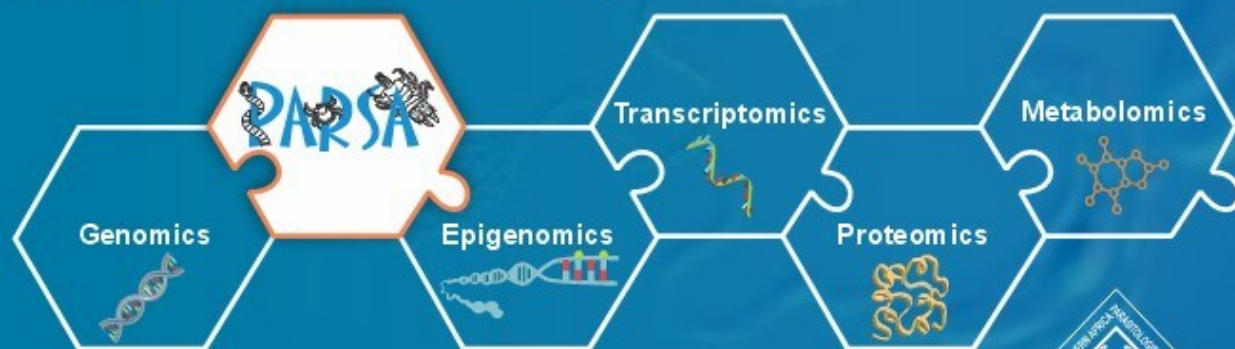


# PARSA2026

## 54<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Exploring Parasites in the Era of OMICS:  
From Data to Discovery



30 August - 02 September 2026  
ATKV Klein-Kariba, Bela-Bela

The Parasitological Society of Southern Africa kindly invites you to  
their 54<sup>th</sup> annual congress, scheduled for  
30 August - 02 September 2026, at ATKV Klein-Kariba, Bela-Bela

### IMPORTANT DATES

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| 11 February 2026 | Abstract submissions open               |
| 11 February 2026 | Early registration opens                |
| 02 April 2026    | Abstract submissions close              |
| 30 April 2026    | Abstract acceptance notices             |
| 12 June 2026     | Early Registration & Payment Deadline*  |
| 12 June 2026     | Accommodation Payment Deadline          |
| 11 August 2026   | Regular Registration & Payment Deadline |

*\*If Purchase Orders from academic institutions or organizations are received by this date, the Early Registration Fee will be honoured until payment can be made.*

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ABSTRACT

### CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

PARSA will be accepting abstracts for presentations under two categories: Oral or Poster.

- Maximum number of words in abstract is 350.
- Oral presentations will be allocated 10 minutes plus 5 minutes for discussion and should clearly outline the objectives of the study, and the results/findings.
- Poster sessions form an integral part of the conference, and posters will be displayed on poster boards for the duration of the conference. Delegates are responsible for the production of their posters as well as to stand at their posters during tea breaks. Posters must be A1 and portrait.
- Please ensure that the email addresses as submitted are correct as these addresses will be used in all correspondence and acceptance notifications.
- Late submissions will not be considered.

FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT: PARSA2026

## Sunday, 30 August

15h00 - Registration Opens  
15h00 - Poster setup  
17h30 - Drinks & Networking

## Monday, 31 August

08h00 - Registration  
08h30 - Welcome & Opening  
08h45 - Keynote Presentation  
09h15 - Abstract Sessions  
10h00 - Mid-morning refreshments  
10h30 - Abstract Sessions  
11h55 - Poster Session 1  
12h25 - Lunch  
13h30 - Abstract Sessions  
15h00 - Mid-afternoon refreshments  
15h30 - Abstract Sessions  
17h00 - PARSA AGM  
18h30 - Free Evening

## Tuesday, 01 September

08h30 - Registration  
08h45 - Keynote Presentation  
09h15 - Abstract Sessions  
10h00 - Mid-morning refreshments  
10h30 - Abstract Sessions  
11h55 - Poster Session 2  
12h25 - Lunch  
13h30 - Abstract Sessions  
15h00 - Mid-afternoon refreshments  
15h30 - Abstract Sessions  
17h00 - Close of Conference  
19h00 - Conference Dinner & Awards

**DEPARTURE ON 02 SEPTEMBER**

## REGISTRATION DETAILS

| Registration Category<br><i>Fees include conference bag, abstract book, access to all sessions, refreshments, lunches and welcome reception</i> | Payment by<br>12 June 2026 | Payment by<br>11 August 2026 |
|---|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| PARSA Member FULL   | R5,000.00                  | R5,500.00                    |
| PARSA Member DAY  | R2,500.00                  | R2,750.00                    |
| Non-Member FULL   | R6,000.00                  | R6,500.00                    |
| Non-Member DAY  | R3,000.00                  | R3,250.00                    |
| Student Member FULL   | R3,500.00                  | R4,500.00                    |
| Student Member DAY  | R2,000.00                  | R2,250.00                    |
| Student Non-Member FULL   | R5,000.00                  | R5,500.00                    |
| Student Non-Member DAY  | R2,500.00                  | R2,750.00                    |
| Accompanying Person FULL (access to refreshments & lunches)   | R1,850.00                  | R1,850.00                    |
| Welcome Reception – accompanying persons only   | R300.00                    | R300.00                      |
| Social Dinner – all delegates   | R500.00                    | R500.00                      |
| PARSA Socks   | R100.00                    | R100.00                      |
| Accommodation – Single Room per night, per person*  | R1,045.00                  | R1,055.00                    |
| Accommodation – Sharing Room per night, per night*  | R755.00                    | R755.00                      |
| Breakfast – Per day   | R180.00                    | R180.00                      |
| Dinner (Monday 31 August) - includes 1 x soft drink   | R420.00                    | R420.00                      |

## \* ACCOMMODATION – ATKV KLEIN-KARIBA

- Please note we have limited units and only the A 4-Bed Flat and B 4-Bed Flats are available for single accommodation.
- No other units can be booked as single accommodation.
- Accommodation can be booked on the registration system and will only be confirmed once payment for accommodation has been received.

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