



Building Forensic Anthropology Capacity in Africa (*and beyond*)

FREE FORENSIC ANTHROPOLOGY ONLINE LECTURE SERIES

Following the success of our free Forensic Anthropology online lecture series for African Forensic Pathologists/Practitioners, the Human Variation and Identification Research Unit (HVIRU), Department of Anatomical Sciences, School of Biomedical Sciences, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of the Witwatersrand (South Africa), cordially invites forensic scientists, forensic pathologists/practitioners and students to a series of free forensic anthropology online lectures. Join our dynamic series of expert-led lectures designed to empower forensic specialists and students during skeletal analysis. Whether you're an experienced practitioner or new to the field of forensic anthropology, this series will enhance your expertise and connect you with voices in the field of forensic anthropology. Don't miss this essential opportunity to advance your forensic anthropology skills and practice.

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Topics related to:

- Estimation of biological profile
- Factors of individualization
- Dry bone taphonomy
- Skeletal pathology
- Skeletal trauma



Registration deadline:
30 September 2026

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Live Online Teams



Biweekly (Tuesdays & Thursdays) from 6 October to 3 December 2026



16:00 – ± 18:00 (GMT+2)
South African Standard Time

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