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CALL FOR PAPERS

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International Tourism and Hospitality Conference

On

**Sustainable Tourism Development: Partnerships, Inclusive Growth and Alternative
Community Livelihood**

8th-9th February, 2018

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In collaboration with

- **Indian Tourism & Hospitality Congress**
- **University for European Tourism, Milan, Italy**
- **University of KwaZulu-Natal (UKZN), South Africa**

Venue: Mauritius

Call for Papers

We are pleased to invite research papers on the theme” Contemporary Issues in Sustainable Tourism” which will be held on 8-9 Feb 2018, in Mauritius.

The sustainable tourism of the 21st century will be the search for balance. The identification, maintenance and management of this threshold of balance will be the single most important requirement for the tourism industry of the 21st century. Those companies, institutions and destinations that perform the balancing act well will attain that elusive goal of sustainable development.

The travel and tourism industry is playing vital role in the economy of many countries economy. Mauritius is one of them. In coming times this sector is expected to face some contemporary issues due to internal or external forces. The very purpose of the profound theme of contemporary issues in tourism industry is to understand the degree and dimensions of the local and global issues driving the sector. The list of the topics covered under the theme is given below, but not exhaustive.

1. Economic impact and leakage from tourism:
2. Extension of U.S. influence throughout the travel and tourism industry:
3. Impact of globalisation:
4. Greater liberalisation of visas,
5. Taxation:
6. Social issues
7. Employment:
8. Safety concerns
9. Influence of organised crime:
10. Technology:
11. Environmental issues:
12. Airlines and aviation:
13. Across-the-board alliances
14. Hotels:
15. Cruise and marine tourism:
16. Trade shows:
17. Greater focus on regional promotions
18. Emergence of the Middle East:
19. Growth in religious tourism:
20. Holiday trends:
21. Emergence of secondary cities

AUTHOR GUIDELINES

- Paper submitted should be an original and unpublished work. Any paper submitted which is identical or substantially similar work already published or under review for another conference or publication, will not be considered.
- A covering letter clearly certifying that the submitted paper is original and has neither been published anywhere nor is at present being considered for any other publication should accompany the manuscript.
- The abstract of the paper should not exceed 300 words with 4-6 keywords. Submit an electronic copy of the complete paper along with the abstract by 20th January 2018 at **conference@ Mauritius.amity.edu** and **agadekar@mauritius.amity.edu**
- Recommended length of the research paper should be between 4000-6000 words. Font used should be Times New Roman with font size 12 and double spaced.
- The Review Committee will screen the abstract(s). The abstract(s) approved by the committee will be selected for the submission of the full length paper for the conference.
- All the author(s) of the accepted papers will be intimated accordingly.
- First page of the paper should have the broad theme, title of the paper, name of the author(s), organization's affiliation, complete postal address, phone number, fax number(if any) and e-mail address followed by abstract and full paper. Kindly do not mention author(s) name, affiliation or any other such information in the full paper.
- Tables, illustrations, charts, figures etc. should be serially numbered and duly acknowledged. Sources of the data need to be given below each table.
- First level subheading should be left-justified, in upper and lower case, and printed in 14-point Times New Roman, boldface; second level subheadings should be left –justified, in upper and lower case, in 12-point Times New Roman boldface. The paragraph begins right after the sub-heading. Headings and sub-headings will not carry any numbering.
- References should be complete in all respects, with authors' surnames arranged alphabetically, following conventional citation styles. Authors are requested to follow the Harvard Style.

- Multiple authors, if attending the conference, will have to register separately to be entitled for the conference certificate (Authors who do not register will not be entitled for the conference certificate). Authors, who are keen to present more than one paper, will have to register for both separately.
- The author(s) must register themselves for the conference by **Jan 30th, 2018** to ensure the inclusion of the paper in the conference proceedings. Without registration, paper will not be included in the conference proceedings.

TEXT FORMAT FOR ABSTRACT AND FULL PAPER

- Paper size: A4 (8.27×11.69 inches)
- Font type & size: Times New Roman, 12
- Spacing between lines: 1.5
- Margin on page edges: 1 inch on all sides

IMPORTANT DATES

- Full Paper Submission: 20th January 2018
- Notification of Acceptance: 30th January 2018
- Last Date for Registration: 30th January 2018
- Conference: 8-9 February, 2018

PAPER PUBLICATION

Selected papers will be published in the form of an edited book with ISBN number. Some of the selected papers will also be published in the International, peer reviewed, indexed, listed Amity Journals.

Registration will be open as from 20th December 2017

REGISTRATION FEES:

Category		Registration Fees	
		Local	International
Author	Student	4,500/-	150 USD
	Research Scholar \ /Academician	6,000/-	200 USD
	Industry	6,000/-	350 USD
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	Academicians/Research Scholars	6,000/-	200 USD
	Trade/Industry Professionals	7,500/-	250 USD

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- Registration Kit
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- Proceeding(only for Authors)

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