

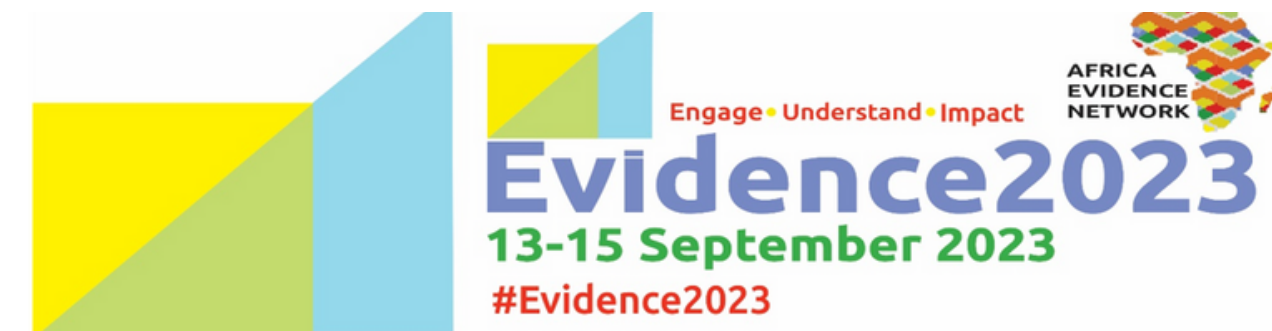
# EVIDENCE CAPACITIES

## webinar series

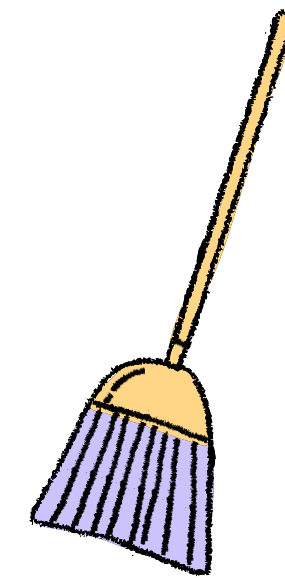


# Innovations in EIDM Capacity Development: implications for various stakeholders in Africa

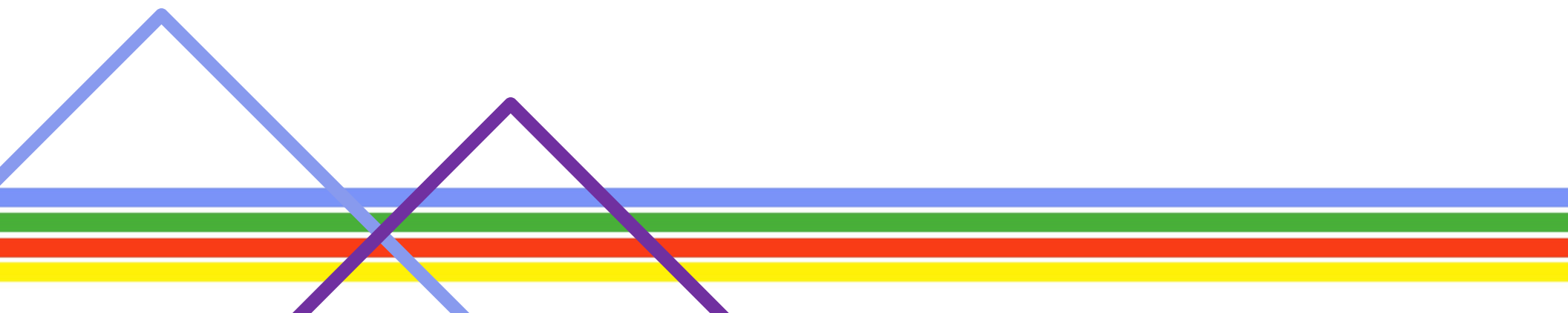
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**Time: 14:00-15:15 SAST**



