



## **THE KENYA SCHOOL OF LAW**

# ***CONFERENCE ON LEGAL EDUCATION, TRAINING & ACCESS TO JUSTICE***

**17-18 APRIL, 2019**

## **CALL FOR PAPERS**

The Kenya School of Law is a public legal education provider responsible for the provision of professional legal training as an agent of the Government. The School is responsible for training of lawyers for entry into the legal profession; ensuring continuing professional development for all cadres of the legal profession; providing para-legal training; providing other specialized training in the legal sector; developing curricular, and training manuals; conducting examinations, conferring academic awards; and undertaking projects, research and consultancies in the field of law and related disciplines. The School is mandated to hold conferences on important matters relating to the rule of law, administration of justice and generally on legal issues.

The School now invites abstracts from scholars, schools of Law, regulatory institutions, legal practitioners, judicial officers, in-house lawyers, social workers, students, policymakers, development partners, non-governmental organizations, other social scientists and professionals in public and private sector organizations to submit scholarly, well-researched papers for discussion during the inaugural Kenya School of Law Conference scheduled for **17-18 April, 2019 at the Karen Campus**.

The **Theme of the Conference** is: ***Legal Education & Training in Kenya: Enhancing Access to Justice***

Papers should cover one or more of the following:

### **SUB-THEMES:**

- a) Legal education, training and their role in the Kenya Vision 2030;**
- b) Clinical legal training and the market demands & dynamics;**
- c) Enhancing access to justice through legal education and training;**
- d) Legislative and policy gaps in legal education, training & access to justice;**
- e) Legal aid services.**

### **TIMELINES:**

Submission of abstracts: **18<sup>th</sup> March, 2019**

Draft Paper: **25<sup>th</sup> March, 2019**

Conference: **17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2019**

Final Paper (for publication): **30<sup>th</sup> May, 2019**

Publication in a book/journal: **June/July, 2019**

## **SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS**

An **abstract** should not exceed **350 words**, and a **draft paper** should not exceed **9000 words**. **Final papers**, not exceeding **9000 words**, should be submitted in soft copy by 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 after the Conference. Select papers will be published in the first edition of the **Kenya School of Law Inaugural Conference Journal** in June, 2019.

Abstracts and papers should:

- As much as possible be contextualized within the Theme of the Conference, i.e. *Legal Education & Training in Kenya: Enhancing Access to Justice*
- Conform to academic citation standards; specifically, the *Oxford Standard for Citation of Legal Authorities* (OSCOLA) & the *APA Referencing Style*;
- Utilise *MS Word* format, Font: Times New Roman 12, Line Spacing 1.5

Submissions should include the author's full name, contacts, a declaration of originality and a statement that the author consents to the publication of the work. Authors should indicate whether the paper has been submitted for publication or published elsewhere. Acceptance of an abstract or draft paper is deemed to be an acceptance to publish the paper.

The expression of interest, Abstracts and Papers should be sent in soft copy to:

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So as to be received on or before **18<sup>th</sup> March, 2019**.

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