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Call for Abstracts

In this 2\textsuperscript{nd} HEIRRI Conference we welcome contributions presenting RRI practices, projects, programmes and initiatives that demonstrate the application of RRI in higher education.

Specifically, we would like to invite applications that put a spotlight on activities designed to integrate more democratic governance in research and innovation with an emphasis on positive societal impacts along with a promotion and application of a more anticipatory, reflexive, inclusive and responsive approach to research and innovation into higher education curricula. The main emphasis should be placed on specific educational outcomes and achievements. We welcome applications from different countries, context and disciplines, both from the humanities and the natural and social sciences.

Participation method

The 2\textsuperscript{nd} HEIRRI Conference will feature a speed dating session, which will introduce 20 RRI initiatives in an elevator-ride pitch (3 min) to a small group of maximum 10 people. Therefore, the Conference Committee will select 20 abstracts to be presented in the speed dating session.

In addition, we invite poster applications for a poster session which will be available throughout the day.

Key Dates

- Opening of abstract submission: October 26\textsuperscript{th}, 2017
- Deadline for abstract submission: December 10\textsuperscript{th}, 2017 (23:59 European Central Time)
- Notification of acceptance/rejection: December 20\textsuperscript{th}, 2017

Rules for submission

1. Participants are invited to submit original scientific abstracts for poster or verbal presentation (speed-dating session).
2. Based on the authors' preferences and the abstracts accepted, contributions will be located to either the speed-dating session or as poster presentations.
3. The verbal presentation can either be a simple verbal intervention or can be conducted with the help of your own tablet or laptop or visual aids, leaflets and similar.
4. For the speed-dating session, the time limit of 3 minutes must be respected.
5. Abstracts should be written in English using a clear style. Max. of 2,000 characters.
6. We recommend that abstracts are carefully compiled and thoroughly checked before submission, in particular the list of authors, to avoid last minute changes.
7. Abstracts need to be submitted
   a. to the e-mail address: ddaras@ecsite.eu
   b. with the title of the abstract as the subject of the e-mail
   c. in the template provided here.
8. The submission of an abstract carries with it the obligation that it is actually presented at
   the conference by the author or, at least, by one of the co-authors, provided that the
   abstract is finally accepted.
9. Notification of acceptance or rejection by the Conference Committee will be mailed to
   the submitting author at the e-mail address supplied by December 20th.
10. Accepted abstracts will be published electronically as a single volume at the HEIRRI
    website.