

**TITLE OF THE PRESENTATION (TIMES NEW ROMAN 12, BOLDFACE,
CAPITAL, CENTRED)**

Author Name¹, Author Name^{2*}, Author Name² (first name, middle initials and last name; please indicate the corresponding author with * in its last name, e.g., Anne P.T. Silva*) (Times New Roman 11, boldface, centred)

¹ Affiliation with complete address (Times New Roman 10, centred)

² Affiliation with complete address (Times New Roman 10, centred); please provide e-mail address, phone and fax number for the corresponding author

ABSTRACT (TIMES NEW ROMAN 11, BOLDFACE, CAPITAL, LEFT JUSTIFIED)

The authors are kindly requested to follow these guidelines for abstracts submission.

Choose a concise title that describes properly the work being submitted. For the title, authors' names and affiliation please follow the guidelines indicated above. Abstracts should be typed on A4, left and right margins with 2.5 cm, top margin with 3 cm and bottom margin 2 cm. Please provide the main text of the abstract with no more than 500 words in 11 point Times New Roman style, single-spaced and left- and right-justified (do not use more than one A4 page). Leave 6 points before a new paragraph. The abstract should contain the objective, the experimental procedure, the main results and conclusions of the work. English is the preferred language but abstracts may also be submitted in Portuguese or Spanish. In these cases, a second abstract written in English, on another page of the same file, is mandatory.

Submit the abstract online in Adobe PDF file (preferably), or in MS Word file, by 20 January, 2010. A simultaneous pre-registration is also performed for the corresponding author who will receive a notification by e-mail. Upon submission the copyright of the abstract will be transferred to the **XXI TECNICELPA Conference and Exhibition / VI CIADICYP 2010**. The Abstracts will then be forwarded to the Scientific Committee for evaluation. Information on the abstracts acceptance/refusal will be sent to the corresponding author's e-mail address, as well as the topic assigned, presentation type (oral / poster), work registration number and the programme scheduling.

An accepted abstract constitutes a commitment by the author to present their work at the Conference. The Abstracts will be published in the Proceedings Book and the Full Manuscripts in the Conference CD. Only the Abstracts following the guidelines and further submitted as a Full Manuscript in the correct format (please see the corresponding guidelines) will be published. At least one of the authors must be registered. The number of papers per corresponding (and registered) author is limited to three, regardless whether they were chosen for poster or oral presentation. A comprehensive evaluation of the manuscript will be carried out by the Scientific Committee following previously defined and strict criteria. Eventual modification of the full manuscript found necessary will then be communicated to the corresponding author, together with the deadline for sending the final version in Adobe PDF format.

An improved version of the Abstract previously accepted may be sent by the corresponding author by 15 May, 2010. If this is the case, the corresponding author must indicate it in the "Notes" field of the online Submission Form.

In case of any questions please contact the Conference Secretariat:

tecnicelpa.ciadicyp@tecnicelpa.com.

Keywords: please provide maximum 5, in alphabetical order, separated by commas.