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- PhD candidate at Nelson Mandela University in the Computing Science Department.
- MPhil Information and Knowledge Management from the University of Stellenbosch
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## Research interests:

- China-Africa Partnership Development
- Knowledge Management
- Artificial Intelligence
- Digital Inclusion
- Platform Economies
- Financial Technologies
- Renewable Energy

## Bio

Krish Chetty is a Research Manager at the Equitable Education and Economies Division of the HSRC. He holds a Masters Qualification in Knowledge and Information Management from the University of Stellenbosch) and is a PhD candidate in the Computing Science Department at Nelson Mandela University. His PhD study concentrates on developing partnership strategies for South African and Chinese incubators and accelerators to accelerate entrepreneurship development across the African continent. His research interests lie in the social applications of smart technologies that contribute to eradicating poverty, inequality and unemployment. He previously worked in the HSRC's BRICS Research Centre, representing South Africa in several BRICS academic events. Prior to joining academia, he worked as a Data Architect for various South African financial institutions, including the Financial and Fiscal Commission, First National Bank and Allan Gray.