



COVID-19 Across Africa - Combating the Impact of Emerging Variants of SARS-CoV-2

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18 November 2021, 8AM-9AM GMT

Session Programme

Presenter & Affiliation	Title
Damien Magnee (Chair) Senior Product Manager, Thermo Fisher Scientific	Introduction & Welcome
Barend J.v.Vuuren Product Specialist Manager, Thermo Fisher Scientific	Global Health Equity Programme Overview
Dr. Alex Alexandre Head of the CSIR Diagnostic Laboratory & Acting Research Group for Array Tech	Use of COVID-19 screening to prevent the spread of the virus (CSIR journey toward establishing a COVID-19 diagnostic laboratory)
Kathleen Subramoney Medical Scientist, NHLS Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Academic Hospital	Real-time PCR-based genotyping of SARS-CoV-2 to identify variants of concern, Johannesburg, South Africa, 2021
Panel Discussants <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Damien Magnee • Baren J.v Vuuren • Dr. Alex Alexandre • Kathleen Subramoney 	Live Panel Discussion/Q&A