

# RHODES UNIVERSITY, MAKHANDA, SOUTH AFRICA

### STUDENT INFORMATION



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### **EDUCATION DETAILS:**

BSc Honours (Chemistry) currently – Rhodes University, Makhanda, Grahamstown BSc (Chemistry and Geology) 2022 – Rhodes University, Makhanda, Grahamstown

## **RESEARCH TITLE/PROJECT:**

Evaluation of photodynamic activity of meso-aryl (4-bromo-thien-2ryl) - substituted photosensitizer dyes and their gold nanoparticle conjugates in dual modalits of photodynamic therapy (PDT) and PACT

### **CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS:**

DSI/Mintek Nanotechnology Innovation Centre (NIC) Annual Workshop South African Medical Research Council (MRC), 11-12 October 2023

**Poster Presentation** 

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4-Bromo-thien-2-yl-substituted porphyrin, chlorin and bacteriochlorin photosensitizer dyes and their gold nanoparticle conjugates for photodynamic antimicrobial chemotherapy