

ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR ABSTRACTS, PAPERS AND REGISTRATION OF EXHIBITS FOR 32nd EEASA ANNUAL CONFERENCE 9th –12th September, 2014

This year Namibia is hosting the 32nd EEASA 3014 annual conference in Windhoek from the 9th to 12th of September 2014. The conference organisation is coordinated by the University of Namibia, Namibia Environment Network (NEEN) and the Ministry of Environment and Tourism. The Lead facilitator and host institution is the University of Namibia.

Theme: *Reflections on the current and emerging ESD issues and practices informing the post DESD framework programme*

Sub-Themes:

1. Mainstreaming ICT's and media, including technologies, information knowledge and people into ESD/EE initiatives.
2. Addressing specific challenges such as climate change, biodiversity loss, disaster risks through EE/ESD
3. Promoting Community Based Natural Resources (CBNRM), water management, security and tourism for poverty alleviation through ESD/EE practices
4. The role of ESD/EE in transition green economy (TVET, youth participation, leadership and governance)
5. Promoting policies and capacity building of educators and trainers in ESD/EE
6. The role of higher education and research in enhancing learning about and through ESD/EE
7. The role of heritage institutions, indigenous knowledge and cultural practices in and through ESD/EE
8. Promoting quality education, transformation learning and training environments, literacy and numeracy in ESD/EE
9. The role of ESD/EE in accelerating the sustainable solutions at local levels

Call for Abstracts and Papers

Environmentalists, educationists, researchers, writers and interested individuals are invited to the conference and to submit electronic copies of abstracts for the 32nd EEASA annual conference before or by the **31st of May 2014**. The abstracts and paper authors are expected to base their proposals for presentations, workshops, round tables, posters and exhibitions on the suggested theme and sub-themes. Abstracts should not be more than 250 words and full papers should be between 6,000- 9,000 words including references and appendices. All abstracts and papers should be typed and printed on standard A4 papers. The submission of full papers is **30 June 2014**. **Any submission after 30th of June and before 31st July will have to submit both abstract and full paper.** The form for submission and more information about the conference can be obtained by accessing the conference website found at www.eeasaconference.com. Full detail of the **press release** can be downloaded from the conference website at www.eeasaconference.com/content/press-release.pdf

Abstracts and papers can be submitted via this e-mail address: EEASAconference@unam.na or fax + **264 61 2063980** (Attention **Dr Alex Kanyimba** or **Ms Tertu Iileka**). Authors whose abstracts shall be accepted will be required to submit a full paper for presentation or poster during the conference to EEASAconference@unam.na

REGISTRATION FEE

The registration fee for the entire conference including EEASA membership fee are as follows:

- ✓ **Early registration:** 30 May 2014 - Conference fee is N\$ 3,300.00 (USD 345.00)
- ✓ **Late registration:** 31 July 2014 - Conference fee is N\$ 3,500.00 (USD 365.00)
- ✓ **Registration during or at the conference:** N\$ 3,700.00 (USD 395.00)
- ✓ **Day registration (per day):** N\$ 915.00 (USD 120.00)

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Please note: The registration fees include EEASA membership, standard accommodation, welcome reception, conference materials, airport transfers, local transport, tea/coffee, lunch, conference packs and conference dinner.