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CONFERENCE LOCATION

Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iași, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration

> Lăpușneanu Street no. 14, Iași, Romania 4th Floor

CONFERENCE SECTIONS

Section 1: Higher Education: Trends, Challenges and Emerging Opportunities

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Professor Teodora ROMAN - Dean of the Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iași *Opening Address*

Professor Tudorel TOADER - Rector of the Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iași *Welcoming Address*

Xavier DEBRUN - National Bank of Belgium, Belgium Rules-base fiscal policy: No future?

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1. TOTAL FACTOR PRODUCTIVITY, FINANCIAL PERFORMANCES AND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE: AN ANALYSIS OF THE R&D SECTOR IN ROMANIA

Claudiu Tiberiu ALBULESCU Camélia TURCU

2. THE EFFECTS OF FISCAL CONSOLIDATIONS ON THE COMPOSITION OF GOVERNMENT SPENDING

Moulaye BAMBA Jean-Louis COMBES Alexandru MINEA

3. THE EVOLUTION AND HETEROGENEITY OF CREDIT PROCYCLICALITY IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE

Juan Carlos CUESTAS Yannick LUCOTTE Nicolas REIGL

4. ON THE RESPECT OF THE STABILITY AND GROWTH PACT: WHAT IS PREDICTABLE WITH MACHINE LEARNING? *Kea BARET Theophilos PAPADIMITRIOU*

5. A MICRO-FOUNDED MECHANISM FOR PRUDENTIAL DECISION RULE Cristina BADARAU Corentin ROUSSEL

6. ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND UNEMPLOYMENT IN G7 COUNTRIES *Mihai MUTASCU*

Room 404, 4th floor Section: Impact of Globalization on Finance and Banking Chairman: Professor Sebastian LAZAR

1. ARE EUROPEAN COOPERATIVE BANKS MORE RESPONSIBLE? Ouafa OUYAHIA

2. TAXES FOR THE PEOPLE OR FOR THE GOVERNMENT? A GLOBAL (EMPIRICAL) PERSPECTIVE Sebastian LAZĂR Bogdan-Gabriel ZUGRAVU Adina DORNEAN

3. DRIVERS OF ENTREPRENEURIAL INTENTIONS AMONG UNIVERSITY STUDENTS: THE ROLE OF FINANCIAL CAPITAL Valentina Diana RUSU Angela ROMAN Cristina CIUMAŞ

4. DRIVERS OF ECONOMIC GROWTH IN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES: THE ROLE OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP Ovidiu STOICA Angela ROMAN Valentina Diana RUSU

5. TAXES AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT IN EU COUNTRIES Iulian GAGEA Sebastian LAZĂR

6. TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION - CHALLENGES IN THE INSURANCE INDUSTRY Carmen TODERASCU

Ovidiu STOFOR

7. DOES INSTITUTIONAL QUALITY MATTER FOR WORKING CAPITAL MANAGEMENT? AN INTERNATIONAL EMPIRICAL PERSPECTIVE Sorin Gabriel ANTON Anca Elena AFLOAREI NUCU

8. THE IMPACT OF INSTITUTIONAL INVESTORS ON ECONOMIC GROWTH OF EUROPEAN COUNTRIES Mihaela BRODOCIANU

Room 407, 4th floor Section: Cycles, Crises and Global Economy Chairman: Professor Cristian POPESCU

1. DOES POLITICAL STABILITY HINDER POLLUTION? EVIDENCE FROM DEVELOPING STATES *Alexandra-Anca PURCEL*

2. CYCLICAL BEHAVIOUR OF SYSTEMIC DISTRESS IN THE BANKING SECTOR: AN EMPIRICAL INVESTIGATION *Nicu SPRINCEAN*

3. ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN POST-COMUNIST SOCIETIES. A THEORETICAL APPROACH Anca Elena LUNGU Gabriel Claudiu MURSA

4. AN ANALYSIS OF DYNAMICS OF SHADOW ECONOMY IN RELATIONSHIP WITH GROWTH, GOVERNMENT DEBT AND UNEMPLOYMENT IN POST-COMMUNIST EU MEMBER COUNTRIES Raluca Irina CLIPA Brindusa Mihaela TUDOSE Flavian CLIPA

