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FRIDAY SEMINAR SERIES

WEB-SEMINAR- 'COVID-19 and intersecting challenges of land, economy and gender inequality in South Africa.'

In response to the relentless global health crisis caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, wealthy countries are rapidly rolling out and even 'stockpiling' vast quantities of vaccine doses. Meanwhile, many poorer countries in the Global South continue to lag behind with their vaccine rollout programmes. This puts at risk millions of lives. Moreover, the social and economic impacts of the 'CO VID-19' pandemic remain fuzzy at the local level, especially among the impoverished communities in rural and urban areas.

In an attempt to address this gap, the University of Fort Hare (Department of Sociology and Anthropology), in partnership with Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung South Africa (FES-SA) warmly invites you to a webinar under the title 'COVID -19 and intersecting challenges of land, economy and gender inequality in South Africa.'

This webinar is part of the popular Fort Hare Friday Seminar Series .

Date: Friday 11 June 2021

SPEAKERS



Dr Salimah Valiani is an independent researcher of world historical political economy. She is the author of the research monograph, Rethinking Unequal Exchange: the global integration of nursing labour markets (2012), and authors' editor of The Future of Mining in South Africa: Sunset or Sunrise? (2018). She has also published on health, economy, and labour in a range of policy papers, journal articles, and popular articles. She was awarded the Feminist Economics Rhonda Williams Prize in 2012 – an award recognising feminist scholarship and activism in the spirit of the African American economist and advocate, Rhonda Williams.

Moderator: Nolundi Luwaya (UCT)

Time: 12:h00 - 14:h00



Constance Galeo Mogale is an experienced land activist who has played leading roles in several campaigns and initiatives aiming to promote social justice and antiracism in Southern Africa.

She currently coordinates the Alliance for Rural Democracy (ARD,) a loose network of organisations campaigning for land rights and livelihoods in South Africa. She is a SARChI MPhil candidate at the University of Western Cape and a senior fellow of the Atlantic Fellows for Racial Equity (AFRE), an Atlantic fellowship programme which is a partnership of Nelson Mandela Foundation in South Africa and Columbia University in the USA.

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