



# The 2<sup>nd</sup> MUHAS University-wide Research Dissemination Symposium



**Theme:** *The Role of MUHAS Research Towards Elimination of Malaria in Tanzania*

**Date:** Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2019

**Time:** 12:00 noon - 03:00pm

**Venue:** Lecture Theatre 5



Efforts and investment made have resulted into significant gains in the quest to end deaths resulting from Malaria in Tanzania. However, there are still challenges with regards to eliminating Malaria in the country. Such challenges require evidence-based interventions and innovations in the renewed efforts. Therefore, research and training institutions have a greater role to play. Muhimbili University of Health and Allied Sciences (MUHAS) being one of such institutions, has a responsibility to lead others into this endeavor.

For this purpose, the Deputy Vice Chancellor responsible for academic, research and consultancy at MUHAS invites researchers and students from MUHAS and other Universities; Ministry responsible for health; United Nation organizations; Implementing partners; Funding agencies; National Malaria Control Program; local and International Organizations; and Practitioners from Public and Private hospitals in Tanzania to this symposium on Elimination of Malaria in Tanzania.

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- Speakers:**
1. Prof. Lucio Luzatto: [Genetic factors for susceptibility to malaria](#)
  2. Prof. Appolinary Kamuhabwa: [Challenges and Opportunities for Prevention and Treatment of Malaria in Pregnancy](#)
  3. Dr. Billy Ngassala: [Transmission of asymptomatic malaria, Drug resistance, and novel diagnostics in Tanzania](#)
  4. Prof. Omary Minzi: [Optimization of therapeutic factors in the control and elimination of malaria](#)
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**Discussants:** Key government officials and senior officers from MOHCDGEC, NMCP implementing partners, and Academia.

This symposium will open an implementation research platform where scientists, policy makers and implementers meet and share ideas worth spreading and changing lives of Tanzanians.

A compendium of all abstracts from published and ongoing research in Malaria and Policy briefs will be disseminated to all participants

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