

**4<sup>th</sup> IPG International Geosciences Conference on  
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**PROCEDURES & CRITERIA FOR PAPERS AND SLIDE PRESENTATIONS**

**A. PAPERS PROCEDURE AND CRITERIA**

**A. 1 General Rules**

1. Topic of the paper should be relevant to the general topic of the conference, Topics of interest for submission include, but are not limited to:
  - Mineralogy, Petrology, Geochemistry, and Volcanology
  - Geological Mapping
  - Mineral Resources and Mining geology
  - Tectonic and Structural geology
  - Sedimentology and Stratigraphy
  - Geophysics and seismology
  - Petroleum Geology
  - Palaeontology
  - Geomorphology
  - Geohazards and geotechnics
  - Remote sensing and geo-informatics
  - Hydrogeology, hydrochemistry and hydrology
  - Environmental geology
  - Marine geology
  - Geothermal
  - Economic Geology
2. Full-text papers should be at least four (4) full pages and not exceed more than eight (8) pages.
3. Maximum words of the paper are 4000 words.
4. The paper should be written in English, Portuguese or Tetum.
5. Papers should be prepared using the Word Template.
6. All accepted papers will be published in the conference proceedings after undergone a pre-conference selection process.

7. The abstract should be submitted to the IPG conference committee before **September 18<sup>th</sup> 2018**.
8. The full-text of accepted paper should be submitted to the IPG conference committee one (1) week after the notification of acceptance.
9. The paper submitted must free from plagiarism.
10. Authors of accepted papers will present their studies orally.

## **A.2 Important Dates**

<b>Description</b>	<b>Date</b>
Abstract Submission Deadline	18 September 2018
Notification of Acceptance	25 September 2018
Final Paper Submission	02 October 2018
Registration Deadline	09 October 2018

## **A. 3 Manuscript Guidelines**

1. The manuscripts must be double-spaced typed, with Arial font and 11 font size.
2. The manuscript of a paper should be arranged as follows:
  - Title Page
  - Abstract and Keywords
  - Introduction
  - Material & Methods
  - Results & Discussion
  - Conclusion
  - Acknowledgement
  - References

### ***Title Page***

- Title of the paper must informative, concise and relevant to the general topic of the conference.
- Author names and affiliations must be positioned below the title, followed by authors' affiliation addresses.
- Provide the e-mail address of each author.
- Clearly indicate the corresponding author.

### ***Abstract and Keywords***

- An abstract should have no more than 500 words and no less than 200 words.
- Abstract of the paper should describe briefly the purpose of research, method, result and conclusion.
- Abstract of the paper should not contain any picture.
- Should contain maximum five (5) keywords.

### ***Introduction***

- Emphasize on the purposes of the work and its importance.

### ***Material & Methods***

- Provide sufficient detail related with the methodology of study
- Material or equipment utilized to conduct the study

### ***Results & Discussion***

- Results of study should be clear and concise.
- A combined Results and Discussion section is often appropriate.
- Extensive citations and discussion of published literature should be avoided.

### ***Conclusion***

- Should state the final conclusion of the study and recommendation for further work.

### ***Acknowledgements***

- Contains acknowledgement to individuals who provided help during the research (e.g., providing language help, writing assistance or proof reading the article, etc.).

### ***Reference***

- Must cite the relevant research only.
- Please ensure that every reference cited in the text is also present in the reference list (and vice versa).
- APA citation style is recommended

## **B. SLIDE PRESENTATIONS PROCEDURE**

- The title of the presentation should be relevant to the general topic and sub topic of the conference.
- The duration of the presentation is maximum 20 minutes (15 minutes for presentation and 5 minutes for discussion).
- The presentation slide should be written in English.
- The presentation can be delivered in Tetum, Portuguese and English language.
- The presentation file must be sent two (2) days prior to conference day.
- In case you want to bring your presentation file(s) with you on a USB memory stick, please be sure that the file(s) are copied correctly onto the memory stick. A presentation file stored on a USB flash drive must be uploaded to the conference computer before the start of your session.