



The 3rd Annual Parliamentary Symposium - April, 2023

CALL FOR PAPERS

Theme:

**Effective Public Participation: The
Big Question for Legislatures**

Venue: Nakuru City, Kenya

Conference Format: Virtual and In-Person Sessions

Sub-Themes:

- i. Actualization of the constitutional principles of Public Participation through law making;
- ii. Tools for promoting Public Participation in legislative oversight and representation;
- iii. The role of research in promoting effective Public Participation;
- iv. The role of capacity building in fostering best practices in public participation;

Submission Guidelines

- The abstracts not exceeding 300 words should be submitted to the following email address: cpst.symposium@parliament.go.ke
- Abstracts should clearly highlight the objectives, problem statement, methodology, key findings/results, conclusions, recommendations and six key words. Purely theoretical papers focusing on the sub-themes will also be accepted.
- Each abstract should include the author's name, affiliation(s), e-mail, and telephone contacts.
- The full paper should **Not Exceed 5,000 words** (excluding abstract, references and footnotes), single spacing, font size 12, Times New Roman, tables and figures inserted where first cited in Microsoft Word Format.
- The abstract and the full paper should follow the APA 6th edition format of referencing.
- All references listed should be cited appropriately in the text.

Registration Fees

Early Bird (on or before 15th Feb, 2023)

International Participants **USD 200**

East African Participants **USD 150**

Kenyan Participants **KES 10,000**

Regular (16th Feb - April, 2023)

International Participants **USD 250**

East African Participants **USD 200**

Kenyan Participants **KES 15,000**

Students **KES 2,000**

Exhibition Stands **KES.25,000**

Call for Papers Essential Information

- All papers must be submitted in English;
- All papers submitted will be peer reviewed;
- Selected papers will be published as proceedings of the 3rd Annual Parliamentary Symposium; and
- Published papers will be posted on the open access online conference archive.

IMPORTANT DATES:

Abstract submission deadline:
9th December, 2022

Acceptance notification:
30th December, 2022

Full paper submission deadline:
28th February, 2023

Conference date:
April, 2023
TBC

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