

Journal of Conflict Management and Sustainable Development

Editor's Note

I am delighted to welcome you to the latest issue of the *Journal of Conflict Management and Sustainable Development*, Volume.7, No.1.

This publication offers the reader a deeper understanding and analysis of issues touching on pertinent themes on Conflict Management and Sustainable Development.

Sustainable Development has been globally accepted as one of the blueprints of development. In Kenya, it is enshrined as one of the national values and principles of governance under article 10 of the Constitution. Sustainable Development Goal 16 seeks to promote peaceful and inclusive societies. The themes covered in this volume are expected to trigger political, economic, social, technological, environmental and legal responses towards achieving the ideals of Sustainable Development and promoting peace and social justice.

The Journal has continued to witness immense growth since its launch. It now commands a wide global audience. It is a valuable resource for scholars, authors, readers, students, policy makers and everyone interested in broadening their understanding in the areas of conflict management and sustainable development.

The Journal is peer reviewed and refereed so as to ensure the highest quality of academic standards and credibility of information.

This volume captures relevant and pertinent topics on Conflict Management and Sustainable Development including *Sustainable Development Goals and Social Justice in Kenya; Giving Natural Resources a Legal Personality: A Kenyan Perspective; Internship: A Bridge to Employment or a Trap to a Disguised Employment Relationship; The Protection of the Environment during Armed Conflict; Leaving no One Behind: A Case for The Ending of Digital Exclusion of Women for Sustainable Development in Kenya; East Africa Community's' Response to Burundi Crisis: A Case for Formulation of An Intervention Policy; The First Liberian Civil War (1989-1997): The Ethnic Identity Contingency during the Violent Conflict; Rethinking The National Legal Aid Service; A Critical Analysis of the Human Rights Approach in*

Environmental Management in Kenya; (Re) Defining Environmental Justice: Perspectives and Challenges; Towards Legal Recognition and Protection of Environmentally Displaced Persons Under Refugee Law.

The Editorial Team is committed towards developing and refining the content of the Journal to enhance its quality, scope and diversity. We welcome feedback and suggestions from our readers on how to continue improving the Journal.

I wish to thank the contributing authors, editorial team, reviewers and all those who have made this publication possible.

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The Editorial Team welcomes submissions of papers, commentaries, case reviews and book reviews on the themes of Conflict Management and Sustainable Development or other related fields of knowledge to be considered for publication in subsequent issues of the Journal. These submissions should be channeled to editor@journalofcmsd.net and copied to admin@kmco.co.ke

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