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PRFU University Research Team:
*“The Mode of Distance Education and Its
Impact on Higher Education in Algeria: A
Field Study at Abdelhamid Ibn Badis
University”*

National Conference Title

**“Distance Education in Political Science in the Age of
Artificial Intelligence:
Pedagogical Transformations, Challenges, and
Prospects”**

On-site / Online

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- **Honorary President:** Prof.. Othmani Baghdad, Rector
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Conference Preamble

The world is witnessing rapid transformations across all spheres of life, driven by the digital revolution and waves of technological innovation, foremost among them Artificial Intelligence (AI). This technology has begun to reshape patterns of human interaction, systems of production, and the fields of higher education and scientific research.

Within this changing context, distance education is no longer merely a temporary solution imposed by the COVID-19 pandemic; rather, it has evolved into a strategic option for universities and higher education institutions. This transformation has been accompanied by the rapid development of artificial intelligence tools such as interactive engines, intelligent assistants, educational data analytics, and generative learning models.

However, while some academic disciplines have embraced these transformations smoothly, political science faces a set of complex challenges due to its inherently critical and debate-oriented nature, and its close connection to dialogue, interaction, and constantly evolving political and social contexts. This raises key questions: Is it truly possible to build an effective system for teaching political science through distance education? And how can artificial intelligence tools be employed to enhance teaching and learning methods in this field without compromising its critical and analytical essence?

Objectives of the Conference

- Diagnosing the current state of distance education in political science programs at Algerian and Arab universities.
- Analyzing the impact of artificial intelligence on teaching methods and research in political science.
- Identifying the pedagogical and technical challenges faced by faculty members and students.
- Reviewing national and international experiences in distance political education.
- Opening an academic debate on the conditions required to ensure quality distance education in the social and human sciences.
- Proposing practical and applicable recommendations within the national university context.

Conference Themes

- Distance education in political science: concepts, frameworks, and specificities.
- Pedagogical and psychological challenges in distance political learning.
- The role of artificial intelligence in developing political education tools: opportunities and concerns.
- The impact of digitalization on scientific research outputs in political science.
- The future of political education in light of global technological transformations.
- Leading national and international university experiences in distance teaching of political science.
- Quality assurance and academic accreditation in digital political education systems.

Participation Conditions

- Submitted papers must not have been previously published or presented at other scientific conferences.
- The paper topic must be related to one of the conference themes. Submissions are accepted in Arabic and foreign languages.
- Papers must be between 10 and 20 pages in length.
- Papers should be written in **Sakkal Majallah**, size 14 for Arabic submissions, and **Times New Roman**, size 12 for foreign language submissions, with footnotes placed at the bottom of each page.

Important Dates

- Deadline for full paper submission: **June 08, 2026**
- Conference date: **June 15, 2026**

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