



CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

VIII Annual Research Congress on the Third Sector in Mexico

Solidarity and Governance for Social Change

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As part of an effort to strengthen the research agenda on the civil society in Mexico and to consolidate a network of scholars and specialists on the third sector, the Committee of the Eight Annual Research Congress on the Third Sector is glad to announce its call for papers on the following themes:

- 1) Citizen competencies and governance
- 2) Solidarity, voluntary service, and social cohesion
- 3) Social capital and collective action
- 4) Identity, legitimacy and transparency
- 5) Social impact models
- 6) Social Responsibility
- 7) Legal and fiscal framework of the non-profit sector
- 8) Civil society organizations' financial sustainability

Please send a 500 word abstract, including the proposed paper methodology, with full contact information to ponencias@cemefi.org no later than July 1st, 2008. Please indicate your university or institution affiliation.

Abstract submission deadline: 1st of July, 2008

Notification on acceptances: July 15, 2008

Finished accepted papers: August 15, 2008

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