INSTRUCTIONS TO PREPARE A FULL PAPER FOR THE EIGHTEENTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON KNOWLEDGE-BASED ECONOMY AND GLOBAL MANAGEMENT

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Abstract. This document provides information and instructions for preparing a paper to the Proceedings of the International Conference On Knowledge-based Economy and Global Management. **The paper file format must be in Microsoft Word (docx)**. Please follow this order when writing papers: <u>Title, Authors, Affiliations, Abstract, Keywords, Main text, Acknowledgements, References</u>.

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1 INTRODUCTION

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The margins must be formatted to **3.0 cm** on all sides of the paper.

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$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{B} \tag{1}$$

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$$Ax = B$$

$$Cy = D$$
(2)

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