Guest Editorial Note

Even though social media access is growing today, which also presents many behavioural and social issues, the media industry plays an unparalleled role in supporting Africa's growth. The articles in this journal's current edition are a continuation of the proceedings of the international conference held on digitization and the electoral process. The problem confirms our perception of the breadth of interest in writing about Africa's political process and digitization. The papers cover a wide range of subjects from many angles; some specifically address digitization and election-related concerns in Africa, while others discuss how artificial intelligence might improve the continent's voting process.

Every community must have elections, and in Africa, they are the focal point of the process of progress. The third edition of the Journal of modern Society and Education aims to remain a cutting-edge forum for discussion of modern society and education as well as other pertinent topics pertaining to Africa's development and progress. When assembling this edition, consideration was given to the research community's interest. The articles are thoughtful since they touch on a variety of topics that have an impact on African development. With reference to the election in Nigeria, the author went into detail about the topic of elections in Africa and how smart technology has evolved into a true electoral tool for election with reference to Nigeria's election and was also extended to social inclusion and general elections in Lesotho.

The subjects covered a range of ways that intelligent technology has aided those nations in their election campaigning. The function of fake news and other associated ideas were thoroughly examined, along with suggestions for enlightening the public about the best ways to conduct elections in Africa. To educate the readers, the articles covered a wide range of topics, including political science, artificial intelligence, education, development and public administration. We centered our attention on the contribution of artificial intelligence to the establishment of a rational African society throughout this issue. This field is essential to successfully establishing the principles that underpin our society. In addition to the aforementioned, the globe has entered a phase when technology use is now commonplace. With a strong reliance on artificial intelligence, modern society employs technology in novel ways to make life easier, which has been disruptive in some places. Articles about Internet usage have also assisted in taking a broader view of the development issue.

This edition also takes place against the backdrop of a society that has entered a period of extraordinary violence, hate speech, fake news, propaganda, murders, and endless conflicts of interest, all of which have been used as tools to impede the advancement of Africa. This edition's paper collections offer a wealth of discussion on the potential applications of social media and artificial intelligence to advance society. These realizations will open the door to better approaches to problems pertaining to developing and promoting policies that influence African elections.

I believe this edition has brought education to the modern society. This is the right direction to embrace different aspects of technological tools to advance society and we must continue to come closer to how to address different trajectories and social pathologies that threaten human existence. I believe this can be done by taking a borderless approach to understand best practices in accepting, evaluating and embracing elections and its processes in Africa. I hope that you will enjoy the balance of ideas and approaches that this edition provides.

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