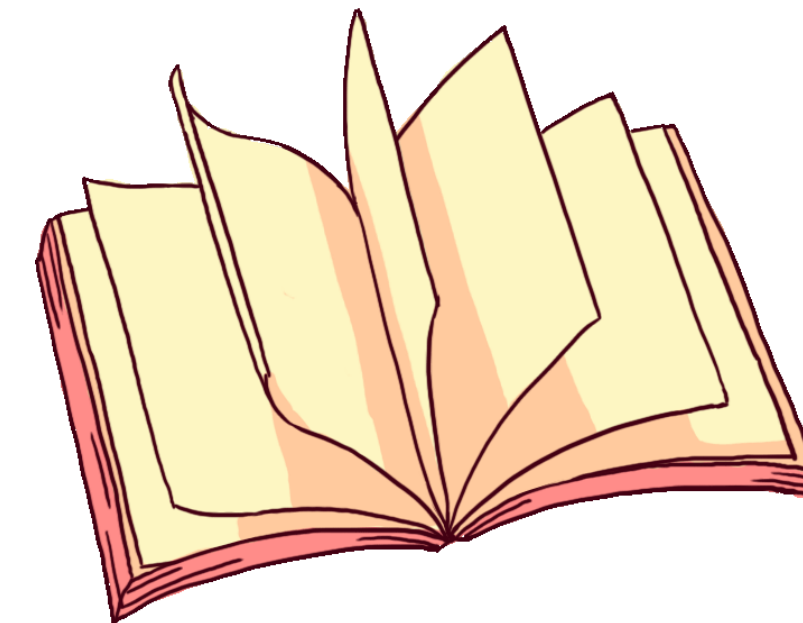
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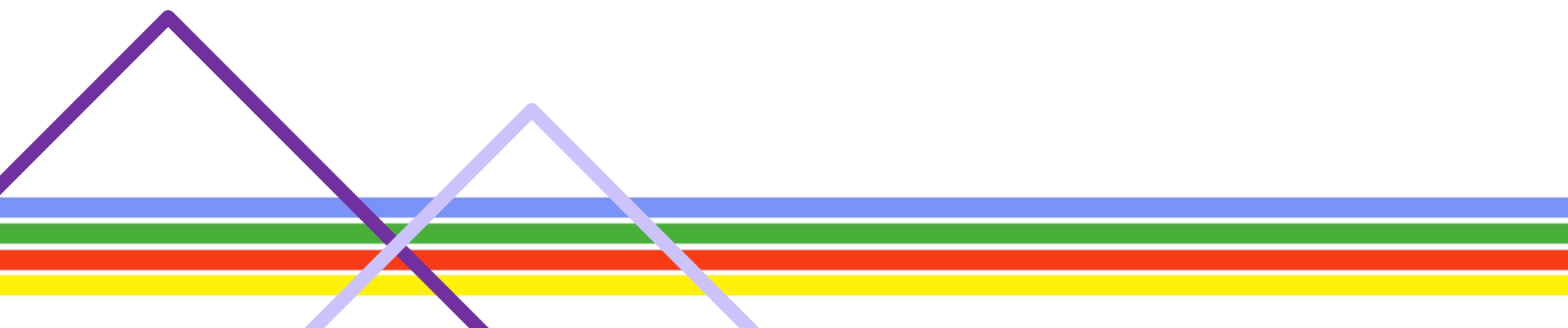
- We invite you to **participate** as much possible!
- The session will be **recorded**.
- We have **cameras off** to save bandwidth for us on slow connections.
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- In case of technical problems, please write to **Charity Chisoro** in the chat box.
- Engage with us on the **chat box** during the webinar. **Charity Chisoro** will manage all your inputs and questions.



