



# CALL FOR PAPERS



## 2023 AGRODEP Annual Conference



*Building Resilient African Food Systems amid Health, Conflict & Climate Disruptions*



📅 March 21-23, 2023

📍 Kigali, Rwanda | 🖥️ Join us Online



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It is with great excitement that African Growth and Development Policy (**AGRODEP**) Modeling Consortium announces its scientific conference to be held from March 21-23, 2023, in Kigali, Rwanda. The conference will feature sessions on a range of topics related to economic development in Africa. The thrust of the conference is to provide a premier interdisciplinary platform for AGRODEP members and affiliates to present and discuss the most recent innovative research, trends, and concerns as well as practical challenges encountered and solutions adopted in the fields of economic development.

**AGRODEP members** are invited to submit papers relevant to issues of economic development in Africa.

### Contributions are expected on issues of:

- » Impact of COVID-19 in Africa
- » International trade
- » Value chain and financing analysis
- » Natural resource management
- » Climate change
- » Energy efficiency
- » Food security and nutrition
- » Food system transformation
- » Agricultural policy
- » Agribusiness development
- » Poverty and inequality
- » Gender and youth inclusivity
- » Database development
- » Micro-econometrics
- » Economic modeling
- » Impact evaluation
- » Livestock economics
- » Labor economics
- » Remote Sensing
- » Artificial Intelligence and machine learning
- » Credit risk modeling
- » SPS and food safety issues
- » Public health policy

The 2023 AGRODEP Annual Conference organizing committee invites AGRODEP members to submit their research as a candidate to present at this event.

This conference will be an excellent opportunity to promote technical and methodological innovation, research grants, networking opportunities, and a good contribution to the advancement of pro-agricultural macroeconomic policies that can catalyze transformation of food systems to ensure the achievement of the SDGs in Africa.

For more information on the conference, you are invited to contact the organizing committee directly at [awyamdjeu@akademiya2063.org](mailto:awyamdjeu@akademiya2063.org) and [ifofana@akademiya2063.org](mailto:ifofana@akademiya2063.org).

### Important Dates to Remember

- » Paper (long abstract) Submission Deadline: **December 20, 2022**
- » Decision on abstract acceptance: **January 20, 2023**
- » Final paper submission: **February 28, 2023**
- » Registration Deadline: **March 07, 2023**
- » Conference Dates: **March 21-23, 2023**

### Submission Guidelines

Please submit your long abstract research paper, which should not be **no more than 1000 Words**. The long abstract gives a summary of the paper and should include:

1. Introduction: Motivation, research questions, and objective.
2. Methodology: Presentation of the approach and data requirement.
3. Results: Discussion on key (expected) findings.
4. References

## Review Process

This conference is a important event, organized to provide an international platform for African experts, and researchers to share their research findings with global experts. All full paper submissions will be peer-reviewed and evaluated for originality, technical and/or research depth, accuracy, and relevance to the conference theme and topics.

## Next steps

- » You will receive a confirmation email letting you know that we've received your application.
- » We will reach out on January 20, 2023, to let you know if your abstract has been accepted.

Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions about this process.



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