

RESTORE KALAHARI

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CASE STUDY SUBMISSION

Case studies are compelling stories about rehabilitation projects based on real-world experiences. It is the stories that really count and the examples that set the precedent for challenges and successes for others to learn from.

Accepted submissions record the history of and innovation of rehabilitation outside of the scope of traditional archival research papers.

Your case study should describe how the problem was determined, addressed by the work, explain how the work was done, describe challenges experienced, if and how they were addressed, and reflect on the experience.

The insights provided by a case study will enable all of us in the Southern Kalahari to improve our practice, potentially seed further research into practice and overall enhance our understanding of how to improve rehabilitation.

We believe case studies can also inspire industry and researchers further to investigate issues that arise from practical research and design work. We believe there are both duplication and know-how gaps amongst companies implementing rehabilitation in the Southern Kalahari which prevent us from having greater success. Case studies are important tools to reduce duplication of trials or designs that may not be successful and closing the know-how gaps to improve our current strategy.

We encourage, but do not require, that submissions be made according to the below format. We also encourage submission of case studies that did not turn out so well.

Case studies can illustrate, explore, report, analyse, summarise, challenge, or simply describe what you experienced.

Format: Abstract with oral talk, PowerPoint Presentation, video clip or poster.

Presentation time: 20 minutes maximum

Language: English or Afrikaans (must be able to answer English questions)

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AUTHOR:

CONTRIBUTORS:

SITE NAME:

SITE LOCATION: District and Local Municipality, farm name and coordinates

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Acknowledgements

Thanks

References

Contact details
