



Department of Economics and Development Studies  
Covenant University

## Call for Papers & Participation

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International Conference on Demography and Economic Development

**Theme: Demographic Change and Sustainable Development**

**Date:** Monday July 14 to Wednesday July 16, 2014

**Venue:** African Leadership Development Centre (ALDC), Covenant University, Canaanland, Ota, Ogun State, Nigeria

### Background

Debates on population growth and economic development have been on for centuries. Over the last 50 years, available statistics confirm that the world population has more than doubled, from 3 billion in 1960s to over 7 billion in 2012. Global experts also submitted that the young age structure in low and middle income economies is an obvious indication that the population growth in the coming decades is inevitable. In so much as human beings are the centers of concern for sustainable development, considerations on the changing numbers, characteristics and distributions must be core to any serious analysis of changes and opportunities for sustainable development.

The aim of the conference is therefore to share and disseminate research evidences on current and future population impact on sustainable economic development especially as it relates to various ongoing developmental agenda. Lessons from the remarkable experience of East-Asian countries on rapid demographic change and economic growth will be core to presentations at this conference. We are inviting papers and posters submissions that address empirical, theoretical and policy driven full paper presentations. Participation is opened to all academics, researchers, professionals, policy makers and students from around the globe.

### Conference Sub-Themes

#### **Demographic Change, Government Policy and Sustainable Development**

Demographic Change, Social Services and Economic Development

Demographic Change, Employment and Social Inclusion

Demographic Change, Social Planning and Economic Development

Demographic Change and Fiscal Policy

Demographic Change, Education Access and Human Capital Development

Demographic Change, Informal Sector and Labour Market Interactions

Demographic Change and Unemployment

Demographic Change Poverty and Inequality

#### **Demographic Change, Environment and Sustainable Development**

Demographic Change and Climate Vulnerability

Demographic Change and Green Technologies,

Demographic Change and Environmental Degradation

Demographic Change and Land Use

Demographic Change, Biodiversity, Resources Depletion and Economic Development

#### **Demographic Change, Financial Institutions and Economic Development**

Demographic Change and Deposit Mobilization

Demographic Change, Bankruptcy, Liquidation and Economic Development

Demographic Change, Financial Performance and Economic Development

Demographic Change, Financial Policies and Economic Development

#### **Demographic Change, Reproductive Health and Sustainable Development**

Demographic Drivers (Fertility, Mortality, migration) and Economic Development

Demographic Change, Gender and Sexuality

Demographic Change and Child Health  
 Demographic Change and Family Planning and wellbeing  
 Demographic Change and Male Reproductive Health and Rights  
 Demographic Change and Morbidity in Sustainable Development  
 Demographic Change, Gender, Families and Economic Development

Demographic Change, Conflict/Violence and Economic Development

**Demographic Change, Information Technology and Sustainable Development**

Demographic Change, Technological Aided Crimes and Economic Development  
 Demographic Change, Knowledge Management Strategies and Economic Development

**Instructions for Submission of Paper and posters**

Authors should send complete papers of not more than 15 pages of A4 paper or one page poster (including tables, figures and references and abstract limited to 250 words only). Paper must be computer-typed, 1½ Spacing, Times New Roman 12. Cover page should embody the Title (not more than 16 words), Name(s) of Author(s), Institution(s) of Affiliation, current e-mail address and one working mobile phone number. All references must conform to APA Style.

**Important Dates**

Submission commences December 15, 2013

Closing Date for Submission: March 15, 2014

Please submit to: **deco@covenantuniveristy.edu.ng**

Authors of selected papers/posters will be notified by e-mail on or before April 15, 2014.

**Accepted papers will be published in special edition of Covenant Journal of Business and Social Sciences, ISSN2006-0300.**

**Conference Registration Fee**

S/N	Participant	Local (₦)	Foreign (\$)
1	Individual	15,000	150
2	Corporate Registration	75,000	500
3	Student	5,000	50

**Accommodation**

Hotel accommodations are available within and around the campus at affordable rates.

Details will be forwarded on request

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