



Annual Scientific Meeting 2026 – draft agenda

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On **Monday 2 November**, the GACD team will host an informal social evening (~5:30 to 7:30 PM) at a local pub for those arriving early. This is entirely optional, but everyone is welcome 😊

TUESDAY 3 NOVEMBER	WEDNESDAY 4 NOVEMBER	THURSDAY 5 NOVEMBER
From 10:00 AM Registration and refreshments 10:30–11:15 AM 1. Formal opening and orientation 11:15 AM–12:30 PM 2. Integrating NCDs into primary healthcare 12:30–2:00 PM Lunch 2:00–2:30 PM 3. Real-world results spotlight: The NASS Study 2:30–3:30 PM 4. Early-career researcher showcase 3:30–4:00 PM Refreshment break From 4:00 PM 5. Knowledge sharing forum Followed by the Welcome reception 4:00–6:00 PM Open collaboration space available – <i>optional, to use as wished</i>	8:00–11:00 AM Open collaboration space available – <i>optional, to use as wished</i> 9:15–10:00 AM 6. Meet the funders 10:00–10:30 AM 7. Real-world results spotlight: The IMPRESS Trial 10:30–11:00 Refreshment break 11:00 AM–12:30 PM 8. Navigating the research to policy pathway 12:30–2:00 PM Lunch 2:00–3:00 PM 9. Research Programme workshops 3:00–3:30 PM Refreshment break 3:30–4:30 PM Research Programme workshops continued ~ From 6:30 PM 10. Film Festival reception and Finalists' showcase Followed by the Gala dinner	8:00–9:00 AM Open collaboration space available – <i>optional, to use as wished</i> 9:15–10:45 AM 11. Real-world results spotlights: SISTAQUIT and INTE-AFRICA 10:45–11:15 AM Refreshment break 11:15 AM–12:30 PM 12. The future of implementation research 12:30–2:00 PM Lunch 2:00–3:00 PM 13. Connecting the dots 3:00–3:30 PM 14. Prize giving and formal close Until ~5:00 PM Open collaboration space available – <i>optional, to use as wished</i> ~ From ~5:30 PM Post-ASM social <i>Entirely optional, everyone welcome</i>