7th Chuka University Annual International Research Conference

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS, PAPERS & POSTERS

THEME: “Sharing Current Innovations to Revitalize Economic Development”

DATES: 3rd and 4th December, 2020. VENUE: Chuka University Main Campus

PREAMBLE: Chuka University was established as the 2nd Chartered and 9th Full-Fledged Public University in Kenya in 2013 and is ISO 9001:2015 Certified. It is located in Chuka Town in Tharaka-Nithi County at approximately 186 km from Nairobi City along the Nairobi-Meru Highway. Chuka University has a triple core Mission of Education, Research and Extension. Great strides have been made in delivery of higher education. Impressive strides have been made in pursuit of research and delivery of extension services in Kenya. The University desires to strengthen and sustain these milestones through the 7th International Research Conference.

OBJECTIVES:
1. To disseminate current innovations for revitalizing global economies.
2. To provide contemporary and alternative knowledge for policy setting.
3. To share research milestones to facilitate sustainable industrialization.
4. To forge partnerships for collaborative research and entrepreneurship.

RATIONALE:
The Conference theme is: “Sharing Current Innovations to Revitalize Economic Development (SCIRED)”. It is in line with contemporary times that require seeking novel measures to revitalize economies battered by emerging health and climate change challenges. It is anticipated that it will contribute to revamping of global socio-economic development. Together with the subthemes, it aspires to link stakeholders to establish firm partnerships for revival of safe and sustainable livelihoods.

SUBTHEMES:
1. Agriculture and Environment Revitalization Innovations
2. Hospitality and Business Revitalization Innovations
3. Education and Training Revitalization Innovations
4. Humanities and Social Science Revitalization Innovations
5. Engineering and Technology Revitalization Innovations
6. Health and Affirmative Action Revitalization Innovations

DEADLINES TO MEET:
Submission of Abstracts: 4th September, 2020
Submission of Full Papers: 2nd October, 2020
Conference Registration Deadline: 6th November, 2020
Conference Attendance Dates: 3rd & 4th December, 2020

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:
1. Poster write-up, and abstract with ≤300 words, should be emailed before deadline to: chukauni.jesar@chuka.ac.ke. Proposal abstracts are not acceptable.
2. Abstracts should highlight the subtheme, title, objective, problem, methodology, key findings, discussion, conclusions, recommendations and six keywords.
3. Each abstract should include the names of the author(s), affiliation(s), postal, e-mail and telephone contacts.
4. Each full paper should have 10 pages, single-spaced, font size 10, Times New Roman, Tables and Figures inserted near where they are first cited, and MSWord typesetting.
5. All references cited appropriately in the text should be listed alphabetically using either APA, MLA, Chicago, or Harvard style.
6. Authors should indicate whether the paper is already published or not, below the author’s address byline.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FEES:
1. Chuka University Students KES 2,000/=  
2. Chuka University Staff Members KES 4,000/=  
3. Other Universities’ Students KES 4,000/=  
4. National Participants KES 10,000/=  
5. Other Participants US$ 150

-Kindly note that the registration fee covers meals, book of abstracts, conference package and attendance certificate only.
-All payments to be made in favour of: Chuka University, Equity Bank Ltd, Chuka Branch, Acct No. 0210262271525.

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