**Trinity Health and Education International Research Conference (THEconf2026) Research Conference**

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**Research study**
a. Title and background
b. Aim and objective/s of the study
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d. Findings[2]
e. Conclusion and impact

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d. Findings[2]
e. Conclusion and impact

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d. Implementation of innovation[3]
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