Conference Announcement!



The Co-operative University of Kenya (CUK) in collaboration with Moshi Co-operative University (MoCU) - Tanzania and Cooperative College - UK

The 3rd Cooperative Movement Stakeholders Conference 2025

Theme: "COOPERATIVES BUILD A BETTER WORLD: RE-ENERGIZING THE COLLECTIVE POWER OF COOPERATIVES IN AFRICA"

| Host: | The Co-operative University of Kenya | |
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| Venue: | Lake Naivasha Sawela Lodge (Blended - Virtual & In-person). | |
| Dates: | 22 nd to 24 th July 2025 | |

Sub-Theme 1

Historical Perspective of the Cooperative Movement

Key Issues:

- Evaluation of African diaspora cooperatives since
- Role of cooperatives in civil rights and liberation the 1840s.
- Traditional African cooperatives systems and their

The Global Challenges and

Cooperative Solutions

modern adaptations.

Sub-Theme 4

Key Issues:

Sub-Theme 2

Contemporary Applications

Key Issues:

- Financial inclusion and cooperative banking.
- Agricultural cooperatives and food security.
- Housing cooperatives and community development.
- Healthcare cooperatives and access to medical services.
- Educational cooperatives and skill development.

Sub-Theme 5

Mainstreaming climate change mitigation and adaptations

Key Issues:

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- Transportation and carbon emissions.
- Climate Friendly Agribusiness.
- · Overall Food Security.

CONFERENCE **CHARGES:**

Innovation and Future Directions

Youth engagement and cooperative entrepreneurship.

Digital technologies in cooperative management.

Policy frameworks and enabling environments.

Cross-border cooperative networks.

• Environmental sustainability initiatives.

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Sub-Theme 3



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