



**Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine
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Call for papers

October 20, 2026

International Scientific and Practical Conference «REGION –2026: Optimal Development Strategy» dedicated to the memory of Professor Kostiantyn Niemets,

The conference holds with the purpose to integrate efforts of scientists, research and teaching staff, civil organizations, representatives of State executive offices, business entities to solve modern issues of the optimization regional development, scientific research in the field of regional social and economic development, environmental protection, searching ways of training specialists for optimal development of regions, plans and strategies development for the future regional development.

Official languages of the conference: Ukrainian, English.

Deadline for submission papers: October 15, 2026.

Scientific areas of the conference:

1. Economic, social and demographic problems of regional development.
2. Geoecological issues in regional development, landscape restoration, and sustainable territorial development.
3. Urban trends, urban policy, and urban regeneration.

Participants should submit:

- **Application form for each participant where it's needed to indicate:**
 1. First and last names.
 2. Position, academic degree, academic title.
 3. Institution (HEI, faculty, department; research institute etc.), its post address.
 4. Country, city.
 5. Contact telephone, e-mail.
 6. Scientific area of the conference.
 7. Name of the report.
 8. Scientific supervisor (for students and PhD students).
- **Paper** via e-mail with confirmation of receiving by the organizational committee. The file format is *.doc. (*.docx). The name of the file – last name of the author (e.g. **Petrenko.docx**).

Requirements for the papers: up to 4 pages; Microsoft Word for Windows; page A4, portrait orientation; margins 2 cm; Times New Roman, 14 pt; Line spacing 1.5; Paragraph indentation 1 cm.

Manuscripts must not be published before our currently are not being submitted in other editions.

The article should include: Universal decimal classification number (UDC); through the line – the title of the report in capital letters in bold type, centered; through the line – first and last name of the author (-s) in a bold italic type, centered; on the next line – e-mail of author (-s), italic type, centered. On the next line – the full name of the institution, italic type. Through the line from an indent the text of the paper is placed. References to sources used should be provided in square brackets [1]. Under the text (through the line) the list of references (in APA style) in italic type, 12 pt is given.

Don't put difficult graphic material and big tables in the text.

The articles are accepted if they correspond to subjects of the conference and indicated requirements, reviewed. Students can be published only in co-authorship with the supervisor.

- **Receipt for the payment of the register fee** in the amount

- for participants from Ukraine: 100 UAH.
- for foreign participants: \$ 20.

The conference will be held online.

An electronic conference proceedings will be prepared based on the results of the conference.

Register fees should be sent by the **single payment on the PrivatBank card 4149 4975 2624 9430** to the name of **Yuriy Kandyba**, the purpose of the payment – *Participation in the conference, indicate the name and surname of the participant.*

Payment must be made only after submission of the paper and its acceptance by the Organizational Committee of the Conference.

Application form, articles and a scanned receipt (or its photocopy) on the payment the register fee it is needed to send to the e-mail: conference.region@gmail.com.

Invitation, plan and program of the conference will be sent later according to the filed applications.

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THE THEORETICAL BASICS OF TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM RESEARCH

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Text of the paper

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