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University of Nigeria, Nsukka

Conference Announcement and Call for Abstracts

SGS Conference *2019*

EMERGING CROSS-DISCIPLINARY EDUCATION AND RESEARCH FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT:
The Role of General Studies Programme

Mon 6th – Thurs 9th May, 2019
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Abstracts will be categorized along the following conference subthemes

- Security, Peace and Conflict Studies
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- Agriculture, Health, Science and Transformative Technologies
- Politics, Administration and Policies of Development
- Project Management, Public Private Partnership and Development Studies
- Climate Change, Energy and Environmental Sustainability
- Linguistics, Applied Linguistics and Literary Studies

- Ethnicity, Human Rights and National Cohesion
- Philosophy, Religion and Culture
- Hate Act, Hate Speech, Fake News, Social Media and Domestic Legal Systems
- Artificial Intelligence and Information & Communication Technology
- Financial Literacy, Paper - and Knowledge - Based Economy
- Domestic Violence, Social Exclusion and Gender Issues

Registration is now open
N12, 000 - Early bird (on or before 28th February, 2019)
N15, 000 - Regular (1st March - 31st March, 2019)
N7, 000 - Full-time student with valid ID

Abstract Submission
December 2018 - March 31st, 2019
All abstracts will be reviewed and author(s) notified within 3 weeks of submission.

All abstracts should be sent to **sgs.abstract@unn.edu.ng**
Please use the subtheme(s) relevant to your abstract as the subject line of the email

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1. **Authorship**: An individual may be the first or the presenting author of not more than two abstracts.
2. **Affiliation and contact**: Full name, email address, phone number and affiliation(s) are mandatory for each author. Indicate the presenting author for the abstract.
3. **Language**: All abstracts must be written and submitted in **ENGLISH.**
4. **Font**: Times New Roman 12, single paragraph, single-spaced in Microsoft Word.
5. **Originality**: Abstracts should contain new information and must not have been presented before. Review papers and project reports are also acceptable.
6. **Title**: The title should not exceed 15 words. Capitalize only the first word and proper nouns in the title.
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8. **Abbreviation**: Specify all abbreviations in full at the first mention, followed by the abbreviation in parentheses. Use the abbreviation thereafter.
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