



5th National Conference on Science and Technology

(Luanda, 26– 28 April 2017)

Conceptual note

The National Conference on Science and Technology is a biannual event, which is focused on the presentation and discussion of scientific research results, preferably original research works, which are beyond literature reviews and description of phenomena, cases or occurrences. Only in special cases the organizing Committee reserves the right to invite personalities who decisively contribute to promote this event, or are invited to give a speech on topic(s) commissioned by the organizing Committee.

The 1st Conference was held in 2009, promoted by the Ministry of Science and Technology, and it has established itself as a platform of excellence in the search of solutions for the Angolan problems. The average number of participants in the last three editions was about 400.

In the last four editions held (2009, 2011, 2013 and 2015), this forum was attended by about 1500 scientific researchers, among them, about 100 foreign participants from countries like South Africa, Botswana, Brazil, Canada, Cuba, Macau/China, Spain, USA, France, Macau/China, Mozambique, Portugal and Zimbabwe. A total of about 240 communications were presented orally and in the form of posters.

The 5th National Conference on Science and Technology will be **held in Luanda, from 26th to 28th of April 2017** as it been announced from in the Annual Calendar of Scientific Events, Angola published in 2016.

The evaluation of the submitted abstracts with a maximum of 250 words is a key moment, as it determines whether the works are selected to be presented as "oral communication" or "poster" or being "not accepted".

Authors of "**accepted abstracts**" are notified to prepare their presentations or posters to present in one of the working sessions of this event.

The Organizing Committee

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Objective

To present and discuss scientific research results, to share and exchange experience on the contribution of science, technology and innovation in the resolution of the social problems and in the promotion of the sustainable development.

Outputs

- ⇒ To present and discuss scientific research results;
- ⇒ To share experience on the implementation of Policies on Science, Technology and Innovation and expected impact;
- ⇒ To contribute for the management of social and environmental issues;
- ⇒ To contribute for the strengthening of food and nutrition security;
- ⇒ To promote the strengthening of public health and the systematization and enhancement of the indigenous knowledge;
- ⇒ To promote the use of technology in supporting sectors and at the service of society.

Target Audience

Managers, scientific community, experts, professionals and students with interests in the issues, according to the above topics.

Topics/Panels

PANEL I – Policies and instruments for the management of STI;

PANEL II – Social sciences, society and economics;

PANEL III – Science, food production and food and nutrition security.

PANEL IV – STI, environment and climate change

PANEL V – Technological innovation and public health.

PANEL VI – Technologies at the service of society.

Round table

"Science and the business agenda - convergences and divergences" (*provisional theme*)

Side Events

- Workshop on the registration and publication of literary and scientific works;
- *Seminar on the promotion and sharing of innovation*
- *"Angolan Inventor/Creator Fairs" and associated events (26 – 30 April 2017)*

Poster Session

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