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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS AND PAPERS

5TH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

THEME: LEVERAGING RESEARCH, INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY FOR SOCIOECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

DATES: 23RD – 26TH MAY, 2023

SUB-THEMES

1. Sustainable Agriculture and Food Security;
2. The Built Environment and Infrastructure Development;
3. Climate Change, Environment, Health and Tourism;
4. Education and Knowledge Management for Sustainable Development;
5. Energy, Manufacturing and Industrialization;
6. Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Mathematics(STEAM) for Development;
7. ICT, Entrepreneurship and the Blue Economy

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

1. Abstracts of 250-300 words* should be emailed to: MksU5thconf@mksu.ac.ke
*clearly indicate whether oral or poster presentation;
 2. Abstracts should be in one continuous paragraph and include up to 6 keywords for online indexing;
 3. Abstracts should include the names of the author(s), affiliations, postal, email and telephone contacts, with the corresponding author indicated in a footnote;
 4. The full paper should be 3000-8000 words (6-16 pages) prepared in *Times New Roman*, size 12 font, spacing of 1.5 and in editable text format;
 5. All references cited in the papers should follow *the APA 6th Edition Citation Style*;
 6. The full paper should be emailed to: MksU5thconf@mksu.ac.ke
- Abstracts and papers can be submitted/presented either in English or Kiswahili depending on discipline.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- All submitted papers will be peer reviewed.
- All presented papers will be published in the conference proceedings and will also be placed in an open-access online conference archive.

VENUE/MODE:
BLENDED



REGISTRATION FEE

	DESCRIPTION	Early Registration	Normal Registration	Late Registration
1	Scholars from the East Africa Community	KES5,000 US\$ 50	KES6,000 US\$ 60	KES7,000 US\$ 70
2	Scholars from Other Regions	KES5,000 US\$ 45	KES6,500 US\$ 65	KES7,500 US\$ 75
3	Postgraduate Students	KES1,000 US\$ 10	KES1,000 US\$ 10	KES1,500 US\$ 15
4	Conference Exhibitors	KES10,000 US\$ 100	KES15,000 US\$ 150	KES20,000 US\$ 200

PAYMENT DETAILS

Fees MUST be deposited in the following Account:
 Account Name: **Machakos University**
 Bank: **National Bank of Kenya (Machakos Branch)**
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IMPORTANT DATES

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| a) Deadline for submission of abstracts | 20 th March 2023 |
| b) Notification of acceptance | 30 th March 2023 |
| c) Deadline for submission of full papers | 10 th April 2023 |
| d) Early registration deadline | 1 st May 2023 |
| e) Normal registration deadline | 9 th May 2023 |
| f) Late registration | After 12 th May 2023 |
| g) Exhibition registration deadline | 20 th May 2023 |
| h) Conference dates | 23 rd -26 th May 2023 |

For registration and more information, contact

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