

TANZANIA SOCIETY OF ANIMAL PRODUCTION (TSAP)



TANZANIA SOCIETY OF ANIMAL PRODUCTION ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE 25 - 27th OCTOBER 2017, OLASIT GARDEN, ARUSHA, TANZANIA

FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR PAPERS

The 40th Annual Scientific Conference for the Tanzania Society of Animal Production (TSAP) will be held from 25 to 27th October 2017 at OLASIT GARDEN, ARUSHA, TANZANIA. The conference intends to bring together Animal Scientists, Veterinarians, Fisheries and Aquaculture Scientists, Economists and other stakeholders with interest in the livestock and fisheries industries. The TSAP conference 2017 will offer a unique opportunity to researchers, extension experts, managers and other stakeholders in the livestock and fisheries sub-sectors to share experiences and explore the role of livestock and fish production in the process of industrialization of the economy in Tanzania. The question on how the improvement of livestock and fish production can spearhead the process of industrialization in Tanzania will be discussed.

CONFERENCE THEME: Enhancing livestock and fish production for development of industrial economy in Tanzania

The sub-themes of the conference are:

- i. The role of livestock and fish production in the transition towards industrial economy in Tanzania
- ii. Use of improved feed technologies, quality feeds and feeding practices for enhancing livestock and fish productivity
- iii. Application of modern breeding technologies for enhancing livestock and fish productivity
- iv. Access and delivery of quality animal health services for enhancing livestock and fish productivity
- v. Value addition and improved marketing channels for commercial transformation of livestock and fisheries sub-sector.

CALL FOR PAPERS:

Good Scientific Papers related to the above sub-themes are invited for presentation at the conference. Two types of papers are invited for presentation at the conference:

- a) **Papers for Oral presentation:** The paper should NOT EXCEED 15 pages typed in double space using 12 pti Times New Roman in MS Word.
- b) **Papers for Poster presentation:** The Poster should NOT EXCEED 6 pages typed in double space using 12 pti Times New Roman in MS Word.

The following guidelines must be adhered to.

The manuscript should be divided into sections as follows: 1. Title of the paper, followed by authors' names and affiliations 2. Abstract, 3. Introduction 4. Materials and Methods 5. Results 6. Discussion 7. Conclusion 8. Acknowledgement 9. References. A 2.5 cm margin on both sides of the page is recommended. All headings should be in lower case, bolded and left justified. Tables and figures should be numbered according to their sequence in the text. The text should include references to all tables and figures. SI units should be used. All publications cited in the text should be presented in a list of references. References cited together in the text should be arranged chronologically. The list of references should be arranged alphabetically on authors' names, and chronologically per author.

Each contributor is required to submit an abstract of **not more than 300 words**. Abstracts and full papers must be in English. Authors are requested to indicate their preferred mode of presentation (i.e. oral or poster presentation) and the sub-theme under which they would like to present their papers. Nevertheless, selection of papers for oral or poster presentation will entirely depend upon the decision of the TSAP secretariat after considering their quality.

IMPORTANT DEADLINES:

Prospective presenters are strictly requested to adhere to the following schedule

Abstracts should reach the secretariat by **20th August, 2017**.

Full papers should reach the secretariat by **22nd September, 2017**

Conference expenses are:

	Members (TShs)	Non-members (TShs)	Foreigners (USD)
New membership fee	-	10,000.00	
Annual subscription	20,000.00	20,000.00	
Registration	130,000.00	130,00.00	100
Total	150,000.00	160,000.00	100

In addition to the above costs, participants are also expected to meet their travel costs to and from Arusha as well as the living costs during the entire period of the conference.

Kindly submit your abstracts and papers through email to the TSAP Secretariat. The file should be named using your surname followed by dash(-) and 40TSAP e.g. Chenyambuga-40TSAP. Please submit to chenyasw80@gmail.com and Ajmwilawa1@yahoo.com