

HSRC Board Statements of Intent on the 2024 Institutional Review Recommendations



Research-based knowledge production and use

Statements of Intent





- The HSRC will continue pursuing Scientific Excellence through the production of high-quality research output, to be measured through appropriate indicators
- The HSRC will continually assess its impact measurement processes and respond accordingly
- HSRC researchers will have access to all HSRC datasets
- The HSRC supports the principles of Open Access


Transformed research capabilities

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 The HSRC will continue pursuing Employment Equity targets that are aligned with national legislation, and that contribute, strategically, to transformed research capabilities and national capacity building

 The HSRC will continually pursue the optimum research : admin staff ratio

 The HSRC will employ retention strategies that are aligned with global best practices to assist it in its objective of being an employer of choice



Sustainability

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The HSRC will continue being a critical friend to government , at all levels, to support national outcomes



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Partnerships

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The HSRC will continue being a trusted and engaged research partner to (1) scientific communities and (2) civil society



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Research, Strategy and Impact

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- ① The HSRC will foreground the STI Decadal Plan in its strategy, along with other pertinent government priorities and plans
- ② The HSRC will use its research capabilities and technical expertise to support the Decadal Plan
- ③ The HSRC will continue being a trusted and engaged research partner to scientific communities
- ④ The HSRC will continue working with its Executive Authority to achieve synergies and complementary, multi-disciplinary research results in the NSI
- ⑤ The HSRC will review its research strategy within the national planning framework
- ⑥ The HSRC will consider emerging issues in its strategic planning processes

Mandate and Structure

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- ✚ The HSRC will continually assess its impact measurement processes and respond accordingly
- ✚ Structure (form) will follow strategy