

## KENYA NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES SCIENTIFIC REVIVAL DAY OF AFRICA (SRDA) 2019

## **Call for Abstracts**

In support of enhancing Science, Technology and Innovation, the African Union (AU), formerly the Organization of African Unity (OAU), on *30<sup>th</sup> June 1987* during the *46<sup>th</sup>* Ministerial Conference in Addis Ababa declared 30<sup>th</sup> June **as** a special day to commemorate Science and Technology in Africa.

It is a day that should be dedicated to issues of science and technology and innovation (ST&I) for African countries to think about the role of this important subject in development for Africa and to re- examine the role that science and technology plays in African lives.

KNAS decided to link some of its activities with this effort and consequently started celebrating the Scientific Revival Day of Africa annually since 2004.

The Kenya National Academy of Sciences is pleased to invite authors to submit abstracts for oral presentations, to be delivered at the Scientific Revival Day of Africa 2019 Celebrations covering "Food Security and Universal Health Care in Kenya". This year's celebrations will be held on 4<sup>th</sup> July 2019 at the Nairobi Safari Club

## **Conference Themes and Subthemes**

Food Security	Universal Health Care (UHC)
1. The Politics of Food Security	<ol> <li>Funding Mechanisms</li> </ol>
2. Climate Change and Interventions	2. UHC and Sustainable Development
3. Best Practices	

This is, therefore, a call requesting you to submit your abstract to us should you be interested in making a presentation at the celebrations.

Please ensure the following rules are met when submitting a paper abstract:

- Each paper abstract can be submitted under one theme or sub-theme.
- ➤ Paper abstract submissions must not have been previously presented at any previous SRDA conference
- No changes can be made to the submitted paper abstract after the submission deadline.

All abstracts must be received by **19<sup>th</sup> June 2019** and must be submitted to secretariat@knascience.org

Response on selected abstracts for both oral and poster presentations will be 21st June 2019.

## **Instructions to Presenters**

All authors should ensure that their papers focus on the pertinent issues, policies, and interventions necessary to address the themes. A report will be produced and shared with all the presenters.