Why Blue Economy is important to us?

Blue economy by the numbers The United Nations Environment Program estimates that half the world's population lives within 60 kilometers of the sea. The blue economy relates to the sustainable use and conservation of marine and aquatic resources, including: Seas, oceans, lakes, and rivers. Blue economy relates directly to SDG14 and indirectly to many others such as SDG1, SDG2, SDG3, SDG13, and SDG15.

Blue Economy includes many activities such as fishing, tourism, maritime transport, exploration of natural resources such as gas and oil, as well as emerging activities such as fish farming, extractive activity of seabed minerals and marine biotechnology, as well as other activities. It aims to develop and promote economic growth, fight poverty and improve the quality of life based on the various wealth of the sea with striving for its sustainability and preservation.

One of the main advantages of the "Blue Economy" is the fact that it is a clean and efficient economy that relies on low carbon emissions in various activities. The main motive is to reduce carbon emissions, reduce pollution and make good use of energy resources. Besides the good exploitation of natural resources and the conservation of biodiversity and other environmental services provided by the ecosystem.



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Registration Dates and Venue

10 – 13 September, 2019 Venue: Al Ain El-Sokhna, Hotel **TBD**

Deadline Dates

- 15th June 2019 Abstract submission
- 30th June 2019 notification of acceptance
- 15th August 2019 submission of the full paper

Fees	with pape	r without
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Foreigner (F)	500 \$	350\$
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Egyptian (Eg)	1200 LE	500 LE
Participants form SU	800 LE	400 LE
Post graduates (f-Af/Eg)	250 \$/550 LE	100 \$/300 LE
Undergraduates	150 \$/ 300 LE	70 \$/150LE

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Who may participate?

Blue Economy is one of the widest area of interest with a variety of multidisciplinary sectors for research. The African Blue Economy Conference in Egypt (ABEC) will be a great opportunity to gather all the interested community of marine Resources, marine science & technology. It will maximize the benefit of the African continent through the related advanced applications for observing, managing developing sustainably our marine and ecosystem.



The ABEC will bring together professionals of the marine field, practitioners and decisionmakers. It also attracts the best private vendors to show-off the latest in EO, monitoring, models, technologies. equipment and software developments. ABEC would attract researchers. lecturers, students (under- and post-graduates), stakeholders, decision makers, public beneficiaries as well as governmental and nongovernmental institutions.

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- 2. Remote sensing and GIS applications in the management of the marine and coastal environment
- 3. The use of advanced satellite data in the development of the blue economy

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