



## REVISITING DEVELOPMENT

International Conference on Management, Engineering, Social and Health Sciences

27-28 March, 2020  
Biratnagar, Province 1, Nepal

### CALL FOR ABSTRACTS:

Twenty first century has witnessed the unprecedented changes in engineering and technology, management studies, public health concerns and understanding about socio-cultural, economic and political life of citizens and denizens. Simultaneously, the gap between the global North and global South in terms of accessing technology and producing knowledge is widening rapidly despite the fact that the globalization is bringing the societies closer than before. The new understanding of development has seriously acknowledged the multidimensionality of inequality that is hitting hard the societies of global South. South Asia is an instance. This region which is technologically less advanced, politically turbulent, unstable and culturally diverse possesses huge potentiality of leading the world in future if integrated development of engineering, technology, public health, culture, politics and economics is brought into academic and policy discussions in the days to come. In this context, Purbanchal University calls for abstract submission for its International Conference on Management, Engineering, Social and Health Sciences based on the theme of 'REVISITING DEVELOPMENT' to be held on 27-28 March, 2020 in Biratnagar, Nepal

### THEMES:

The call for abstract is open to all nationalities whose expertise or interest falls under the broad themes mentioned below but not limited to:

#### Science and Engineering:

- Sustainable Energy
- Engineering and Environment
- Agriculture

#### Social Sciences:

- SDGs and South Asia
- Gender, Ethnicity and Citizenship
- Federalism and Public Accountability
- Labour Migration and Remittance
- Contemporary Issues in Population and Development
- Regionalism and Sub-regionalism in South Asia

#### Management Studies:

- Finance and Financial Institution
- Economics and Public Administration
- Tourism and Services
- People and Management
- New Age Marketing

#### Health Sciences:

- Human Resource Management in Health Care.
- Innovation and Development in Pharmaceutical Sciences
- Disaster and Health Care
- Geriatric Health
- Client Safety and Quality Health Care
- Mental Health

### GUIDELINES FOR ABSTRACT AND PAPER SUBMISSION:

- The word limit for abstract is between 250-350 words and the text must be typed in standard British English in Times New Roman, 12 point.
- The papers must adhere to the standard disciplinary formats and also be innovative in terms of research, theory development, analysis or policy suggestions.
- The word limit for final paper is between 5000-6000 for Engineering and 6000-8000 for other disciplines (including citations and bibliography). The authors must follow their disciplinary standards for citation and bibliographic styles.
- The final manuscripts must be plagiarism-checked by the authors themselves before submission. Any form of plagiarism shall not be accepted.

### DEADLINES:

Abstract submission:	28 February 2020
Notification to Abstract Selection:	7 March 2020
Full Paper Submission:	24 March

The abstracts and manuscripts must be submitted through the Conference email at: [puconference2020@gmail.com](mailto:puconference2020@gmail.com)

### REGISTRATION FEE:

The conference registration for the presenters is as follows:

For Nepalese:	NPR 2500.00
For non-Nepalese (student):	USD 50.00
For non-Nepalese:	USD 100.00

### VISA INFORMATION:

The international participants are kindly requested to contact Nepalese Embassy or Consulate in their country to process for the visa. The details of visa process is available at: <http://www.nepalimmigration.gov.np/page/study-visa>

### TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION:

Biratnagar is situated in south-eastern corner of Nepal and also a well-known industrial hub with great historical and political significance in Nepal. It can be reached by road in 10-12 hour drive or by air in 45 minutes from Kathmandu. Those travelling from India can use Bagdogra airport and take three-hour drive from there. If one uses Jalpaiguri Railway station, it takes four-hour drive from the Station. The nearest Indian railway station from Biratnagar is Jogbani that can be reached by 15-minute drive.

The organizer does not have provision of providing travel grant to the paper presenter but we are pleased to offer twin sharing accommodation for paper presenters.

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