#### ANNUAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CONFERENCE (ADFC) 2020 CALL FOR PAPERS

## 13<sup>TH</sup> TO 14<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2020

### Venue: University of Nairobi, School of Business, Lower Kabete Campus, Nairobi, Kenya

# CALL FOR SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS AND PAPERS

University of Nairobi, School of Business is pleased to call attention to the 2020 Annual Development Finance Conference (ADFC) to be held in October. The conference brings together academics, policy makers, doctoral students and practitioners from around the world to present research, network and collaborate.

#### THEME: 'Environmental Finance and Sustainable Development Goals'.

Sub themes:

- 1. Agricultural value chain finance
- 2. Alternative Investment opportunities, avenues and assets
- 3. Capital Formation in developing markets
- 4. Capital market theory and development
- 5. Country Competitiveness and Foreign Direct Investments
- 6. Credit Markets and development
- 7. Development Accounting and Standards
- 8. Development Finance systems
- 9. Digital Finance services (DFS), platforms and Eco systems
- 10. Emerging Financial technologies (Fintech) for development
- 11. Environmental/Climate/Sustainable/Green finance
- 12. External aid, trade and development
- 13. Financial Development Pyramid Index
- 14. Financial Markets Microstructure
- 15. Financing Government Big 4 Agenda
- 16. Health Financing
- 17. Infrastructure Finance
- 18. Manufacturing Finance
- 19. Micro finance practices and schemes
- 20. Public Accounting and Standards
- 21. Public Financial management reforms and Development
- 22. Taxation and Development

**SUBMISSION DETAILS:** The call for the submission of full papers, position papers or abstracts for review is now open. All abstracts should include a title, keywords, authors' names, affiliation and an email address. The abstract should not exceed 500 words. A position paper should be a maximum of 4 pages in which the authors present their research, preliminary results, challenges, describe their approach and how it embeds theories, methods and techniques from various approaches of research. Submit your full papers, position papers or abstract in English, on or before June 30, 2020 preferably in MS Word to: <u>editoradfj@uonbi.ac.ke</u>

**REVIEW PROCESS:** Submissions will be reviewed and selected by the conference committee led by the conference convener. Based on accepted submissions, the convener will form an expert panel by including fellow acknowledged international researchers.

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

- Abstract submission deadline: 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2020.
- Notification of acceptance: 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2020.
- Deadline for payment for attendance and participation 14<sup>th</sup> September, 2020.
- Conference Dates: 13<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2020

#### **PARTICIPATION FEE**

University of Nairobi Undergraduate Students	Ksh. 1,000
University of Nairobi Staff	Ksh. 1,000
University of Nairobi Postgraduate Students	Ksh. 2,000
Students from East Africa Community	Ksh. 2,000
International Students	\$50
Participants from East Africa Community	Ksh. 5,000
International Participants	\$100

#### BENEFITS

- A certificate of participation/ attendance
- Conference Proceedings Publication The conference proceedings will be published in book form that complies fully with the Higher Education and Training requirements for accreditation.
- An opportunity to develop the paper further for publication in ADFJ (ISSN. 2522-3186)

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