venue: 4 Theme: Education Session Chair: Mrs A Schoonen	Venue: 5 Theme: Education Session Chair: Ms A Janse van Rensburg	Venue: 6 Theme: Education Session Chair: Dr GN Blackberry	
11:00 – 11:30	Living Theory Action Research – the answer to participatory and sustainable learning for a world in which humanity flourishes? Ms Sonia Hutchison - University of Cumbria	Facilitating an Action Learning set with colleagues Mr Barend Botha & Mrs Renee Wentzel – Foundation for Professional Development	Transforming Welfare Institutions through Action Research Prof John Andersen - Roskilde University Prof Annette Bilfeldt - Aalborg University	Using Digital Stories to make Mathematics engaging: a PAR approach Mrs Andri Schoonen & Prof Lesley Wood – North-West University	Promoting a supportive university learning environment for students with disabilities Dr Charity Ndeya-Ndereya & Dr Deirdre van Jaarsveldt - University of the Free State	Exploring social justice and socially just research in a rural education setting in a Western Cape education school district, South Africa Ms Brenda Sonn - Cape Peninsula University of Technology Prof Juliana Smith - University of The Western Cape	
11:30 – 12:00			Putting 'participatory' back in PAR: co-creating pathways with socially marginalised middle-adolescent schoolboys to constructive life choices Prof Doria Daniels & Dr Lynne Damons - Stellenbosch University	Learning through the action of research: The evaluation of a research design Mr Zamo Hlela – University of KwaZulu- Natal	Access to schooling spaces for my child with Down syndrome: an autoethnography Dr Pushpa Gramanie - Department of Education	Growing personal and professional capacity through participatory action research Dr Gina Blackberry - Australian Catholic University	
12:00 – 12:30			Community Symposium Layering knowledge through creative participatory methodological 'mash-ups': the gendered dimensions of hope and harm in urban South Africa Dr Gill Black & Dr Joanna Wheeler & Mr Nabeel Petersen - Sustainable Livelihoods Foundation	An action research investigation into student perceptions of the lecturer feedback on written assignments submitted Ms Mari Ford & Dr Willie Chinyamurindi & Mrs Linda Scheckle - University of Fort Hare	An Action Research derived Direct Instruction (DI) model and Games Concept Approach (GCA) for Handball Physical Education (PE) Lessons Mr Yew Seng Tang& Ms Charlene Kuah & Mr Faizal Mokmin & Ms Sor Yim Ang & Mr Tah Lee Chew- Dunman High School	Community Engagement: a view of non-formal education Dr Busisiwe Ndawonde - University of Venda Prof Sitwala Imenda - University of Zululand	
12:30 - 13:00				The importance of academic reading strategies for first year English Education students <i>Mr Wilfred Molotja - University of Limpopo</i>			
13:00 13:30	Main Venue Wrap up and conclusion - Mr Colin	Bradley					
13.30	Lunch: Venue –						