

Mutual learning and innovation in evidence-informed decision-making

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About
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19-21 September 2022



About EVIDENCE 2022

- **Celebrate ten years** since the establishment of the Africa Evidence Network!
- Provide an opportunity for collaboration to enhance **mutual learning** and the development of **new ideas** about supporting evidence-informed decision-making;
- Fully **virtual experiences** that facilitate real-time and offline collaboration with participants from around the world!



Moderator



**Nasreen Jessani, senior researcher,
Centre for Evidence-based Health
Care (CEBHC)**



About the webinar today

- The moderator will kick off the session with a brief overview of the objectives of the webinar series, the specific objectives for this session and a quick run-through of how the session will run.
- This webinar aims to share lessons learnt around mutual learning and innovation in evidence-informed decision-making over the last ten years.
- Introduction of panellists and setting the scene with initial comments.
- A **panel discussion**, with the moderator posing questions and facilitating a discussion initially amongst panellists, and then with the audience as well.
- **Closing: Chair-Ms Siziwe Ngcwabe**



About the webinar today

- The primary objective of this webinar is to share lessons learnt around mutual learning and innovation in evidence-informed decision-making over the last ten years.
- The secondary aim is to assess the implications of these lessons on the current evidence ecosystem in Africa.
- The tertiary objective is for these discussions to be the basis for improving the evidence ecosystem and evidence use in Africa.
- The webinar series comprises four sessions, each of which runs for 1 hour and 15 minutes. The series was launched during [Africa Evidence Week 2021](#) and is culminating in the Evidence 2022 Conference from 19-21 September 2022.
- The other webinars will link past experiences and lessons learnt to future practice in EIDM, the current EIDM trends in the African EIDM ecosystem and their implications for the future, including mutual learning and innovation in EIDM.



Panellists



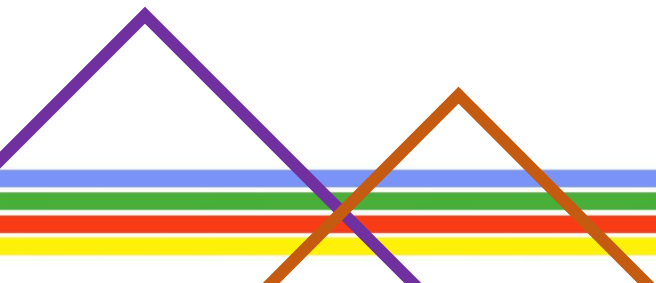
Patrick Okwen, Team lead, Effective Basic Services (eBASE) Africa



Jennifer Opare-Kumi,
Doctoral researcher,
Blavatnik School of
Government



Laurenz Mahlanza-Langer,
Executive director of
South Africa Centre for
Evidence NPC (SACE)



Closing the session

The **recording** for the webinar and a **blog** on it will be published to ensure we continue engagements asynchronous on capacity development for evidence use - via LinkedIn and EVIDENCE 2022 platform

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| What do the lessons of the past years mean for the next 10 years? | 20 September 2022 | 10:05-11:20 |
| What are the current trends for the African EIDM ecosystem and AEN for the next ten years? | 20 September 2022 | 14:40-15:55 |



Thank you!



Questions?



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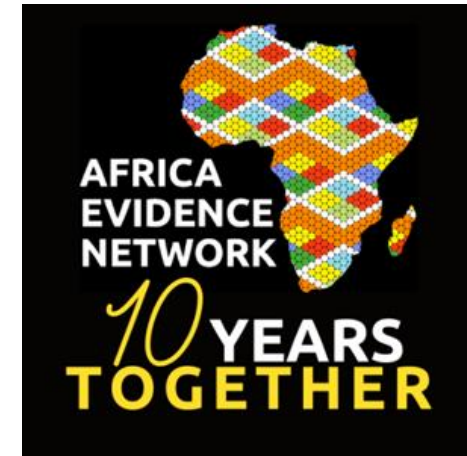


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