5. ECONOMIC GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE WORK OF LUDWIG VON MISES

Vasile IŞAN Mihaela IFRIM Gabriel MURSA

6. SURVIVAL OF ROMANIAN COMPANIES AFTER THE FALL OF COMMUNISM: EMPIRICAL EVIDENCE REGARDING M&A ACTIVITY

Roxana DICU Ioan-Bogdan ROBU Constantin TOMA George Marian AEVOAE Daniela MARDIROS

7. GOVERNMENT SPENDING AND ECONOMIC GROWTH: A COINTEGRATION ANALYSIS ON ROMANIA Cristian C. POPESCU Laura DIACONU (MAXIM) Andrei MAXIM

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1. USING DATA MINING TECHNIQUES TO DETECT CREDIT CARD FRAUDS Alexandra-Cristina SIRBU Lucia CIUBOTARU Mircea ASANDULUI

2. INTEREST RATE AND THE FINANCIAL AND HOUSING WEALTH EFFECTS IN TEN CEEC Mihaela NICOLAU

3. "UNICA" STATISTICAL INVESTIGATION – SOURCE FOR STATISTICAL RESEARCH ON RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITY TO SME-S Valentin POPA Ion PÂRȚACHI

4. EFFECTS OF INDEX ADDITIONS ON STOCK PRICE INFORMATIVENESS Daria GAVRILOVA Andrei DIMCEA 5. THE IMPACT OF MONETARY POLICY AND EUROPEAN BUSINESS CLIMATE ON ECONOMIC GROWTH IN ROMANIA Mariana HATMANU Cristina CĂUTIȘANU

6. AN ANALYSIS OF THE CURRENT STATE OF KNOWLEDGE REGARDING THE DETERMINANTS OF TAX EVASION FROM A FINANCIAL – ACCOUNTING PERSPECTIVE *Roxana Aurelia MÂRŢ*

7. EMIGRATION TRENDS OF ROMANIAN CITIZENS INTO EUROPEAN COUNTRIES. CASE STUDY ON UNITED KINGDOM Nicoleta IFTIMI Nicoleta PANAITE

8. ROMANIA'S TRADE PATTERN – A GRAVITY MODEL APPROACH *Elena-Daniela VIORICĂ*

9. TESTING THE ASYMMETRIC IMPACT OF MACROECONOMIC SHOCKS ON ROMANIAN STOCK MARKET Viorica CHIRILĂ

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Petre CARAIANI

2. CAN GOOD CORPORATE GOVERNANCE LIMIT BANK PERFORMANCE FLUCTUATIONS IN AN UNSTABLE ECONOMIC ENVIRONMENT? Andreea CURMEI-SEMENESCU Dragoş Ştefan OPREA Cătălin-Valeriu CURMEI

3. REAL EXCHANGE RATES AND FOREIGN DEBT CAPACITY IN THE EURO AREA

Ephraim CLARK Vincent DROPSY

4. MUCH FINANCE OR TOO MANY (WEAK) INSTRUMENTS? Maxime FAJEAU

5. UNDER ATTACK: TERRORISM AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN FRANCE Volker NITSCH

Isabelle RABAUD

6. YOUTH LABOUR MARKET FRICTIONS IN MAIN MENA REGION COUNTRIES: SOURCES AND CONSEQUENCES Jihène JEBENIANI Jamel TRABELSI

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Chairman: Professor Costel ISTRATE

1. TRANSITION TO IFRS FOR SOME ROMANIAN STATE-OWNED COMPANIES: IMPACT AND ON THE ACCOUNTING FIGURE *Costel ISTRATE*

2. APPLYING THE BENFORD'S LAW TO DETECT COSMETIC EARNINGS MANAGEMENT: EVIDENCE FROM THE AERO SEGMENT OF THE BUCHAREST STOCK EXCHANGE *Costel ISTRATE* 3. THE INFLUENCE OF REPORTING KEY AUDIT MATTERS (KAM) ON THE AUDITOR'S APPROACH Ioan-Bogdan ROBU Maria GROSU

4. FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE THE FINANCIAL REPORTING QUALITY: EMPIRICAL EVIDENCE FROM ROMANIA Claudia – Cătălina CIOCAN Iuliana GEORGESCU Mihai CARP

5. ANALYSIS OF REAL ESTATE COMPANIES PARTICIPATION IN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT – FROM PROMISES TO REALITY Elena IONAȘCU Marilena MIRONIUC

