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DOCUMENT: PROCEDURE FOR MANAGING CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

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2.0 DOCUMENT CHANGES

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26/9/2013	Procedure separated from	
	JOOUST/RIO/OP 46:	
	(Procedure for administration of	
	Research Projects and Grants)	•••••
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Restructured Clauses 6.1.1 - 6.1.8, removed 6.1.9

to 6.1.15 of method 6.1

Removed methods 6.2 and 6.3

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1.0 **Purpose** : To ensure efficient organization and conduct

of workshops and conferences.

2.0 **Scope**: This procedure covers all aspects regarding application of grants

and organization of Workshops and conferences.

- 3.0 **References:** 3.1 ISO 9001:2008 Standard
 - 3.2 JOOUST Quality Manual
 - 3.3 JOOUST Statutes
 - 3.4 JOOUST Strategic Plan
 - 3.5 JOOUST Service Charter

4.0 Terms and Definition

- **4.1 QMR:** Quality Management Representative
- **4.2 VC:** Vice-Chancellor
- **4.3 DVC, RIO:** Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Research, Innovation and Outreach
- **4.4 DVC, AA:** Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Academic Affairs
- **4.5 RPPC:** Research, Publication and Press Committee
- **4.6 Abstract:** Summary of Proposal
- **4.7 BUC:** Bondo University College
- **4.8 JOOUST:** Jaramogi Oginga Odinga University of Science and Technology
- **4.9 FHs:** Functional Heads (DVC, Deans, Directors, Registrars,

Heads of Sections/Units, Chairpersons of Departments)

5.0 Functions: Operative units within the University such as

Divisions, Schools/Departments and Directorates

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5.0 Responsibilities

5.1 Principal Responsibility:

The DVC, RIO shall coordinate all conferences within the University.

5.2 Other Responsibilities

The Director, Centre for Research, Innovation and Technology shall be responsible for the implementation and effective supervision of this procedure.

6.0 Method

6.1 Conferences

- 6.1.1 The DVC, RIO shall initiate and convene a meeting of the RPPC to table the proposal to conduct a conference/workshop.
- 6.1.2 The DVC, RIO shall forward the proposal to UMB for consideration.
- 6.1.3 The DVC, RIO shall, upon approval, constitute a conference organizing committee at least nine (9) months prior to the date of the event.
- 6.1.4 The conference organizing committee shall announce the conference.
- 6.1.5 The Chairperson of the Committee shall update the DVC, RIO on the progress of the preparations.
- 6.1.6 The committee shall conduct the conference.
- 6.1.7 The Chairperson shall present the workshop report and proceedings to the DVC, RIO.
- 6.1.8 The DVC, RIO shall update the VC on the conference/workshop activities.

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