## January 2024: Cape Town



### January 2024: Series of Events in Cape Town

- AFAM: Incubator for teaching-related research: Developing project ideas on management education in Africa
  - April Wright, Sandra Pereira, Sarel Gronum
- AFAM: Practice-based Approaches for the Study of African Organizational Phenomena
  - Stephanie Ewuzie, Rebecca Namatovu, Eivor Oborn, Mira Slavova, April Wright
- AFAM: Decolonizing the use of practice-based methods in African Settings
  - Anca Metiu, Marcellus Mbah, Louis Botha, Judy Muthuri, Ekene Okwechime, Eivor Oborn
- North-South Dialogue on Practice-Based Approaches to Management Studies in Africa
  - All day event on 11 Jan 2024 at Durbanville Hills, Cape Town







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## North-South Dialogue on Practice-Based Approaches to Management Studies in Africa







Time	Activity	Person
08.30- 9.00	Welcome and Opening remarks	
09.00- 09.40	Introducing practice theory	Michael Barrett, Cambridge Business School
09.40- 10.20	Introducing process studies	Eivor Oborn, WBS April Wright, WBS
10.40- 12.00	Ethnography, decoloniality and working with Lusophone Africa	Jess Auerbach, UCT
	Strategy & Management as-Practice in Morocco mixing ethnography and historical archives	Laurent Béduneau-Wang, Africa Business School
	Studying and Teaching Strategy-As-Practice in South Africa	Nobulali Dangazele, GIBS
13.00- 13.50	The Practice of South-North Dialogue on Practice	Ralph Hamann, UCT
	Challenges and Opportunities for Practice-Based Studies in Africa – discussion	Stephanie Ewuzie, WBS Rebecca Namatovu, Copenhagen Business School Mira Slavova, WBS
14. 00 – 15.30	Workshop	<ul> <li>Interest groups:</li> <li>Strategy As Practice</li> <li>Entrepreneurship</li> <li>Innovation</li> <li>Sustainability</li> <li>Organisations (org change, leadership, diversity and equality, gender)</li> </ul>
16.00- 16.30	Closing of the Day: What are your pledges?	

#### **Follow-up Actions**





- Strengthening partnership with Stellenbosch Business School
- Warwick- Stellenbosch Collaboration Seed Fund Launched, 31 Jan 2024
- Capacity Development in Qualitative Research
  - AFAM Webinar with Ann Langley, TBA
  - How do we make WBS learning resources available?
- Network for Practice-Based Approaches to Management Studies in Africa
  - Apply for seed funding from the Warwick-Stellenbosch fund
- Special Issue of JME on management education in Africa
  - · Huge response, decolonising publishing
  - 3 editors from WBS, 1 editor from SBS
  - Possible paper development workshop, Warwick-Stellenbosch fund
- AoM Symposium: Practice-based Sensitivity for the Study of Management Phenomena in Africa