

**UNIVERSITY OF THE WITWATERSRAND, JOHANNESBURG**  
Office of the Deputy Vice-Chancellor - Research & Innovation

**BIOBANKS ETHICS COMMITTEE SUBMISSION & MEETING DATES 2025**

**PLEASE NOTE:**

For logistical reasons, BEC 1 applications received after the submission dates below, will not be processed but will be kept over to the following meeting. Submission due dates only apply to BEC 1 applications.

There is no submission due date for BEC 2 applications (will be reviewed on an *ad hoc* basis).

| SUBMISSION DATES<br>2025  | BEC MEETING DATES<br>2025     |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 31 JANUARY 2025<br>FRIDAY | 20 FEBRUARY 2025<br>THURSDAY  |
| 30 APRIL 2025<br>FRIDAY   | 22 MAY 2025<br>THURSDAY       |
| 27 JUNE 2025<br>FRIDAY    | 17 JULY 2025<br>THURSDAY      |
| 29 AUGUST 2025<br>FRIDAY  | 18 SEPTEMBER 2025<br>THURSDAY |
| 31 OCTOBER 2025<br>FRIDAY | 20 NOVEMBER 2025<br>THURSDAY  |