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**International Scientific and Practical Conference**

**«** **Youth Entrepreneurship in the Eastern Partnership Countries: the Experience of Formation and Prospects for Development»**

The project is carried out within Erasmus + program (http://heifye.hduht.edu.ua)"Higher educational institutions for youth entrepreneurship".

**September 13-14, 2018**

**(Batumi, Georgia)**

The Organizing Committee invites you to participate in the International Scientific and Practical Conference "Youth Entrepreneurship in the Eastern Partnership Countries: the Experience of Formation and Prospects for Development", which will be held in Batumi, September 13-14, 2018 at Batumi Shota Rustaveli State University.

**Scientific Themes**

1. Youth Entrepreneurship: Role, Experience, Problems and Prospects of Development in the Eastern Partnership Countries;
2. Institutional, juridical, organizational, financial and social backgrounds for the development and support of youth entrepreneurship in the countries of the Eastern Partnership;
3. Innovative methods and programs supporting the entrepreneurial initiative of youth: the experience of the EU countries and the Eastern Partnership;
4. The experience of EU countries for the development of the entrepreneurial ecosystem in the countries of the Eastern Partnership;
5. Place and role of the educational system in the development of youth entrepreneurship. Youth entrepreneurship and informational technology;
6. The role of social entrepreneurship in the economic development of the Eastern countries.

**Important dates:**

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| Beginning of the applications submission is on | the 1st of May 2018 |
| Deadline for the Applications is on | the 10th of July 2018 |
| Report on the acceptance (rejection) of the applications is on | the 15th of July 2018 |
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| The conference will be held on | the 13 – 14th of September 2018 |

**THE OFFICIAL LANGUAGES OF THE CONFERENCE ARE** English, Georgian, Russian.

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**CONFERENCE PUBLICATIONS**

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Prior to the conference, the accepted materials will be published in the Digest of the Conference articles in e-form.

According to the results of the reports, the works selected by the program committee (O/R of the authors) can be published in the journals INTELECTI (ISSN 1512-0333), Journal of Business Management (ISSN 1691-5348).

If necessary, accommodation will be provided (hotel-type rooms) and an invitation to the conference will be sent. The date and time of the presentations at the conference will be agreed with the participants.

We will be glad to support the participants of the conference.

The Organizing Committee of the Conference