



Building capacity in health monitoring and evaluation



# First Annual Monitoring & Evaluation Best Practice Conference

### 4th - 8th December, 2017 in Dar es Salaam

# Conference Description

The Centre of Excellence in Health Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) at Mzumbe University is excited to inaugurate its first annual M&E Best Practice Conference in Tanzania. The conference will include keynote presentations, individual oral presentations and plenaries, multitrack panel discussions, and poster presentations. The conference will also include technical workshops to build capacity in necessary M&E skills; roundtable discussions on topics selected by conference attendees, and "lightning talks" showcasing promising M&E methods, tools and products currently being used in the field of global health in East Africa.

We invite authors to submit their original contributions of M&E scientific research or program or community level experiences, specifically related to health program or intervention design and improvement, as either an abstract (request for keynote, plenary, panel, poster presentation) or lightning talk.

#### Abstract submissions should fall within one of the tracks below:

- Track 1: Routine data use for enhanced efficiency, quality and targeting of health services
- Track 2: Innovative strategies for improving quality of data
- **Track 3**: Synthesis of data from multiple data sources and health information systems for reporting, strategic planning, and continuous quality improvement
- Track 4: New technologies for data collection, management, visualization and dissemination

The accepted abstracts, complete papers and posters from the conference will be disseminated through the Mzumbe website http://sopam.mzumbe.ac.tz/ and Centre of Excellence website http://coehme.mzumbe.ac.tz/. The conference proceedings will be reviewed, edited and published through the East African Journal of Applied Health Monitoring and Evaluation http://eajahme.com/. High quality papers submitted for the conference will be recommended for publication through peer-reviewed journals including EAJAHME.



For more information, please visit http://coehme.mzumbe.ac.tz/conference/

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# **IMPORTANT DATES**

1 Submission of abstracts or full papers	31 <sup>st</sup> October, 2017
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2 Early bird registration deadline 31st October, 2017

3 Notification of acceptance 15<sup>th</sup> November, 2017

4 Deadline to submit full or updated versions 20<sup>th</sup> November, 2017

5 General registration deadline 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2017

6 Conference dates 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> December, 2017

## **REGISTRATION FEES**

Student with accepted abstract Tshs. 100,000

**Conference registration fees** 

Students Tshs. 150,000

Tanzania residents Tshs. 250,000

International participants USD 150

Registration deadline is 30<sup>th</sup> November 2017

Please deposit your registration fee at CRDB Bank to the **Centre of Excellence** account (Account Number **0150012608400**). A scanned copy of the deposit slip must be submitted via email to the address mentioned below. For international transfer the bank SWIFT/BIC Code is **CORUTZTZXXX**. The fee will cover the conference package, which includes breakfast, lunch, evening tea and water.

For more information about the conference, please visit the Centre of Excellence in Health M&E website at http://coehme.mzumbe.ac.tz/conference/

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