



Call for Abstract and Papers

6th Annual Conference 2022

Theme: — **“BUILDING BACK BETTER: THE ROLE OF SOCIAL SOLIDARITY ECONOMY ENTERPRISES AND ORGANIZATIONS IN POST COVID-19 RECOVERY”**

Host: — **The Co-operative University of Kenya**

Venue: — **Conference will be held Virtually**

Dates: — **26th to 27th July 2022**

Sub-Theme 1

Supply chains recovery options for building resilience to future shocks;

- Covid-19 impacts on supply-chain
- Options to address the fragilities which COVID-19 pandemic has exposed in supply chains
- Supply-chain strategies and restructuring adopted by businesses
- Recovery options which SSEOs can adapt to ensure resilience of supply chains to future disruptions

Sub-Theme 2

The role of ICT in catalyzing economic recovery and building back better from impacts of covid-19;

- ICT-based innovations and applications as a tool against the COVID-19 crisis
- ICT and infodemic,
- Opportunities for application of ICT to promote economic recovery
- Role of ICT in recovery and building back better to ensure the resilience

Sub-Theme 3

Strategic thinking as a pillar in economic recovery and building back better; and,

- Place of strategic recovery planning in recovery and building back better
- Approaches SSEOs can adopt to institutionalize strategic thinking to safeguard against future shocks

Sub-Theme 4

The Role of Worker Cooperatives in the Post Covid-19 Recovery.

- Worker Cooperatives in the Post Covid-19 Recovery
- Resilience of worker cooperatives to shocks
- Factors affecting development of worker cooperatives
- Measures to be undertaken for worker cooperatives to provide a pathway to post Covid-19 recovery

Conference Key Dates

1 st Call for abstracts	1st April 2022
Early Bird Registration opens	2nd May 2022
2nd Call for abstracts	2nd May 2022
Last Date for Submission of Abstracts	16th May 2022
Last Date for FULL PAPERS Submission	20th June 2022
Last date for Registration	22nd July 2022
Conference	26th - 27th July 2022

CONFERENCE COST:

Kshs 3,000

for the presenters of papers

Kshs 1,000

per person for other individual participants

Submit your Abstracts to: abstracts@cuk.ac.ke

For more details and registration visit: <https://www.cuk.ac.ke/6th-annual-conference-2022/>

Abstract guidelines

The following should be included in the abstract:

Title, name, contact and affiliation of the author(s); brief background/contextual and conceptual aspects; research problem; objectives; theoretical anchorage/conceptual framework; methodology; results; conclusions; and Recommendations.

Other Instructions:

The Abstract should be submitted in English; a maximum of 300 words in New Times Roman; 12-point font size; single spacing; with 3-5 key words in bold at the bottom of the abstract.

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