



Multi-node Symposiums for Innovations in Health and Aged Care Knowledge Transfer: Australian and Middle Eastern and Northern African (MENA) Perspectives

Call for Papers



Segment 1: Adelaide, Australia (Flinders University) and Cairo, Egypt (The American University in Cairo)

18 April 2024

Segment 2: Adelaide, Australia (Flinders University) and Jeddah, Saudi Arabia (King Abdul Aziz University)

5 June 2024

Each segment will consist of a multi-node symposium live streamed across Adelaide and Cairo, and then Adelaide and Jeddah. The symposium aims to connect the health and aged care industry and academia in the MENA region and Australia through dissemination of transnational knowledge and dedicated stakeholder discussion and networking sessions. Papers may be delivered virtually. **Call for Abstracts closes on 4**March 2024.

See below for further details.















Symposium Themes:

Innovation in health and aged Care in the MENA region and Australia

Identifying avenues for, and overcoming barriers to, facilitating trans-national partnerships in education and industry relations in health and aged care between the MENA region and Australia

Cross-border trade and investment between Australia and MENA region in relation to health/aged care

Social Licence, health and aged care

Role of traditional Muslim culture and Islamic law in modern health and aged care in the MENA countries and within Muslim migrant populations in Australia

Misconceptions, cultural understandings, and social attitudes towards the aged care sector

Emerging digital technologies in the health and aged care industry in Australia and the MENA region

Ethics of health and aged care

Any other policy, cultural, professional and legal issues concerning trade, investment and corporate transaction in health and aged care between Australia and the MENA region.

Guidelines for Submission:

Word limit for abstract submissions is 300 words, which will be peer reviewed by two academics.

Written papers can be submitted after the conference and may be published in the proceedings of the symposium. Selected papers will be invited for possible publication in a special issue of a journal or an edited book.

Guidelines for Poster Submission:

Include title of the poster and abstract of up to 200 words explaining your research and the visual components, which will be peer reviewed by two academics.

The suggested size of the paper is size A1 or 594mm x 841mm (landscape or portrait orientation).

For submissions of abstracts and any enquiries, please contact:

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