

Keynote Speaker of TMS ALGARVE 2022



Fevzi Okumus

Fevzi Okumus is the Central Florida Hotel and Lodging Association (CFHLA) Preeminent Chair Professor within the Hospitality Services Department at the University of Central Florida's Rosen College of Hospitality Management. He was the Founding Chair of the Hospitality Services Department at UCF Rosen College. He has over 270 academic publications (over 170 refereed journal articles, three books, 12 book chapters and 90 conference presentations and reports). As of January 11st, 2021, his publications have received over 14770 citations, and he has an h-index of 58. He has chaired/co-chaired and served on numerous PhD dissertation and master thesis committees. He is the Editor-in-Chief of the International Journal of Contemporary Hospitality Management (IJCHM) (IF: 6.514) and the Journal of Hospitality and Tourism Insights (JHTI). He is a frequent speaker at international conferences. He has received numerous prestigious research awards and recognitions including "The Michael D. Olsen Research Award" in 2016; "The University of Central Florida Scroll & Quill Society Award" in 2017, the "CFHLA Preeminent Professor" again in 2017 and the John Wiley & Sons Lifetime Research Achievement Award from ICHRIE in 2018. Finally, Prof. Okumus was recognized as a "Highly Cited Researcher" for 2021 by Clarivate, based on data from Web of Science. The Highly Cited Researchers rank in the top 1% by citations for field and publication year in the Web of Science™ citation index.