



Guidelines for Authors

Welcome to the official submission portal for the 1st International Conference on Smart Sustainable Infrastructure for Circular Economy and Resource Efficiency. To ensure a smooth review process and maintain the high standards of our proceedings, all authors are requested to adhere to the following guidelines.

I. Core Submission Policies

- **Ethics & Plagiarism:** Authors must strictly follow our **Ethics and Plagiarism Policy**. Any paper exceeding the allowable plagiarism limit will be rejected immediately.
 - **Language:** Only original research papers written in **English** will be accepted.
 - **Commitment to Attend:** Submission of an abstract or paper constitutes a commitment that, if accepted, at least one author will register and attend the conference to present the work. Failure to do so will result in the paper being excluded from the official proceedings.
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II. Author Self-Check

To improve the quality of your submission and expedite the review process, please perform a self-check against the following criteria:

- **Scope:** Does the paper align with the theme of Smart Sustainable Infrastructure, Circular Economy, or Resource Efficiency.
 - **Quality:** Is the English at an international conference standard, free of syntactical errors and misspellings?
 - **Acknowledgment:** Have all individuals who contributed substantially to the research been properly credited?
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III. Abstract Submission Process

Researchers are invited to submit abstracts (maximum **250 words**) that summarize the paper's goals, methodology, results, and conclusions.

- **Requirements:** Include full mailing addresses, affiliations, emails of all authors, and relevant keywords.



- **Review Process:** Abstracts will undergo a peer review by an expert panel. Authors of selected abstracts will be invited to submit a full research paper.
- **Template:** Use the official format: [[Download Abstract Template](#)]
- **How to Submit:** Submissions are managed via CMT. If you are a new user, you will need to create an account.

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IV. Post-Acceptance Procedures

1. **Full Paper Submission:** Upon abstract acceptance, authors must submit a full paper for blind peer review using the prescribed template.
2. **Copyright:** Once the full paper is accepted, authors must complete and sign a **Copyright Transfer Form**.
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 - Corresponding authors may be asked to provide extended or revised versions based on journal requirements.
 - Please note that **additional fees** apply for papers selected for journal publication.

V. Final Full Paper Submission

After successful peer review, the final version of your work must be submitted directly to the conference secretariat.

Requirement	Detail
Submission Email	@admin.mu et.edu.pk
File Format	Editable MS Word format (.doc or .docx)



Requirement	Detail
Content	All figures, tables, and images must be embedded in the file.
Page Limit	5 to 10 pages (including references and appendices).
Required Forms	Final Paper + Signed Copyright Transfer Form.

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