Dear Colleagues,

We are thrilled to introduce our newly established Community of Practice (CoP) on Institutional Quality Management, an initiative by the Southern African Regional Universities Association (SARUA).

About the community of practice

The CoP, soon to be launched on Slack, is designed as a collaborative platform for higher education professionals. It aims to share knowledge, experiences, and best practices in quality management, enhancing expertise and promoting excellence across Southern African universities. This inclusive community offers valuable resources and networking opportunities for both seasoned professionals and newcomers in the field.

Exclusive Webinars: A learning opportunity not to miss

As part of our commitment to provide continuous learning opportunities, we are excited to announce two upcoming webinars:

• Benchmarking in Higher Education (27 March 2024): Learn about the latest trends and techniques in benchmarking and discover how you can use these to drive continuous improvement and competitiveness in your institution.
• Quality Assurance in Research (26 June 2024): This webinar will delve into the principles, guidelines and best practices of quality assurance in research, offering valuable insights to enhance the credibility and impact of your institution’s research output.

Monthly Newsletters: Your knowledge digest

As a CoP member, you’ll receive our monthly newsletter, your go-to source for the latest trends, best practices, and insights in quality assurance. Expect a blend of expert articles, success stories, and practical tips to apply in your institution.

Why join SARUA’s CoP?

• Engage with a network of professionals and experts passionate about quality in higher education.
• Access a variety of resources and participate in discussions that resonate with your professional interests.
• Be the first to know about our upcoming events, including webinars and workshops.
• Participate in webinars and share knowledge and experience that will enhance quality in higher education.

Join us today

We invite you to become an active participant in our CoP, contribute to our discussions, and take advantage of the resources and learning opportunities we offer. Together, we can shape the future of quality management in higher education in Southern Africa.

To express your interest in joining the CoP and to stay updated on the upcoming webinars, please CLICK HERE.

We look forward to welcoming you to our community!

P.S. Don’t forget to share this invitation with your colleagues who might also be interested in joining our CoP. The more diverse our community, the richer the learning experience for all!

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