



University of Dar es Salaam

School of Education

International Conference



ADULT EDUCATION IN TANZANIA

*“Revitalizing Adult Education
for Sustainable Development”*



Date: 28th - 30th May, 2020 | Venue: New Library Conference Hall

Keynote Speakers



Ambassador
Dr Nicholas Kuhanga

A follower of Mwalimu Nyerere's philosophy on Adult education



Prof Wan Xiulan
Zhejiang Normal University

Professor of cooperative and adult education.



Prof Heribet Hinzen
Former Director, DVV International

A renown scholar in lifelong learning and international cooperation.



Prof Daniel Schugurensky
Arizona State University

An advocate of Paulo Freire's educational thoughts.



Prof Penina Mlama
University of Dar es Salaam

A staunch promoter of women's education and empowerment.

1. Preamble

The School of Education of the University of Dar es Salaam through its Department of Educational Foundations, Management and Lifelong Learning will host an International Conference to commemorate 50 years of Adult Education in Tanzania. The conference will bring together stakeholders of adult education from within and beyond Tanzania to reflect on its status since its declaration in 1970. The conference marks an important milestone in the roadmap towards reinvigorating the glory of Tanzania in the field of adult education.

2. Conference Themes and Sub-themes

These themes and sub-themes give a range of areas which conference participants can address in their presentations:

2.1 Reminiscences of adult education in Tanzania

- Nyerere on adult education and development.
- The national drive against illiteracy.

2.2 Adult education in the globalized world

- Harnessing ICT for community development.
- Expanding learning opportunities through Open and Distance Learning.
- Ethics and moral education for the youth and adults.

2.3 Optimizing the benefits of adult learning

- Adult education and the building of an industrial economy.
- Entrepreneurship education for the youth and adults.

2.4 Towards inclusive and equitable quality education for all

- Learning opportunities for marginalized and disadvantaged groups and communities.
- Gender issues in education.
- Adult education in higher learning institutions.

2.5 Comparative and international adult Education

- Adult learning in a comparative perspective.
- Country case studies.
- Comparative adult education research.

3. Expected Participants

The organizing committee invites participants from diverse backgrounds related to education in general and adult education in particular, participants from public and private educational institutions, governmental organisations, NGOs, CBOs, and others. Specifically, participants will include the academicians, researchers, practitioners, government and political leaders and students.

4. Important Dates

- Conference dates:
28th - 30th May 2020.
- Papers for the conference:
 - Abstract submission: 20/01/2020 – 28/02/2020
 - Notice of acceptance: 15/03/2020
 - Final paper/poster submission: 15/04/2020
- Guidelines for writing and submission of papers:
Please read the authors' kit available on conference website or upon request.
Note: Individuals and organizations are invited to register for exhibitions .

5. Registration Dates and Fees

- Registration dates
 - Registration Deadline: 15/05/2020
- Registration fees
 - Tanzanians:
 - Students TSh 100,000.00
 - Others TSh 200,000.00
 - Foreigners:
 - Students \$100.00
 - Others \$150.00

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