



RMC-2024 **Research Methodology Conference**

Advancing Research Methods and Methodologies:
Connecting Technology, Tradition, and Inclusivity Across Disciplines
Towards the Future

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Venue : Online

09:30 – 09:20	Welcome speech & Introduction
09:20 – 10:20	KEYNOTE

Methods for studying methods: Using discourse analysis to explore the research process

Prof Stephen Gibson

Bicentennial Chair in Research Methods Director of Doctoral Programmes Heriot-Watt University School of Social Sciences

10:30-11:50	Session 1
12:05-13:25	Session 2
13:40-15:00	Session 3
15:15-16:35	Session 4
16:35-16:50	Closing Remarks

A1 10:30 - 11:50 Session 1

- 1. Experiential journey: navigating digital health technology with a different lens Sharifah Rose Ee - Monash University Malaysia, Malaysia
- 2. Walkthrough method: how digital sociology could understand everyday life Xinyi Zhu - University of Manchester, United Kingdom
- 3. Language learning models as intervention tools to support low-level EFL university students: a qualitative study of chatGPT within a task-based learning framework

Azzam Alobaid - Cihan University, Iraq

Suhair Al-Faris - Cihan University, Iraq

Israa Azeez - Cihan University, Iraq

4. How can basic income act as a trigger for self-organising a new resilient system of digital technology and health?

Mu-Jeong Kho - University College London, United Kingdom

A2 12:05 - 13:25 Session 2

1. Positionality within non-participatory qualitative research methodologies and the relationship between author and reader

Catherine Wilkinson - Northumbria University, United Kingdom

2. Improving the reliability and validity of eyewitness memory research using virtual reality technology

Andrew Green - University of Bedfordshire, United Kingdom

3. Exploring futures through methodology: participatory speculative design in shaping connected place

Nuri Kwon - ImaginationLancaster, Lancaster University, United Kingdom

A3 13:40 - 15:00 Session 3

 Affective material connections and environmental ethics: transgender and gender diverse resistance to the culture of discarding

Kayden Schumacher - Coventry University, United Kingdom

2. Predicting solar energy generation with machine learning based on AQI and weather features

Arjun Shah - Dwarkadas J Sanghvi College of Engineering, India

Varun Viswanath - Dwarkadas J Sanghvi College of Engineering, India

Kashish Gandhi - Dwarkadas J Sanghvi College of Engineering, India

Nilesh Patil - Dwarkadas J Sanghvi College of Engineering, India

A3 13:40 - 15:00 Session 3 (cont'd)

3. Developing a collaborative tool to foster communication and understanding in sustainability research

Nina Hunter - Munster Technological University, Ireland

Noëlle-Laetitia Perret - Institut Arthur Piaget (IAP), Switzerland

Martin Klepal - Munster Technological University, Ireland

4. Improving the quality of small urban wind turbines in urban scenarios: a review of scientific literature and technological solutions

Leire Bereziartua Gonzalez - Deusto University, Spain

Aiur Retegi Uria - Deusto University, Spain

Olatz Ukar Arrien - Deusto University, Spain

A4 15:15 - 16:35 Session 4

1. Sexism and 'sexiness' in Victoria's Secret and agent provocateur: a case study research of the lingerie industry amid burgeoning societal emphasis on equality, diversity and inclusiveness

Sumei Karen Tan - University of Southampton, United Kingdom

Fatima Zahra Ahmed Sid - University of Southampton, United Kingdom

2. Creating a library environment for teenagers in Denmark: exploration in inclusive and participatory design methods

Asa Jackson - Design School Kolding, Denmark

3. Passion-driven statistics

Kristin Flaming - Wesleyan University, United States of America

Lisa Dierker - Wesleyan University, United States of America

4. The use of a critical realist intersectional approach informed by human computer interaction (HCI) methods to reveal racialised exclusions from digital healthcare services

Farjana Islam - Heriot-Watt University, United Kingdom

Gina Netto - Heriot-Watt University, United Kingdom