6. ASSESSING AND MEASURING THE NON-PROFIT SECTOR IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE: A COMPARATIVE APPROACH Gabriel CHELARIU George-Marian AEVOAE

7. THE IMPACT OF THE GLOBALIZATION AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT TOWARDS BUSINESS STRATEGY Bogdan COSOFRET

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1. EVOLUTION OF PAID ADS – TRACKING GOOGLE'S EFFORT IN MAKING PAID AND ORGANIC RESULTS SIMILAR Patricea-Elena BERTEA Alexandra HUȚANU

2. DOES GOOGLE HAVE A MONOPOLY ON SEARCH RESULTS? PRESENTING A REVIEW OF ORGANIC SEARCH RESULTS Alexandra HUȚANU Patricea-Elena BERTEA

3. IMPLICATIONS IN TRANSITION FROM BLACKBOARD LEARNING MANAGEMENT SYSTEM TO MOODLE LEARNING MANAGEMENT SYSTEM IN MODERN UNIVERSITIES Lucian Daniel BERECHET Mircea Radu GEORGESCU

4. MARKETING AUTOMATION LANDSCAPE IN THE B2B SECTOR Codrin TEIU

5. MATHEMATICAL EDUCATION AND PROBLEM SOLVING FOR DATA SCIENCE Ovidiu BAGDASAR

6. TECHNOLOGICAL SINGULARITY AS THE NEXT SOCIETAL MEGATREND. A LITERATURE REVIEW Victor JEFLEA Alexandru A. TUGUI

7. COULD WE INCREASE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE BY USING INTERNET OF THINGS TECHNOLOGY? *Mircea GEORGESCU Roxana IBANESCU*

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2. MATRIX ACCOUNTING AS A GAME-BASED LEARNING TOOL FOR EMPLOYEES TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT Andrea CILLONI Satoshi SUGAHARA

3. INCREASING EMPLOYABILITY AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP WITHIN DOCTORAL STUDENTS THROUGH PROJECTS

Adriana PRODAN Constantin-Marius APOSTOAIE Irina-Teodora MANOLESCU

4. THE ROLE OF UNIVERSITIES IN THE FORMATION OF COMPETENCES ORIENTED TOWARDS SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN THE CONTEXT OF LIFELONG LEARNING *Mihai TALMACIU Irina Teodora MANOLESCU*

5. POSSIBLE CAUSES FOR LEAVING JOBS IN REGIONAL INDUSTRY Elena-Sabina TURNEA Adriana PRODAN

6. INTERDISCIPLINARY RESEARCH - DEVELOPMENT OF AN INSTRUMENT FOR MEASURING KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ATTITUDES OF RESEARCHERS FROM DIFFERENT FIELDS OF SCIENCE

Adriana ZAIT Andreia Gabriela ANDREI Ioana Alexandra HORODNIC

7. A SYSTEMATIC LITERATURE REVIEW ON ETHICS IN THE VALUATION PROFESSION

Daniela-Tatiana AGHEORGHIESEI Alexandru ȚUGUI Laura Anca ASANDULUI

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2. THE COST OF BANKING CRISES: DOES THE POLICY FRAMEWORK MATTER?

Grégory LEVIEUGE Yannick LUCOTTE Florian PRADINES-JOBET

3. THE EURO OVER TWENTY YEARS Peter SINCLAIR

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6. IS THERE A TRILEMMA OF ENERGY POLICY? A THEORETICAL AND EMPIRICAL APPROACH Michaela HORÚCKOVÁ Thierry BAUDASSÉ

7. THE SOCIAL EFFECTS OF FISCAL CONSOLIDATION ACROSS EUROPE: A COMPARISON BETWEEN ADVANCED AND POST-COMMUNIST ECONOMIES

Cosmin CEPOI Helena SANZ-MORALES Andreea STOIAN

8. BANK FINANCIAL STABILITY, BANK VALUATION AND INTERNATIONAL OIL PRICES: EVIDENCE FROM LISTED RUSSIAN PUBLIC BANKS Claudiu Tiberiu ALBULESCU

9. A GRAVITY MODEL OF TOURISM AND CULTURE Vincent DROPSY Sylvain PETIT

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2. THE EVOLUTION OF THE FINANCING OF HEALTH SERVICES IN ROMANIA, FROM THE SEMASHKO MODEL TO THE BISMARCK MODEL Iuliana-Claudia MIHALACHE Felicia-Cătălina APETROI

