Subject: [EXT] Your Morocco Proposal

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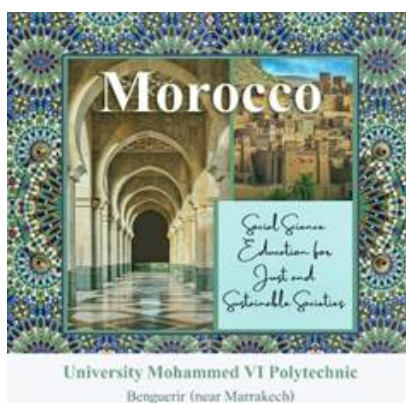
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Dear Jesús,

On behalf of the SSEC Board of Directors and the joint Conference Planning team, I am pleased to inform you that your proposal for *Reimagining Structured Academic Controversy for a Just and Sustainable World* has been accepted as an individual paper (see below*) for the 2024 SSEC International Conference in Morocco.

Each proposal was reviewed by three members of the Review Team, including scholars from SSEC and, for international proposals, our conference partners at the Morocco Center for Civic Education.

Comments/suggestions from reviewers: Thank you for an interesting proposal. I am excited to see how the study concludes and its findings. One question lingers- while you are not creating a yes-no binary, how are you disrupting other binaries? I presume, perhaps wrongly (600 words is very short to talk about method) but if you're following the SAC structure, wouldn't there just be two examples? I do see the value in "Should x be the way to protect water or y?" I would like more grounding in why you're keeping the SAC as the structure rather than trying other discussion/deliberation/debate techniques such as a role play forum. More grounding would be

good. I also think the study would offer more if you participants do a traditional SAC yes-no binary and the data you collect might ask participants how they felt about the difference. Finally, given that you're about critical awareness and avoiding a yes-no, how might you employ more critical frameworks such as queer theory or others that seek disruption?

We hope the timely review of your proposal will help you move ahead on crafting your session and making plans for attending and presenting at the conference. We'll be back in touch with more details, and we will also post updated information on the SSEC Annual Conference webpage. In the meantime, you can direct questions to the conference planning team at conference@ssec-inc.org.

Looking forward to seeing you in Morocco in June.

Regards,

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