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**ALBANIAN ORGANIZATION FOR QUALITY**

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**1st Call for Papers**

**14th International Conference**

**“STANDARDIZATION, PROTYPES AND QUALITY:**

**A MEANS OF BALKAN COUNTRIES’ COLLABORATION”**

**September 21 – 22, 2018, Tirana**

The 14th International Conference “Standardization, Protypes and Quality: A Means of Balkan Countries’ collaboration” (September 21 - 22, 2018), which is organized by the Albanian Organization for Quality in collaboration with Albanian University, will take place in Tirana, Albania.

This conference is the 14th in a series of International Conferences, that started back in 1997 in Thessaloniki, Greece and since then, have been organized periodically in different Balkan countries. It is the second time that it will be held in Tirana.

As is tradition, this conference will be an excellent opportunity to continue contacts between scientists and specialists from all Balkan countries, as well as from all over the world, with the purpose to exchange experience and knowledge on all issues of standardization with an emphasis focus on quality. Standardization has proved to be the ideal way to cooperation, coordination and harmonization in every human activity, in a local as well as international level. Therefore, the purpose of this conference is to facilitate the collaboration between Balkan countries through common standards and protypes.

**MAIN TOPICS**

The scope of 14th International Conference “Standardization, Protypes and Quality: A Means of Balkan Countries’ collaboration” includes the following topics:

**Standards, Protypes and Quality:**

* in Society and Life,
* in Services (Education -Training, Health Care, etc.),
* in Education and Training,
* in Health Care,
* in Constructions,
* in Technical and Natural Environment,
* in Production, Distribution, Consumption,
* in Telecommunications,
* in Nutrition, Agriculture – Forestry,
* in Measurements-Tests, Controls and Protection,
* in Accreditation – Certification,
* in Economy, Management,
* other related topics.

**PAPER SUBMISSION**

Participants, who wish to present a paper relative to the above topics, should send an **abstract** (200-300 words, in Word, Arial 10, full aligned) to the conference secretariat email: [bcconference@albanianuniversity.edu.al](mailto:bcconference@albanianuniversity.edu.al%20) until **April 29, 2018**. The submitted abstract should include the name(s) of the author(s), as well as his/her (their) affiliation (including e-mail address). After the notification of acceptance, authors are requested to send also **the** **full paper** (using paper template form) until **June 24, 2018**. Full papers will be included in the Conference Proceedings (ISBN publication) after reviewing and accepting.

**CONFERENCE LANGUAGES**

The official language of the Conference is English.

**PRESENTATION**

The Conference may include invited lectures, oral presentations, poster sessions and workshops on specialized topics.

**REGISTRATION**

Those who wish to attend the Conference are kindly requested to fill in the **Registration** **Form** and send it by e-mail to the Conference Secretariat ([bcconference@albanianuniversity.edu.al](mailto:bcconference@albanianuniversity.edu.al%20)). Afterthe paper was accepted please send a **scanned copy of payment not later than August** **31, 2018 for early registration or September 21, 2018 for late registration (at the desk of the conference).** The final program will be sent in September 17, 2018 to allindividuals having sent the filled Registration Form.

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**KEY DATES**

**Abstract Submission Deadline: April 29, 2018.**

Notification of Acceptance/Rejection:May 5, 2018.

**Final Paper Submission Deadline: June 24, 2018.**

Notification of acceptance and mode of presentation: August 12, 2018.

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