3. PUBLIC (IM)BALANCES AND ECONOMIC GROWTH IN THE EURO ZONE: CHALLENGES AND PERSPECTIVES *Mihaela ONOFREI Bogdan-Narcis FIRTESCU Florin OPREA Bogdan-Florin FILIP*

4. THE FISCAL CONSOLIDATION AND ECONOMIC CRISIS – TEN YEARS AFTER

Lenuta COJOCARIU Florin OPREA

5. THE IMPACT OF REGIONAL COMPETITIVENESS AND INNOVATION ON TOURISM RESILIENCE IN EUROPEAN UNION Gabriela Carmen PASCARIU Bogdan-Constantin IBĂNESCU

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1. RECENT DEBATES WITHIN THE AUSTRIAN SCHOOL. CASH-BUILT SAVINGS AND MONEY DEMAND Ignacio MARTÍNEZ Luis PALMA Antonio PORTUGAL

2. THE NEXUS BETWEEN FAMILY SUPPORT AND ENTREPRENEURIAL INTENTIONS OF YOUNG ADULTS Laura DIACONU (MAXIM) Andrei MAXIM Cristian C. POPESCU

3. REGIME-DEPENDENT FISCAL MULTIPLIERS IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE Delia-Elena DIACONAȘU Ion POHOAȚĂ Oana-Ramona SOCOLIUC

4. DETERMINANTS OF HOUSEHOLDS' NON-PERFORMING LOANS. A FINANCIAL STABILITY PERSPECTIVE Luminița Roxana TATARICI

5. THE EVOLUTION OF ROMANIA'S LABOUR FORCE FLUCTUATIONS IN EUROPEAN CONTEXT – AN ALARMING BRAIN DRAIN Stela ARHIRE

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Gabriela MEŞNIŢĂ Laura-Diana RADU

2. WHY DO WE STILL BELIEVE IN THE EFFICACY OF PUBLIC SPENDING AND THE "GENEROSITY" OF THE FISCAL STATE Delia-Elena DIACONAŞU

3. INVESTING THE EFFICIENCY OF ROMANIAN UNIVERSITIES Dan LUPU

4. SYNERGY AND PREMIUMS: AN ANALYSIS OF THE ROMANIAN M&AS Roxana Manuela DICU

5. DIMENSION OF THE PUBLIC SECTOR IN THE ECONOMIES OF THE EUROPEAN UNION AND THE EFFICIENCY OF USING PUBLIC EXPENDITURE Daniela MARDIROS Florin Ioan SCORTESCU

6. THE ROLE OF THE ACCOUNTING PROFESSION IN PROVIDING QUALITY INFORMATION ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT Leontina PĂVĂLOAIA

7. ANALYSIS OF EMPLOYEES' PERCEPTION TOWARDS USING INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES RELATED TASKS WITHIN PUBLIC SECTOR PROFESSIONS Daniel PĂVĂLOAIA

8. CORPORATE USAGE OF SOCIAL MEDIA IN ROMANIA Cristian NISTOR

9. ANALYSIS OF THE REVENUES OF ROMANIAN EMIGRANTS ON ROMANIAN ECONOMY *Ciprian-Ionel TURTUREAN*

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1. FIRM PERFORMANCE AND DIVIDEND POLICY: A NON-LINEAR ANALYSIS

Marilen PIRTEA Eugen MIHANCEA Claudiu BOŢOC

2. PSYCHIC DISTANCE AND STOCK MARKET LIQUIDITY Andrei DIMCEA Daria GAVRILOVA

3. ROMANIAN INTERBANK INTEREST RATES AND CENTRAL BANK'S MONETARY POLICY Giovanni VERGA Nicoleta VASILCOVSCHI

4. THE RELEVANCE OF UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS FOR NEW BUSINESS CREATION-AN EMPIRICAL ANALYSIS Irina BILAN Salah KOUBAA

5. THE INTERDEPENDENCE BETWEEN THE EXCHANGE RATE AND MACROECONOMIC FACTORS: THE CASE OF ROMANIA Dumitru-Nicuşor CĂRĂUŞU

6. IMPACT OF INVESTORS' SENTIMENTS ON HERDING BEHAVIOR Angela-Maria FILIP Maria Miruna POCHEA Andreea Maria PECE

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Andreea STOIAN Filip IORGULESCU

