GLOBAL MENTAL HEALTH CONFERENCE PROGRAMME
7 JULY 2021

RESILIENT FUTURES: HIDDEN NARRATIVES IN GLOBAL MENTAL HEALTH

10:00 WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS
Akerke Makhmud

10:05 KEYNOTE #1. DR FATIMA AKILU
Interviewed by Professor Melanie Abas

10:30 PANEL: IS GLOBAL MENTAL HEALTH TRULY GLOBAL?
Speakers: Dr Julia Rozanova, Dr Abhijit Nadkarni, Dr Georgina Miguel Esponda, Dr Dixon Chibanda.
Chair: Professor Sir Graham Thornicroft

BREAK (15 MINS)

11:45 INNOVATION SHOWCASE
Speakers: Dr Kethakie Lamahewa, Professor Crick Lund, Dr Victor Ugo.
Chair: Dr Ritz Kakuma

12:30 KEYNOTE #2: PROFESSOR RICARDO ARAYA

13:00 LUNCH (45 MINS)
13:45 PAPER DISCUSSIONS
14:20 Speakers: Dr Petra Gronholm, Susan Mathew, Fentie Getahun, Clement Nhunzvi.
Chair: Dr Barbara Barrett

14:20 SESSION A: KNOWLEDGE AND POWER IN GLOBAL MENTAL HEALTH.
15:05 Speakers: Dr Ayesha Ahmad, Dr Annahita Ehsan, Ember Mental Health representative.
Chair: Sohail Jannesari

SESSION B: HIDDEN NARRATIVES, INCLUSION AND EQUITY
Speakers: Srishti Sardana, Sam Swidzinski, Lizzi McGuinness, Dr Juliana Onwumere.
Chair: Dr Dixon Chibanda

BREAK (15 MINS)

15:20 NETWORKING AND DISCUSSION
15:50 Led by Professor Melanie Abas

15:50 CLOSING REMARKS
16:00 Professor Sir Graham Thornicroft and Dr Ritz Kakuma