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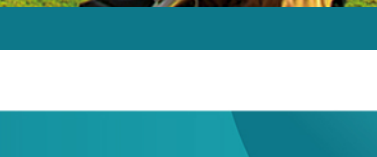
**University of Al-Quds**  
Palestine

**International Scientific  
Conference**

**Sustainable Territorial  
development: a New  
Approach for Development  
Process in the Developing  
Countries' Economies**

**2021/7-14-13**

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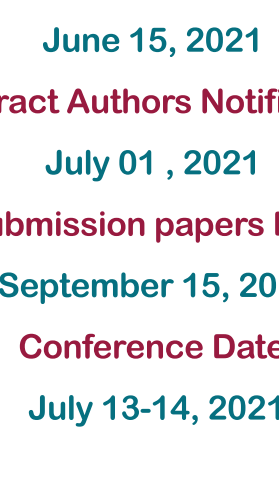


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## **Conference Objectives**

1. Explore innovative ways and methods to contribute to the development process in Palestine. Use recommendations to form a roadmap for development strategies in the developing countries generally, and in Palestine, particularly.
2. Identifying and exploring different territorial approaches of development.
3. To study the efficiency and suitability of the territorial approach for the economy of developing countries in general and for the Palestinian economy in particular.
4. Highlighting private resources and how to organize the actors to benefit from them.
5. Rediscovering the role of geography and space; enhancing their place in the development process.
6. Strengthening academic cooperation between Palestinian and international universities.

## **Conference Tracks:**

- First Track:** the literature of the territorial development and its economic and social importance:  
Territorial development, resources valorisation promotion of territorial competitiveness.  
Role of Territorial governance and social dynamics and their process of territorial construction.  
The importance of territorial development in facing crises and its role in sustainability and climate change  
The importance of the territorial approach in building food systems and Food sovereignty.
- Second Track:** Application of the regional development in developing countries (Challenges and Solutions):  
Geopolitical context and macroeconomic conditions influence in territory construction.  
Governance, government support and the role of institutions.  
Social dynamics and innovation as condition of territorialization of developing process.  
Territorial development as opportunity
- Third Track:** areas of applying the territorial development approach:  
Economic development.  
Agricultural and rural development.  
Industrial development.  
Tourism and local development.
- Fourth Track:** Successful international experiences in applying the territorial development approach:  
Industrial district to absorb External factors  
Clusters, geographical proximity as enabling environment strategy.  
Localized production system (LPS) to create socio-economic fabric.

**Conference Chairman**

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**Important Dates**

**Abstract Submission:**

**June 15, 2021**

**Abstract Authors Notification:**

**July 01 , 2021**

**Final submission papers Deadline:**

**September 15, 2021**

**Conference Date:**

**July 13-14, 2021**

## **Referencing & Formatting Terms**

Research paper should be on line with the tracks of the Conference.  
Research paper must not have been published in scientific journals or presented at previous conferences.  
**Abstract must be (3-4) pages.**  
Abstract includes name of the researcher, the title of the research paper, the importance, problem statement and Methodology, the keywords, results and recommendations.

**Attach a brief CV, a high - resolution profile picture with a paper Abstract.**  
The final research paper must not exceed 10000 word.

**Follow Scientific and Academic methodology in research writing.**  
Documentation of research paper body and reference by APA.

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