# About the Manifesto



- **Drafted** by the working group.
- **Output** of EVIDENCE2020 Online.
- **Declaration** by all from Africa's evidence ecosystem about the kind of capacity development we practice.
- **African-led approach** to enhancing capacities for EIDM in Africa.
- **Serves as a resource** and inspiration to the evidence ecosystem in the continent.
- **Challenge mainstream views** on capacity-building for EIDM in Africa.
- Read it at: <https://africaevidencenetwork.org/en/learning-space/file/189/>



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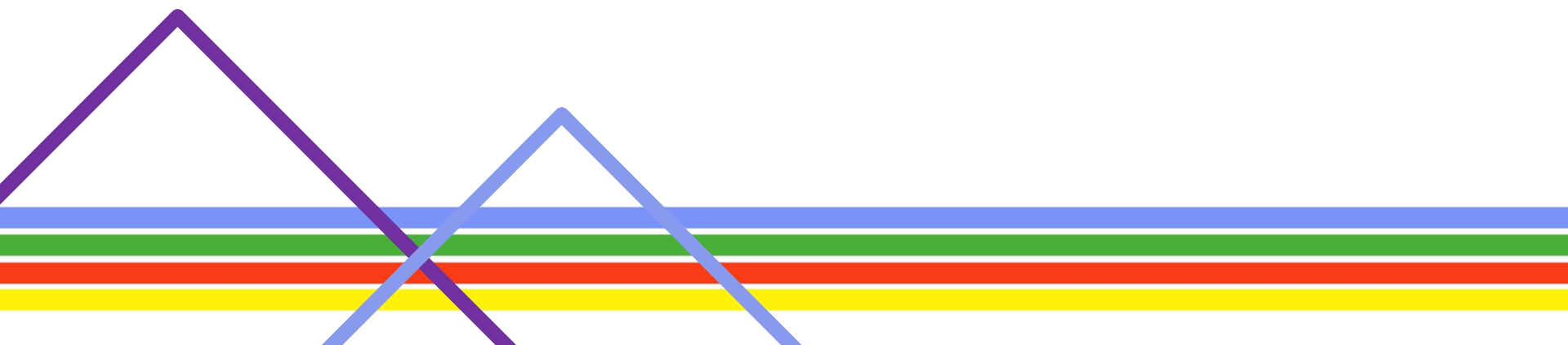
The **Evidence 2023 Capacities webinar series** aims to:

- create a platform for sharing experiences and ideas to enhance capacity for evidence use in Africa,
- generate ideas for wider ecosystem strengthening efforts, and
- improve and illustrate the AEN's Manifesto on capacity development for evidence use in Africa.



# About the webinar today

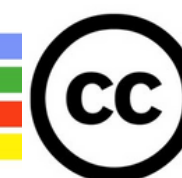
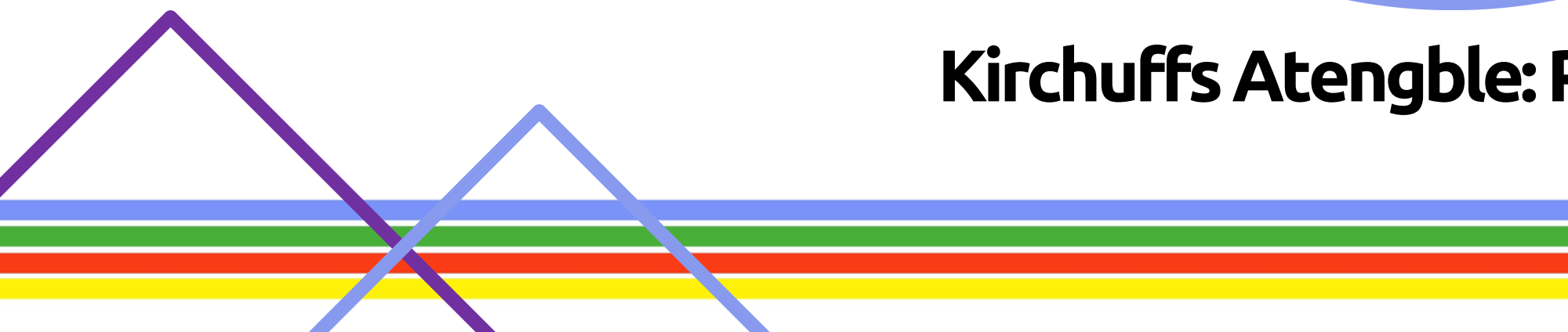
- The moderator will kick off the session with a brief overview of the objectives of the webinar series, the specific objectives for this session and a quick run-through of how the session will run.
- The **objective of this session is** to understand implications of the innovative approaches used by different practitioners for Evidence-Informed Decision-Making (EIDM) capacity development in Africa.
- Introduction of panellists and setting the scene with initial comments.
- A panel discussion, with the moderator posing questions and facilitating a discussion initially amongst panellists, and then with the audience as well.
- Closing: Chair