2. DID THE OKUN'S LAW SURVIVE THE EUROZONE CRISIS? Nauro F. CAMPOS Corrado MACCHIARELLI Fotios MITROPOULOS

3. RAMSEY OPTIMAL POLICY IN THE NEW-KEYNESIAN MODEL WITH PUBLIC DEBT

Jean-Bernard CHATELAIN Kirsten RALF

4. BUSINESS CYCLES, BILATERAL TRADE AND INTERNATIONAL INTEGRATION: EVIDENCE FROM ECONOMIC COMMUNITY OF WEST AFRICAN STATES (ECOWAS) Stéphane ZOURI 5. TAX ON BANKS IN EASTERN EUROPE Daniela BALUTEL Marcel VOIA

6. DURATION DEPENDENCE IN EMPLOYMENT: EVIDENCE FROM THE LAST HALF OF THE 20TH CENTURY *Luke IGNACZAK Louis RAFFESTIN Marcel VOIA*

7. THE PERILS OF FISCAL RULES Maxime MENUET Alexandu MINEA Patrick VILLIEU

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Francisco NADAL DE SIMONE

2. THE NEXUS BETWEEN MACROPRUDENTIAL POLICY AND CREDIT GROWTH

Florentina MELNIC

3. THE IMPACT OF CENTRAL BANK INDEPENDENCE ON SYSTEMIC RISK CONTRIBUTION Alin Marius ANDRIEŞ Anca PODPIERA Nicu SPRINCEAN

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Iulian IHNATOV Nicoleta-Livia PINTILIE

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Anca Mihaela COPACIU (PARASCHIV) Alina-Nicoleta RADU

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2. OVERVIEW ON FISCAL DECENTRALIZATION AND GROWTH IN CEE COUNTRIES Elena CIGU Mihaela ONOFREI

3. FINANCING SOURCES FOR PUBLIC PROJECTS IN ROMANIA. PROBLEMS AND SOLUTIONS Mihai-Bogdan PETRIŞOR

4. THE INTERDICTION OF A LOCAL COUNCILOR TO VOTE HIMSELF AS DEPUTY MAYOR – CONFLICT OF INTEREST OR ADMINISTRATIVE BLOCKAGE Sandra GRADINARU

5. PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT IN EU MEMBER STATES. EMPIRICAL EVIDENCES Ana-Maria BERCU

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1. MONTHLY UNEMPLOYMENT PREDICTION USING ARTIFICIAL NEURAL NETWORK IN EU-COUNTRIES *Ciprian CHIRILĂ*

2. A MULTIDIMENSIONAL COMPOSITE INDEX FOR THE ECONOMIC RESILIENCE CAPACITY IN EASTERN AND CENTRAL EUROPEAN UNION COUNTRIES Carmen PINTILESCU

3. IMPACT OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT INFORMATION ON PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS Leonting PĂVĂLOAIA

4. CURRENT APPROACHES IN IDENTIFYING SOFTWARE CHANGES Florin DUMITRIU Sabina-Cristiana NECULA

5. PERCEIVED USEFULNESS FOR STUDENTS IN SOCIAL NETWORKING Cristian NISTOR

6. THE ANALYSIS OF ICT MATURITY LEVEL IN THE ROMANIAN PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS Daniel PĂVĂLOAIA

7. PREFERENCE FOR REDISTRIBUTION IN POST COMMUNISM – A CONSEQUENCE OF THE PAST OR A RESULT OF BAD REFORMS? Andreea-Oana IACOBUȚĂ-MIHĂIȚĂ

8. ADVERTISING AS A TEACHING RESOURCE IN THE BUSINESS ENGLISH CLASS

Elena Ramona CIORTESCU

9. THE IMPORTANCE AND EFFECT OF ECONOMIC FREEDOM AND POLITICAL STABILITY ON CORRUPTION CONTROL: A PANEL-DATA APPROACH

Claudiu TIGĂNAȘ

10. TOURISTS' MOTIVATION FOR PARTICIPATING IN IASI PILGRIM IN POST-COMMUNIST ROMANIAN SOCIETY Maria TATARUSANU Valentin NIȚĂ Gina-Ionela BUTNARU Angelica NECULAESEI

