



Education 6.0 | STEMMA Leadership Summit Submission Guidelines

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1. Proposal Guidelines

For Workshops, Keynotes, Panels, and Exhibits

- **Eligibility:** Open to educators, policymakers, researchers, thought leaders, and innovators aligned with Education 6.0.
 - **Length:** Max 500-word abstract or proposal summary.
 - **Themes:** Submissions must align with one or more focus areas: *Curriculum Sovereignty and Policy Innovation, STEMMA for Human and Planetary Sustainability, Artificial Intelligence and Automation in Learning Futures, Education Finance and Institutional Innovation, LIKEMS Architecture in Workforce Development, SIM: Stemmatize, Industrialise and Modernise.*
 - **Format Options:**
 - Workshop (interactive, 60–90 min)
 - Panel Discussion (3–5 contributors)
 - Keynote Address
 - Innovation Exhibit / Installation
 - **Review Criteria:**
Clarity, Relevance, Transformative Potential, Inclusivity, Feasibility
 - **Submission Deadline:** 30 November 2025
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2. Manuscript Guidelines

For Academic and Visionary Papers

- **Word Count:** 4,000–6,000 words (excluding references)
 - **Style:** APA 7th edition or Chicago (author-date)
 - **Originality:** Must be unpublished and not under review elsewhere.
 - **File Format:** PDF or Word (editable)
 - **Abstract:** 300-word summary required
 - **Tracks:** Match with at least one Education 6.0 framework
 - **Language:** English preferred (French/Portuguese accepted with translation)
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3. Speaker Expectations

For Confirmed Presenters and Facilitators

- **Presentation Duration:** 20 min for keynotes, 15 min for panels, 60+ min for workshops
- **Visuals:** Must include branded slide decks using SRU templates (provided upon acceptance)
- **Media Release:** Speakers agree to photography/filming for archival and promo
- **Engagement:** Sessions must prioritize interaction, reflection, and action
- **Equipment Requests:** To be submitted 3 weeks prior to summit

4. Important Dates

| Milestone | Date |
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| Call for Proposals & Manuscripts Opens | 01 September 2025 |
| Submission Deadline | 30 November 2025 |
| Notification of Acceptance | 10 January 2026 |
| Final Materials Due | 31 January 2026 |
| STEMMA Leadership Summit | 24–26 February 2026 |

What Makes a Proposal Transformative?

- ✓ Boldly challenges existing paradigms
 - ✓ Centers African epistemologies and sovereign futures
 - ✓ Builds bridges across disciplines and generations
 - ✓ Is implementable, scalable, or poetic in its vision
 - ✓ Sparks critical thought and actionable dialogue
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A CONTINENTAL GATHERING FOR
CURRICULUM SOVEREIGNTY,
KNOWLEDGE EQUITY, AND
DIGITAL FUTURES

*“The Sixth Era of Learning
begins not with a reform—
but with a renaissance.”*

– Dr. Godfrey Gandswa

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