

KENYA SCHOOL OF LAW 4TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

THEME: LAW IN THE DIGITAL AGE



THE KENYA SCHOOL OF LAW

DATE: 4TH – 5TH April 2023

VENUE: Kenya School of Law, Karen

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The Kenya School of Law will hold its 4th Annual Conference between the **4th – 5th of April 2023**, at the Kenya School of Law, Karen Campus. The theme of the conference is “Law in the Digital Age”. The Government of Kenya is committed to support technological advancements and, in particular, to enhance government service delivery through digitization and automation of all government critical processes thereby making available up to 80% of government services online.

Subsequently, the Judiciary of Kenya, in an effort to modernize and to enhance access to justice has made substantial progress in the use of technology, information and communication systems. Whereas, e-justice in Kenya is lauded for enhancing transparency and effectiveness, concerns abound over validation, authentication of information and data security.

Similarly, Kenya adopted the use of electronic technology in casting and the counting of votes which enhanced procedural integrity in elections. On the other hand, however, the use of technology in elections carries unforeseen risks such as the difficulty in auditing election results. These advancements in the use of technology in service delivery in public entities takes place within the wider context of the digital revolution which, in its present format is characterized by the use of social media, smartphones and digital television. Furthermore, social media presents various ethical concerns for legal professionals especially in the area of confidentiality and advertising.

The School of Law brings together academics, researchers, industry experts and students to discuss topics relating to the conference theme and the sub themes.

CONFERENCE SUB - THEMES

Sub -theme 1 - Law, Ethics and Social Media

1. E-professionalism in the use of electronic and social media by law students, lecturers, advocates and judicial officers;
2. Data protection laws and policies;
3. Law relating to social media;
4. Law and ethics of experiments/ legal research on social media users.

Sub - theme 2 - Electronic Justice

1. Electronic monitoring in the criminal justice system;
2. Legislating for the digital age;
3. The related problems of digitalization in the field of justice;
4. Access to justice, procedural efficiency in e-filing and dispute settlement;
5. The use of technology in elections.

Sub - theme 3 - The Digital Space and Fundamental rights

1. Adapting core constitutional values to the needs of the digital society;
2. Impact of digital technology on constitutional values and principles;
3. Digital surveillance and commodification;
4. Human rights, democracy and the digital age.

Sub-Theme 4 – Legal Education in the Digital Age

1. Legal education and social media;
2. Impact of technology on learning preferences and styles of law students;
3. Copyright and innovation of digital course material.

CONFERENCE FORMAT

The Conference will be held at the Kenya School of Law (Karen), Mutula Kilonzo Building, Gate A. It will also be broadcasted live through the School's *YouTube* channel and other social media platforms.

REGISTRATION AND CONFERENCE FEE

All who wish to attend the conference should register on the School's online registration services https://services.ksl.ac.ke/cpd_course/22. The following charges will be applicable:

CONFERENCE FEE

International Delegate	10,000 (USD 100)
Kenya & East Africa Rate	5,000 (USD 50)
Student Rate	2,500
KSL Current Student Rate	Free

CONFERENCE SPONSOR AND EXHIBITOR OPPORTUNITIES

There is an opportunity to exhibit goods/services at the Conference. For more information contact cpd@ksl.ac.ke

EXHIBITORS & VENDORS

PACKAGE	DETAILS	RATE (Kshs.)
BRONZE	One draped/skirted table, 2 chairs	35,000
SILVER	One draped/skirted table, 2 chairs, 1 wastebasket, and 1 booth Identification sign	50,000
GOLD	Vendor Donated Merchandise to be given away during the Conference, Institution information to be included in the conference material, 10 by 8 booth space with draping and carpet, one draped/skirted table, 2 chairs, 1 wastebasket, and 1 booth identification sign.	200,000
PLATINUM	Vendor/Exhibitor Listing on the KSL Website, 30-minute presentation during the conference, internet and electricity connection, vendor donated merchandise to be given away during the Conference, display space in high traffic area, Institution information to be included in the conference package, 10 by 8 booth space with draping and carpet, one draped/skirted table, 2 chairs, 1 wastebasket, and 1 booth identification sign	500,000
MINI	Tear Drop Banner Only	20,000

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PRIZES – BEST PAPER	Medal	Unrestricted
VIDEOGRAPHY & STREAMING SERVICES	4 Halls videography and streaming	200,000
UNRESTRICTED SPONSORSHIP	Unrestricted	Unrestricted

PAYING FOR THE CONFERENCE

Payment may be made to the School's account (**Account No. 202 2029 110 ABSA Bank Kenya PLC, Plaza Branch, Nairobi, Kenya**) and banking slips or evidence of electronic funds transfer

presented to the Finance Office. The fees quoted are inclusive of all taxes, tuition, lunch, refreshments and conference facilities.

ACCOMODATION

Accommodation facilities are available within the Karen campus. Please contact our Hospitality Department on telephone number 020 2699581/6 ext. 223/311 and note to make early reservations.

CPD POINTS

Members of the Law Society of Kenya who attend and complete the training will be entitled, on payment of **extra Kshs. 1,000.00** to be awarded **2 CPD points**. Payment of this sum shall be done during the conference, as will be directed by the organizers of the conference.

ENQUIRIES

For communication or clarification, please contact; conference@ksl.ac.ke; ikuloba@ksl.ac.ke; or msitelu@ksl.ac.ke



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