



16TH GLOBELICS INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE 2018

THEME:

Innovation, Economic Growth and Sustainable Development:
Strengthening Institutions for Greater Relevance,
Effectiveness and Inclusivity

Date: 24th–26th October 2018 **Venue:** Mensvic Grand Hotel, Accra-Ghana

CALL FOR PAPERS AND PARTICIPATION

The Global Network for the Economics of Learning, Innovation, and Competence Building Systems (GLOBELICS) is pleased to invite you to submit your paper to the 16th GLOBELICS International Conference 2018. The conference is organized by the Science and Technology Policy Research Institute of the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR-STEPRI) in collaboration with the Ministry of Environment, Science, Technology and Innovation, (MESTI), GLOBELICS and AfricaLICS secretariats.

Conference Sub-themes

1. Science, technology, innovation and the sustainable development goals: Policy and Practice
2. Agricultural innovation systems: Addressing the poverty challenge
3. University relationships with industry, policy and society: the developmental university
4. Intellectual property rights, open innovation and development
5. National, regional and local innovation systems
6. Renewable energy: innovating inclusive and resilient infrastructure
7. Sectoral innovation systems: technology policy and catch-up
8. Creative industries, smart cities and sustainable urban development
9. Trade, FDI, value chains and innovation networks
10. Entrepreneurship, youth employment and innovation management
11. The role of innovation in overcoming the resource curse: prescriptive models for sustainable growth
12. Innovation for Inclusive development: Indigenous knowledge, informal economy and micro and small enterprises
13. The gender dimension of innovation and development
14. Improving the quality of life: Sustainable healthcare, water and sanitation innovation systems
15. Empirical methodologies, data requirements, indicators, different approaches and methodologies

IMPORTANT DATES:

Event	Date
Call for papers	January 19, 2018
Open for submission of papers	February 26, 2018
Deadline for submission of papers	April 21, 2018
Acceptance notification	May 14, 2018
Deadline for application for travel support	April 1, 2018
Response to applicants for travel support	May 15, 2018
Conference registration	June 15, 2018
Conference registration deadline	July 15, 2018
Last date for upload of final version of paper	September 15, 2018

Travel support for early career and developing country scholars is available!!!

PROPOSED CONFERENCE PROGRAM

	WEDNESDAY 24 OCTOBER, 2018	THURSDAY 25 OCTOBER, 2018	FRIDAY 26 OCTOBER, 2018
TUESDAY 23 OCTOBER, 2018 ARIVAL	REGISTRATION	REGISTRATION	REGISTRATION
	OPENING PLENARY	GENERAL SESSION	GENERAL SESSION
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	PANEL DISCUSSION	PANEL DISCUSSION	PANEL DISCUSSION
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