



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY VICE CHANCELLOR
RESEARCH, INNOVATION AND OUTREACH

POST WORKSHOP/CONFERENCE REPORT

Submission of Workshop/Conference reports

Two weeks after attendance of workshop or conference, members of staff are expected to submit brief reports. The objective of the report is to identify lessons/experiences for dissemination, share ideas and best practices and potential networks/partnerships to be pursued. The report should incorporate the following:

- ✚ The **Summary Statement** - describe the workshop/conference attended (Where? When? Conference objectives? Target Audience? Conference organisers?)
- ✚ The **Workshop/ Conference Details** describe the themes discussed:
 - Describe your expectations or objectives(s) in attending the workshop or conference.
 - Describe your overall reaction to the workshop or conference and whether your expectations or objective(s) were met.
 - Mention what aspect of the workshop or conference was of particular value to you.
- ✚ List the **Lessons learnt or conference outcomes**
- ✚ Attach additional documents like **paper presented, PowerPoint presentations.**

The report and accompanying documents should be submitted in electronic format to the Registrar Research, Innovation and Outreach at <registrar-rio@ku.ac.ke>.

CONFERENCE/ WORKSHOP REPORT

Attendee Name: Dr. Jacob Omolo

Attendee Designation and Department: Senior Lecturer, Department of Applied Economics

Title of workshop/conference: Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) Researchers' Conference

Conference URL: [Click here to enter text.](#)

Conference Summary: *Brief description, conference organizers, target audience, venue and duration.*

The Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) Researchers' Conference was organized by the Solidarity Center (SC). The conference was aimed at disseminating research findings on BRI activities, and facilitating networking amongst the BRI researchers. The meeting brought together researchers and actors focusing on *Advancing Workers' Rights on China's Belt and Road Initiative (BRI)* in Cambodia, Indonesia, Kenya and Peru. The conference was held on December 10-11, 2022 at Holiday Inn Hotel, Bangkok.

Workshop/ Conference Objectives: *Describe conference objectives*

The objectives of the conference were to:

- ✓ Disseminate research findings on *Advancing Workers' Rights on China's Belt and Road Initiative (BRI)* in Cambodia, Indonesia, Kenya and Peru
- ✓ Assess and identify priority areas for furthering collaborative research amongst the BRI researchers and countries
- ✓ Facilitate networking among the BRI researchers

Lessons learnt: *Identify specifically what you are bringing back from the conference that relates to your departmental/school/University objectives.*

Mechanisms for:

- ✓ linkages with researchers and academicians
- ✓ undertaking action-oriented research
- ✓ collaborative research project on BRI
- ✓ networking and collaboration

Title of Paper/Presentations/Lectures done by self:

Advancing Workers' Rights on China's Belt and Road Initiative: Kenya Country Case Study

Partnership/Collaborations/Funding Opportunities/Networks Developed: *List new contacts developed that may be useful for collaborations and funding*

Best wishes
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Additional Comments.

The conference emphasized the need for stronger networking and collaborative research