11. THE IMPACT OF EURO ADOPTION FOR THE NEW EU MEMBER STATES: AN ASSESSMENT Ovidiu STOICA

12. EMPIRICAL STUDY ON THE EVOLUTION OF FINANCIAL AUDIT REPORTING IN POSTCOMMUNIST ROMANIA Maria GROSU

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Section: Globalization and Sustainable Development -Challenges and Trends in Organizational Management, Services and Business Communication

Chairman: Professor Adriana MANOLICĂ

1. GENDER IMBALANCES IN RELATION TO UNPAID DOMESTIC WORK IN POST-COMMUNIST ROMANIA *Alina HURUBEAN*

2. NATIONALIST-XENOPHOBIC ATTITUDES AND FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT Sebastian TOCAR

3. TRENDS IN THE MANAGEMENT OF RETAILING COMPANIES UNDER THE CONDITIONS OF DIGITAL ECONOMY *Mihai TALMACIU*

4. HR PRACTICES AND EXPECTED EMPLOYEE'S PERFORMANCE. IS THERE ANY CONSISTENCY? *Carmen Claudia ARUŞTEI*

5. THE CLAIMS MADE BY THE MODERN ROMANIAN CONSUMER AFTER THE COMMUNIST ERA Adriana MANOLICĂ Teodora ROMAN Amelia VATAMANIUC Ioana Alexandra HORODNIC Alexandru MAXIM

6. AUDITORY MARKETING AND THE STRATEGIC INTEGRATION OF BACKGROUND MUSIC IN THE SHOPPING ENVIRONMENT Andrei UNGUREANU

13⁰⁰-14³⁰ Lunch – *Akademos Hotel*

14³⁰-15³⁰ Plenary Session **Professor Eric BOND** - Vanderbilt University, United States of America

The Future of Multilateralism in Trade Policy

15³⁰-16⁰⁰ Coffee Break (4th floor)

16⁰⁰-18⁰⁰ Parallel Sessions

Room 402, 4th floor Section: GDR MBF & INFER joint session Chairman: Professor Philippe SAUCIER

1. NEW INSIGHTS INTO GDP MEASUREMENT FROM SUSTAINABILITY PERSPECTIVE *Cristina TANASESCU*

2. CEO DIVERSITY, POLITICAL INFLUENCES AND CEO TURNOVER IN TIMES OF CRISIS: THE ROMANIAN CASE Ingrid-Mihaela DRAGOTA Andreea CURMEI-SEMENESCU Raluca MOSCU

3. HOW CAN CULTURE AFFECT TAXATION? A POSTMATERIALISM VALUE APPROACH

Nicolae-Bogdan IANC

4. HOW THE QUESTION OF INCREASING RETURNS HAS BEEN EVACUATED FROM CLASSICAL ANALYSIS Philippe SAUCIER

5. THE IMPACT OF BANKING REGULATION ON NON-BANK FINANCIAL INTERMEDIATION IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE: TESTING THE MIGRATION THEORY *Constantin-Marius APOSTOAIE Irina BILAN Seyed MEHDIAN*

6. TRILEMMA REVISITED: NEW MEASURES & NONLINEARITIES Vanessa Olakemi DOVONOU Camelia TURCU

7. URBAN GROWTH POLE POLICY AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT IN ROMANIA

József BENEDEK Ştefana VARVARI Cristian Marius LITAN

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Section: Social, Economic and Political Dimensions of the Global Crisis: Implications for European Union

Chairman: Associate Professor Mircea ASANDULUI

1. SOCIO-ECONOMIC UNCERTAINTY AND FERTILITY IN CEE COUNTRIES Dănuț-Vasile JEMNA Mihaela DAVID

2. PHYSICAL ACTIVITY AND HEALTHCARE UTILIZATION IN FRANCE Dănuț-Vasile JEMNA Mihaela DAVID Marc-Hubert DEPRET Lydie ANCELOT

3. BANK CREDIT RISK MANAGEMENT IN THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA IN THE CONTEXT OF BASEL III AGREEMENT Eugenia BUSMACHIU Larisa MISTREAN

