

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS & PAPERS

2nd National Conference On Technology-facilitated Gender-Based Violence (TFGBV) In Universities & TVETS In Kenya

Conference Dates: 8th – 10th December 2025



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THEME:

“Research and Innovation Towards Online Safety”

BACKGROUND

Kenya's tertiary learning institutions are both a hub of digital innovation and a frontline in the fight against TFGBV. A study by University of Nairobi - Women Economic Empowerment Hub and Centre for Collaborative for Gender and Development (2023) with support from UNFPA, revealed that nearly 90% of university students have witnessed TFGBV, with women disproportionately affected.

WHY ATTEND?

This national youth-focused conference brings together students, Researchers, administrators, policymakers, government, private tech firms, law enforcement, and civil society to:

- Share new evidence on TFGBV in higher education
- Showcase youth-led & tech-driven digital safety solutions
- Agree on practical institutional & policy actions around research and innovation.

Conference Tracks

Track 1: Understanding TFGBV

Forms, prevalence, impacts, intersectionality, online learning risks

Track 2: Digital Safety Innovations

Student-led campaigns, tech industry solutions, AI & forensics, grassroots innovations

Track 3: Policy & Institutional Responses

Campus frameworks, national policy gaps, survivor support systems, partnerships

Submission Guidelines

We welcome abstracts, papers, case studies, policy briefs, and innovation pitches.

- Abstract length: not more than 250 words, with 5-9 keywords
- Submission deadline: **30th October 2025**
- Notification of acceptance: **15th November 2025**
- Registration of the conference: **14th November 2025**
- Send your abstracts and full papers to the Secretariat, TFGBV Conference 2025 to Submission Email: **TFGBVconference25@kibu.ac.ke**
- Contact Person: **Prof. John W. Makokha, Kibabii University**

Conference Highlights

- Plenaries & Breakout Sessions
- Youth Forums & Innovation Fair
- Exhibitions (Gov't ministries, Women in Tech, Private Sector)
- Survivor Support Commitments
- GBV Awareness Campaigns in Bungoma Schools

Conference Charges

Conference fees to be made by Bankers' Cheque/Direct cash to ABSA Bank Kenya PLC Account Name: Kibabii University. Account Number: 2028252628; Bungoma Branch (Swift code: BARCENX). A scanned bank slip can be sent via email: **TFGBVconference25@kibu.ac.ke**

Category	Early-Bird Registration	Normal Registration	Late Registration
Kenyan Students	KES 1000	KES 1000	KES 1500
KIBU Staff	KES 3000	KES 3500	KES 4000
East African staff / students	KES 5,000	KES 5,500	KES 6,000
Other countries	\$100	\$100	\$100

Registration fees payment deadline is 14th November, 2025

EDITORIAL PANEL

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