

# CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

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## African Graduate Students Conference Bahir Dar University (AGSC-VI-BDU-2026)



The School of Graduate Studies at Bahir Dar University will be hosting the six African Graduate Students Conference (AGSC-VI-BDU-2026) on May **11-12, 2026 under the theme of "An Integrated, Prosperous and Peaceful Africa Driven by Its Graduate Students towards Agenda 2063"**. This conference is the pioneer by its nature in Ethiopia, organized for graduate students' only (Master and PhD students) in different disciplines to discuss the latest findings in their research areas.

The **AGS-VI-BDU-2026 aims** to help graduate students share their research and gain experience by presenting their research work in a formal conference environment. The conference will be an exciting and beneficial platform not only for networking among other graduate students from all over Ethiopian Universities but also for building the essential skills needed to venture into the career world. Organizing and hosting a conference for graduate students is in line with Bahir Dar University vision of becoming one of the premier research universities in Africa. Bahir Dar University has a distinct and proud reputation for its academic and research excellence, innovation, enlightened discourse and its ability to provide a platform to allow differing voices to be heard. All accepted submissions are published in the **African Graduate Students Conference Proceedings (AGSCP)** as a book of abstracts, which is distributed to participants during the annual conference. These contributions are also published online to ensure wider accessibility and reach.

### Objective

The aim of AGSC-VI-BDU-2026 is to provide a platform for graduate students from African Universities to present their research results and development activities in all field of specialization.

Main events in the Conference

Oral presentation (student presentation and keynote speakers)

Poster presentation

Best paper awards will be assigned during the conference and delivered to recipients

### Don't miss it!

- Q The event provides a friendly and formal platform for graduate students in all areas of specializations to present and discuss their current research, and
- Q The event helps graduate students to get connected and share experiences with students from other universities in the country and abroad.
- Q An increasing number of young researchers will take part in this event, acknowledging it as an important opportunity for scientific intellectual debate and critical reflection on emerging research agendas across many disciplines
- Q High-level scientific content supported by innovation and creativity

1. Submit abstracts through the online portal: <http://journals.bdu.edu.et/index.php/AGSCP>
2. Deadline for submission of abstracts: **March 31, 2026**
3. Acceptance Notification: **April 25, 2026**



N.B: Participation modality is either in-person or virtual.