



## The 5th Annual Undergraduate Student Research Conference 2019

### Participation and Abstract Guidelines

#### Abstract Writing Guidelines

- You should write your abstract **in English** unless you completed your research project for a course delivered in Arabic.
- Your abstract should be a **one paragraph summary (max. 200 words)** of your research project.
- Abstracts should include the following points (only!):
  - i. Background about the topic / problem that you investigated
  - ii. Aim(s) of your research project
  - iii. Research methods
  - iv. Results
  - v. Conclusion(s)
- You should also provide a title for your research project (**max. 20 words**).

#### Who is eligible to participate?

- All undergraduate students from UAEU and other higher education institutions in the UAE are eligible to submit their abstract proposals.
- Only registered and active undergraduate students are eligible to participate.
- All presenters attending from external institutions will need to undergo a routine security clearance process to be able to present at the conference. Further details will be provided on acceptance of your proposal.

#### How to choose a research project for the conference?

- You can submit an abstract for any research project you have already completed, individually or as a group (max. 4 participants).
- You may only submit an abstract for **your own original** research.
- If you're submitting an abstract for a group project, you should get permission from all group members beforehand.

## What to submit?

- You need to submit a well-written abstract (max. 200 words) of your research project. Please see the section on ABSTRACT WRITING GUIDELINES.
- In addition to the abstract, we also require the following details from you:
  - Your contact details
  - Co-presenters' details (if any)
  - Your institute's details
  - Your research supervisor's contact details
  - Type of presentation: oral presentation (15 minutes) or poster presentation

## How to submit?

- All applicants must submit their abstracts online using the Abstract Submission link

## What happens after you submit your abstract?

- Abstracts will be reviewed by a selection panel from your institute/college.
- Your institute/UAEU college will select the best abstract proposals as follows:
  - UAEU** – max. 7 research projects per college (15 minute oral presentations: max. 4 per college | poster presentations: max. 3 per college)
  - External institutes** – max. 4 research projects per institute (15 minute oral presentations: max. 2 per institute | posters: max. 2 per college)
- All applicants will be notified about the outcome of their application by email.