



# International Conference on Emerging Trends In Engineering Technology (IConETech -2020)

March 13<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup> 2020

## **BOOT CAMP FOR WRITING PUBLICATION**

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2019, 9.30am – 11.30am Venue Room 101, Faculty of Engineering

### *Program Schedule*

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| 9.00-9.20am:    | Registration  |
| 9.20-9.25am:    | Opening Remarks<br><i>Prof. E. Ekwue, Dean, Faculty of Engineering</i>  |
| 9.25-9.30.00am: | Importance of the Boot Camp<br><i>Prof. B. Chowdary, (Deputy Dean Research &amp; PGS), Faculty of Engineering</i>   |
| 9.30 – 9.50am:  | STRUCTURE OF THE ABSTRACT<br><i>Dr. Hector Martin, Lecturer - Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering</i><br>Scholarly work (What defines it?) (Journal vs Other publications)<br>Types of abstract<br>Content of abstract<br>Pitfalls to avoid<br>Comments from journal reviewers on abstracts |
| 9.50 – 10.10am: | EXAMPLES OF ABSTRACTS – <i>Dr. Hector Martin</i><br>Abstract – Pre- reviewers comments<br>Abstract – Post- reviewers comments   |

10.10 – 10.30am:

**INTERACTIVE SESSION**

*Dr. Charmaine O'Brien – Delpesh, Lecturer -*

*Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering*

Demonstration – An example of an abstract to critique by audience

Good and bad (content, structure, grammar)

Suggestions for improvement

10.30 – 10.50am:

**WRITING THE INTRODUCTION - *Dr. Hector Martin***

Structure of the introduction

10.50 – 11.15am:

**REFERENCING (ENDNOTE)**

*Ms. Mariella Pilgrim, Head – User Services – Alma Jordan Library*

11.15-11.20am:

**Feedback**

11.20-11.25am:

**The Way Forward**

*Dr. J. Bridge, Head of Department, Mechanical and  
Manufacturing Engineering*

11.25-11.30am:

**Closing Remarks**

*Dr. T. Townsend, Head of Department,  
Civil and Environmental Engineering*

