CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The First Annual National Research Conference (May 2-3, 2020)

Institute of Educational and Behavioral Sciences (IEBS), Debre Markos University, Ethiopia **Debre Markos, Ethiopia**

The Institute of Educational and Behavioral Sciences will host its first National Research Conference under the grand theme "Quality Education for Character and Personality **Development"** from may 2 - 3, 2020. Thus, all interested researchers are invited to submit **Abstracts** that fit to the following thematic areas:

heme 1: Early Childhood Care and Education

- Preschool education in Ethiopia
- Parents involvement in early childhood care and education
- Preschool teachers' training and education

eme 2: Psychology

- Child development and support systems in Ethiopia
- Adolescence and youth in Ethiopia
- Adolescent substance use and mental health Issues
- Guidance and counseling service practices in Ethiopian Schools
 - Psychosocial challenges of the elderly people
- Positive youth development
- Assessment and evaluation practices

eme 3: Education

- Quality education at all level: Opportunities, challenges and prospects
- Educational policy, leadership and management
- Teachers and educational leaders training and preparation system in Ethiopia
- Teaching professionalism
- Instructional practices
 - Teacher motivation, performance and students academic achievement

Theme 4: Special Needs and Inclusive Education

- Special needs education: policy issues, challenges, opportunities and practices
- Inclusive education: policy issues, challenges, opportunities and practices
 - Handling diversities and related challenges

PER SUBMISSION GUIDELINE

- Please submit an abstract of not more than 250 words.
- The abstract has to contain title, background, objectives, method, findings, conclusion and key words.
 - The abstract shall contain contact details of corresponding author;
 - Abstract as to be written in APA style.
 - Researchers have to mention for which themes they are submitting their abstracts
 - Honorarium for selected papers presenters and transportation expenditure will be covered.

MIPORTANT DATES

- Deadline for Abstract submission: January 31st, 2020.
- Notification for selected abstracts: February 15, 2020.
- Deadline for Full length paper submission: February 28, 2020.
- Notification for selected papers: March 30, 2020.
- Conference dates: May 2-3, 2020.
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