

13th Continental Essay Competition-2025/26

The ARSO Continental Essay Competition offers young African students a remarkable platform to showcase their knowledge, creativity, and passion for standards and trade. Last year, higher institution students from Ethiopia participated in a continental competition and won second place in Africa. The students were recognized for their outstanding performance at continental and national levels, celebrated through distinguished ceremonial events. This year, students have again been invited to compete under the theme **“The Role of Harmonized Standards in Reducing Technical Barriers to Trade and in Promoting Fair and Just Trade within Intra-African and Global Trade.”** This initiative carries significant benefits for students, higher institutions, and the country as a whole, including:

- Gaining international exposure and recognition.
- Developing analytical, writing, and communication skills.
- Strengthening CVs and enhancing career opportunities.
- Building partnerships with ARSO, IES, and Higher Institutions.
- Enhancing higher institution reputation and visibility.
- Strengthening higher institution/ university industry linkages.
- Promoting national representation and pride.
- Supporting the development of a skilled and competitive youth.
- Contributing to the advancement of standardization and trade capacity and others

Interested Students are Invited to Participate

After completing the registration form and your essay writing, please submit them- using the following email address - girma2022gudi@gmail.com or - misge.mt@gmail.com

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