4. THE DEVELOPMENT OF A SECOND LANGUAGE ACQUISITION IN THE EUROPEAN UNION Raluca STOICA

5. THIRTY YEARS LATER: THE RISE OF ILLIBERALISM IN SEVERAL CEE COUNTRIES

Andreea-Oana IACOBUȚĂ-MIHĂIȚĂ Adina RUS Flavius ROVINARU Mihaela ROVINARU 6. CHALLENGES OF TEACHING BUSINESS ENGLISH IN POST-COMMUNIST ROMANIA Carina Ionela BRANZILA Elena Ramona CIORTESCU

7. TAX OPTIMISATION IN EASTERN EUROPEAN COMPANIES WITH OFFSHORE CONNECTIONS Mihai-Bogdan AFRĂSINEI Mihai CARP

Iuliana Eugenia GEORGESCU

8. TRENDS IN PUBLIC DEBT SUSTAINABILITY IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EU COUNTRIES

Bogdan ZUGRAVU Carmen PINTILESCU Alexandra Claudia GROSU

9. THE ASYMMETRIC EFFECT OF MONETARY AND FISCAL POLICIES ON INFLATION AND ECONOMIC GROWTH IN THE EUROPEAN POST-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES *Mircea ASANDULUI*

Mircea ASANDULUI Dan LUPU Liviu-George MAHA Elena-Daniela VIORICĂ

10. FISCAL RULES AND FISCAL PERFORMANCE IN EU FORMER COMMUNIST COUNTRIES *Cezara VINTURIS*

11. MAIN GEOPOLITICAL AND GEO-ECONOMIC INTERESTS IN EURASIA. A MULTIDIMENSIONAL APPROACH Gabriel Ciprian ANDRUSEAC Liviu-George MAHA

12. SURVIVAL OF SMALL SHOPS AGAINST A BACKGROUND OF EXPANSION OF SUPERMARKETS - A CASE STUDY *Gabriel CUCUTEANU*

13. FINANCIAL CONTAGION AND INTRA-GROUP SPILLOVER EFFECTS Elena GALASAN

14. INTERNATIONAL SANCTIONS AND RUSSIAN BANKING SECTOR EVOLUTIONS Bogdan CĂPRARU

Erezanu RUSLAN

15. IMPROVING EARNINGS PREDICTIONS WITH NEURAL NETWORK MODELS Răzvan POPA

Silviu URSU

16. GOVERNANCE SYSTEMS AND RISK MANAGEMENT Daniel JURAVLE

17. THEORETICAL CHALLENGES AND CASE-LAW APPROACH ON THE EU MEMBER STATES SOVEREIGNTY AND FISCAL COMPETITION *Mihaela TOFAN*

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Professor Ovidiu BAGDASAR, University of Derby, UK *Workshop* "Big Data: examples, mathematical background, and impact in the business world"

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Section: Quantitative Analysis under Global Challenges

Chairman: Professor Ion PARTACHI

1. INCONSISTENCIES IN THE DYNAMIC OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT DIMENSIONS IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES Costică MIHAI Cristina CĂUTIȘANU Simona-Roxana ULMAN

2. LIFESTYLE SEGMENTATION OF HOUSEHOLD ELECTRICITY CONSUMERS IN ROMANIA: A NECESSARY TOOL IN GREEN ENERGY RETAIL

Alexandru MAXIM Teodora ROMAN Adriana MANOLICĂ Andrei MAXIM

3. CORRUPTION EFFECTS ON ENTREPRENEURSHIP: A PANEL-DATA APPROACH

Ana Iolanda VODA Ana Maria BERCU Claudiu Gabriel TIGANAS

4. THE IMPACT OF FORESIGHT ON THE FUTURE (2-ND & THE LAST PART)

Ciprian-Ionel TURTUREAN

5. A PREDICTION NOMOGRAM FOR ESTIMATION OF DRIVERS FOR CORPORATE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSIBILITY Elisabeta JABA Christiana Brigitte SANDU Mariana HATMANU

6. RETURN AND VOLATILITY TRANSMISSION BETWEEN STOCK MARKET FROM THE EURO ZONE AND THE BALTIC COUNTRIES Viorica CHIRILĂ Ciprian CHIRILĂ

20⁰⁰ Gala Dinner – *Gourmet Restaurant* (Bellaria Complex)

OCTOBER 19, Saturday

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Social Programme

Departure for cultural and social trip (Alexandu Ioan Cuza of University Iaşi, Building A)

OCTOBER 20, Sunday

18⁰⁰ Social Programme Return from cultural and social trip