COLLEGE OF LAW AND MANAGEMENT STUDIES
RESEARCH DAY

Date: Wednesday, 2 October 2024

Venue: Hybrid and In-person (Riverside Hotel, Durban)

THEME:
ENERGIZING RESEARCH IN LAW AND MANAGEMENT STUDIES

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The Organizing Committee of the College of Law and Management Studies takes immense pride in extending an invitation to you for the upcoming College Research Day. This event is centered around the theme "Energizing Research in Law and Management Studies". Our goal with this multidisciplinary research day celebration is to bring together diverse members of academia, scholars, researchers, graduates, and post-graduate students - from various Schools within the College of Law and Management Studies. The aim is to showcase the latest research outcomes and advancements in pertinent fields, including Accounting, Economics and Finance, Law, Supply Chain and Logistics, Maritime Law and Maritime Studies, Marketing, Management and Entrepreneurship, Corporate Governance, Human Resource Management, Industrial Relations, and many more. This event presents a unique opportunity for you to connect with your peers, academics, scholars, and practitioners from other schools and disciplines within the CLMS and beyond. By engaging with these individuals, you'll gain insights from their distinctive perspectives and experiences.

IMPORTANT DATES:

Closing date for submission of abstracts:	**30 August 2024**
Abstract acceptance notification:	**15 September 2024**
Conference dates:	**2 October 2024**

Please visit CLMS Research for more information on how to submit research abstracts. For enquiries, please email Ms Bongiwe Mokoena at CLMS-Researchday@ukzn.ac.za

SUB-THEMES

ACCOUNTING, ECONOMICS & FINANCE	BUSINESS MANAGEMENT	LAW	BUSINESS AND SOCIETY
– Auditing	– Applied Risk Management	– Business Law	– Education, Culture and Society
– Banking/Bank Risk	– Artificial Intelligence	– Commercial Law	– Leading People
– Big Data Analysis	– Business Leadership and Management	– Constitutional law	– Sustainable Community Development
– Business Ethics	– Hustling and the growth of entrepreneurship	– Corporate Law and the Law	
– Business Rescue	– Information Systems and Technology	– International Humanitarian Law	
– Development Economics	– Innovation	– Maritime Law	
– Environmental Economics	– Human Resources Management	– Private Law	
– Financial Accounting	– Maritime Studies	– Public International Law	
– Financial Economics	– Marketing and Brand Management	– Public Law	
– Financial Management	– Performance and Organisational Management	– Socio-Legal Studies	
– Financial Markets	– Project Management		
– Global Economy, Financial Markets and Globalization	– Public Governance		
– Health Economics	– Strategic Management		
– International Finance	– Supply Chain Management		
– Macroeconomics	– Tourism and Leisure		
– Managerial Accounting			
– Microeconomics			
– Monetary and Public Economics			
– Poverty Studies			
– Public Finance			
– Taxation			

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

We invite abstracts in MS Word between 500 and 800 words) in English.

Title: A clear and descriptive title that accurately represents the content of the abstract.

Introduction & Objective: A brief introduction that outlines the context and purpose of the research.

Methodology/Approach: An overview of the research methodology, approach, or methods used.

Results/Findings: A summary of the main outcomes, findings, or results of the research.

Discussion/Implications: An interpretation and discussion of the results, emphasizing their significance.

Conclusion: A brief conclusion that summarizes the key points and suggests the broader implications.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Should you wish to showcase your presentation in the form of posters, all posters must conform to the following guidelines:

Paper Size: A0 – 841mm x 1189mm **PORTRAIT**.

Layout: A poster should include a clearly visible title at the top centre, followed by author and affiliation information underneath, including e-mail address / addresses.

Graphics: Effective visual display of information is essential in a poster presentation. To achieve this goal, author(s) should concentrate on two or three main points and should prefer graphic displays over text to illustrate their message effectively. Overall, a poster should have more graphics than text. In addition, graphics should be simple to understand, with contrasting colours and no grid lines.

Text: Poster text should be easily readable from a distance of 1-2 metres, and 1.5 or 2 line spacing should be used between each line. It is advised that authors should also pay attention to the following points:

- Headings should be 25 % larger than normal text. Bold or other colours may be used.

- Text should be kept to a minimum, and each block of text should include no more than a few sentences.

- Larger than usual fonts may be used in results and discussion sections to draw attention, while smaller fonts may be preferred for methods.

- Smaller fonts may be used for citations and acknowledgment.

- Suggested font sizes are:

    - Main title: 78 -96 pt (bold, uppercase)

    - Author(s): 72 pt (bold, title case)

    - Affiliation(s): 48 pt (normal, title case)

    - subheading: 36 pt (bold and uppercase)

    - subheading: 30 pt (bold and title case)

    - Body of the text: 24 pt (normal)

Please carry double-sided tape to stick your poster up. The organizers will provide Prestik as a backup.

Kindly note that a poster presentation is not required. However, poster presenters should be present at their poster during the poster sessions/breaks if possible

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We encourage you to invite colleagues and students to participate in the College Research Day and look forward to welcoming your participation.