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1st International Conference on Agricultural Industry: Applications, Challenges, and Solutions Towards Sustainability

Arid Lands Cultivation Research Institute,
City of Scientific Research and Technological
Applications, New Borg El Arab, Alexandria,
Egypt



6-7 Dec 2026
Start at 09:00 am



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Conference Vision

Agriculture in arid and semi-arid regions faces increasing challenges such as water scarcity, soil degradation, climate change, and rising costs. This conference, led by the Arid Lands Cultivation Research Institute, serves as a platform for researchers, experts, decision-makers, and the private sector to exchange knowledge, address obstacles, and promote innovative, sustainable solutions that enhance food security and environmental and economic sustainability in arid environments.

Conference Themes

- Sustainable agriculture in arid regions
- Water management and smart irrigation
- Soil improvement and salinity resistance
- Climate change adaptation
- Animal production systems suitable for arid environments
- Agricultural biotechnology and microbiology
- Beneficial microbes and bio-stimulants
- Biological control of plant diseases
- Genetic engineering and crop improvement
- Digital and smart agriculture
- Artificial intelligence and IoT in agriculture
- Predictive models and risk management
- Agricultural industry and value addition
- Agro-processing and food industries
- Agricultural supply chains and marketing
- Food quality and safety
- Obstacles and challenges toward sustainability
- Economic and legislative barriers
- Environmental and social challenges
- Technology transfer and capacity building
- Agricultural entrepreneurship and innovation
- Startups in the agricultural sector
- Green finance and agricultural investment
- Successful international experiences

Registration Fees

Category	Early Registration (Before 5 July 2026)	Late Registration (After 5 July 2026)
Egyptian Participant with paper (oral/poster)	1000 EGP	1200 EGP
Egyptian Participant without paper	800 EGP	1000 EGP
International participant (oral/poster)	400 USD	450 USD
International participant without paper	300 USD	350 USD
Students	500 EGP	700 EGP

*Group Discount: 10% discount for groups of ten or more, with one combined payment.

Abstract Guidelines

- Language: English
- Word limit: 300 words (excluding title and authors)
- Font: Times New Roman (12 pt text, 14 pt bold title)
- Line spacing: 1.5
- Margins: 2.5 cm
- Alignment: Justified
- One page only using the conference template
- Presenting author underlined
- Affiliations and corresponding author email required
- No tables or figures
- Only original unpublished work
- Must align with conference themes
- Scientific committee may change presentation type

Poster Guidelines

- Size: 90 cm (W) × 120 cm (H)
- Orientation: Portrait
- Language: English
- Use light background and calm colours
- Use bullet points, avoid long paragraphs
- Readable from 1–1.5 meters
- Must be mounted before the poster session
- Author must be present during discussion

Key Dates

- Early registration: before 5 July 2026
- Late registration: after 5 July 2026
- Abstract deadline: 30 July 2026
- Acceptance notification: 25 August 2026
- Full paper submission: 25 September 2026

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