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SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES AND RESEARCH


List of Graduate Research Seminars for the Academic Year 2025-2026



Wednesdays from 7:00 to 9:00 PM





No.	Training Topics	Dates	Facilitators	Photographs of the Facilitators	Recordings
1.	Becoming a Researcher: Identity, Voice, and Scholarly Purpose	October 29 , 2025	Professor Paulette Bynoe		https://zoom.us/rec/share/CFzvTets_R10CLPGf27wXXbLG_eFMaJTiwNkfGBEvKBgAuCfl5Wrun_ncB1ZtQWgjol.Jyn3P9gYTqig1lBd
2.	The Legacy of Positivism in Contemporary Research:	November 5, 2025	Dr Dianna Da Silva-		https://zoom.us/rec/share/ZmS5r2YUfyY61iclOftYSRwYi4OMoHth2

	Value or Constraint?		Glasgow		J3p92uNlnJZ4VnGkt21jloyy7gE_s4yl.yRUeTFNydI7Rn5Hk
3.	Constructivist Epistemology and the Challenge of Research Objectivity	November 26, 2025	Dr Paulette Henry		https://zoom.us/rec/share/DhO_5XRVmaOIhP_MYmakUoNqea9YuvQzG1q3lApFdJgqtOMcZQoPK-nlQ9n2Sdfk.sjEELHAdAsGNxS10
4.	Paradigm Wars and Methodological Pluralism: Is Integration Possible?	January 28, 2026	Dr. Troy Thomas		https://zoom.us/rec/share/4V5aXNY6WaWB5ztl4RrNUHByscwYMUvVHqsZXMp5e6HYSyl2NMSpdA_hsPS16M4G.oNmttQnxWTH7kyJg

5.	From Broad Interest to Focused Inquiry: Strategies for Choosing a Research Topic	February 11, 2026	Dr Davon Van-Veen		https://zoom.us/rec/share/2PwCXqG12qbObl47AgEuUYZVygyjJRL5dgUu9fPogpm-glibbwG5ha-asvW9gqOK.uNK9moV2v29007UD
6.	The Research Problem: Foundation of Inquiry Problem Statement vs. Research Questions: What's the Real Difference?	February 25, 2026	Professor Paulette Bynoe		https://zoom.us/rec/share/V6cLntvDHedwrk1_xUY10bqatSwjXX2ZU6TnEeOzhN_ItvSLqEZ3msYi4VyjS9Fs.3TKXWht2GuoJ6BOL

7.	The Literature Review as a Critical Act	March 11, 2026	Professor Judith Rosales		https://zoom.us/rec/share/4tiLStphncokeKsJWITT2vaXzusqnaWMWAQH0190iH3GuWukJELKq9ilo-ga7QV.TouguvbLZ43ieZO
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8.	Statistics Involved in Characterising Individuals, Population and Communities	March 25, 2026	Dr Elroy Charles and Dr. Jewel Todd	 	https://zoom.us/rec/share/KAYazM7A5s4Ag6eRXB6grVfW7sC4DH7lbljQ8vd-DU_aV_wTDGEOQLynykk2rcHU2.M_kcZxGAKHNeNQkx
9.	Matching Research Questions to Research Designs	April 15, 2026	Professor Temitope Oyedotun		https://zoom.us/rec/share/kJbld4tDrIUvfWNoBo69pmlG7wM6CCxyjnCxUbERTIbVf7nsSrsnn2tJlfpfZosg._GMAFyPu8t6j29Wc
10.	Sampling in Qualitative vs. Quantitative Research: Purpose, Logic, and Legitimacy	April 29, 2026	Dr Troy Thomas		https://zoom.us/rec/share/zLNY3tokwHVhiXX47QLyNZFukQp6RgAJdD_zg8rHH2cyGhtUdNdsAC67h7uAF4P.BzAJtg4K3k4y1_Vz

11.	Quantitative Data Analysis: Assumptions, Limitations, and Misinterpretations	May 13, 2026	Dr. Donna Morrison		https://zoom.us/rec/share/oe_PdhrJqbzKWLfQEMKyHvfZVo_t8kBgKr7jcScDevRcdkwYEPinWb23Eunren26.VQfLw39tgP2PJLBt
12.	Qualitative Data Analysis: Coding, Meaning-Making, and Philosophical Anchors	June 3, 2026	Dr Charlene Goberdhan		https://zoom.us/rec/share/IUuoQ_I-sb7kpGTW6U_WtQdyzLUCmN4C4z6UVrE9lfy_z6G1HynamXARoRAzOjS4x.y58XowzYIVbXfukk
13.	Writing a Research Proposal: More Than a Blueprint	June 17, 2026	Dr. Mohamed Ansari		https://zoom.us/rec/share/4ur34cPfPf8i2pSkm2Yu6vEyKkXW7XozUXVJ7DARcCpJX-RWNpgxdEuEOWGc_nKg.YKoUtRlejWvnrKm
14.	Crafting an Effective Abstract: Communicating the Essence of Research	June 24, 2026	Professor Abdullah Ansari		https://zoom.us/rec/share/hqXMqEK4vnQ_8OeJZOOoIMTolw5B1-2c89awMSXPmx4D_FUOYaxOkJvM8xhR3xiV.lwhAdQhhc_NxXsZo

Notes:

- Duration of Presentation: Not exceeding 90 minutes
- Q & A Session: 30 minutes
- Each Seminar should be as engaging as possible.