## **8<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Services Management Abstract Preparation Guidelines**

Abstracts should be written for one of the following five tracks, numbered 1 to 5. Please see the Conference Tracks PDF for more information on track selection.

- 1. Creating Value, Innovation in Delivering and Managing Services
- 2. Business Development
- 3. Ethics and Corporate Social Responsibility
- 4. Services Marketing and Services Branding
- 5. Teaching and Learning and Methodology

Please submit abstracts of 400-500 words with the following headings:

- Objective 2-3 lines
- Methodology/Approach- 3 to 4 lines
- Major findings -3 lines
- Conclusions- 3 lines
- Implications -2 lines

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- Author information
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  - Affiliation
  - o Current positions in organizations such as Assistant Professor, Doctoral Student, etc.
  - o Complete address
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