# Moderator



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# Panellists



**Chris Chibwana, Hewlett Foundation**



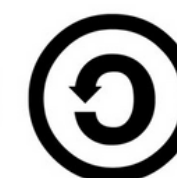
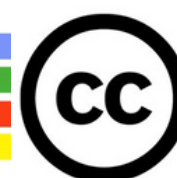
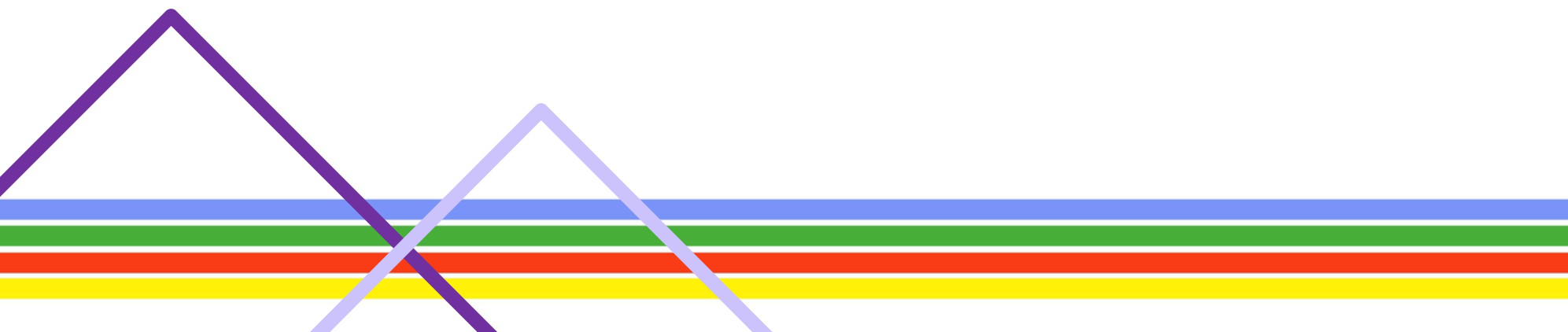
**Elizabeth Aliro, EPRC**



**Mohammed Awa, CDD**



**Roberta Blankson, ICED**



# Intermediaries

ecosystem governance

funding

reproducing

quality  
assurance

gate-keeping

commercialisation

capacity development

## Producers

- Researchers & labs
- Academics
- Think tanks
- CSOs and NGOs
- Government agencies
- International Orgs

## Users

- Central government
- Local government
- Civil Society
- Practitioners
- Industry
- Citizens

# Closing the session

The **recording** for the webinar and a **blog** on this webinar will be published to ensure we continue engagements asynchronous on capacity development for evidence use - via LinkedIn

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## JOIN US FOR THE NEXT WEBINAR

### Capacity development for EIDM in Africa: innovations in targeting structural and value issues within ecosystems

Date: Wednesday 28 June 2023

Time: 14h00-15h15 SAST



# Thank you!



Questions?



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