
Programme

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Programme Structure

	Wednesday 25 th August	Thursday 26 th August	Friday 27 th August	Saturday 28 th August	Sunday 29 th August			
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09:00 – 10:00				Parallel sessions				
10:00 – 10:30		Award Ceremony in European Prize in Regional Science						
10:30 – 11:00		Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break				
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20:00	Welcome reception hosted by the University of Porto	City Hall reception	Informal dinner "Casino da Póvoa"	Congress dinner				



Wednesday 25th August

13h00-16h30 – E.O.C Meeting (Invitation only)

Location: Room 227

14h00-19h00 – Registration

Location: First floor

19h00-20h00 – Opening Ceremony

Location: Main Hall

José Novais Barbosa, Rector, University of Porto
José Silva Costa, Local Organising Committee Chairman
Henrique Albergaria, President of APDR
Roberto Camagni, President of ERSA
Antoine Bailly, President of RSAI
Pedro Santana Lopes, Prime Minister of Portugal (to be confirmed)

20h00-22h00 – Welcome Reception hosted by the Faculty of Economics

Location: Garden

Thursday 26th August

08h00-10h00 – Registration continues

Location: First floor - Front desk

10h00-10h30 – Award Ceremony of the European Prize in Regional Science

Location: Main Hall

Intervention on the aims and significance of the European Prize in Regional Science
Roberto Camagni, President of ERSA

Presentation of the 2004 award winner: Alan Wilson
Daniel Shefer, President of the Jury

10h30-11h00 – Coffee break

Location: Garden

11h00-12h30 – “Long Range Planning”-RSAl (Invitation only)

Location: Room 227

11h00-12h30 - Parallel sessions

B. Land use, real estate and housing markets

Thursday, 26-08-2004, 11h00-12h30

Location: Room 113

Chair: to be confirmed

The productivity of industrial land in the Netherlands (63)
Louw, Erik; Bontekoning, Yvonne

Assessment of multifunctional land use: An empirical analysis of the Amsterdam 'Zuid WTC' area (280)
Rodenburg, Caroline A.

Defining a geographically weighted regression model of urban evolution. Application to the city of Volos, Greece (507)
Milaka, Kerasia; Photis, Yorgos

E. Public capital and regional development

Thursday, 26-08-2004, 11h00-12h30

Location: Room 118

Chair: to be confirmed

Infrastructure and uneven development. Regional differentiation of energy and water supply in Germany (296)
Naumann, Matthias

Public expenditures, aid and economic growth – some empirical evidence from the Portuguese autonomous regions (610)
Almeida, António

The dynamic classification of the development of infrastructures of European Countries: an empirical analysis between 1990 and 2000 (659)
Torrise, Benedetto; Skonieczny, Giorgio

G. Regional economic growth

Thursday, 26-08-2004, 11h00-12h30
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Chair: Eckhardt Bode

Competitiveness, productivity and economic growth across the European regions (333)
Gardiner, Ben; Martin, Ron; Peter, Tyler

Regional productive specialisation and inequality in the European Union (372)
Ezcurra, Roberto; Gil, Carlos; Pascual, Pedro; Rapún, Manuel

J. Globalisation and regional competitiveness / P. Regional science methodology

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Chair: Maier, Ghunter

The role of multinational corporations in metropolitan innovation systems – empirical evidence from Europe and South-East Asia (642)
Berger, Martin; Revilla Diez, Javier

The networks of ERSA (599)
Maier, Gunther; Van Dijk, Jouke

K. Local embedness of multinational activities

Thursday, 26-08-2004, 11h00-12h30
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Chair: Ana Teresa Tavares

Foreign Direct Investment and agglomeration: evidence from Italy (321)
Bronzini, Raffaello

Regional distribution of foreign manufacturing investment in Spain. Do agglomeration economies matter? (682)
Pelegrín Solé, Angels

N. Rural and local development. Natural resources, environment and tourism

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Chair: Fernando Marques Reigado

Regional importance of the agrobusiness in the Brazilian economy (10)
Guilhoto, Joaquim J.M.

Estimating benefits of forest lands attributes. Case study on the Atlantic Coast of the Iberian Peninsula (662)
González-Gómez, Nabuel

The model of rural development in Galicia: analysis and prospects (676)
Pavón, Bernardo Sánchez

The determinants of Brazilian pulp exports from 1980 to 2001 (691)
Caetano Bacha, Carlos José; Sanjuan, Adriana Estela

11h00-12h30 - Epainos Sessions

R. Young scientist sessions

R1 – International Trade

Thursday, 26-08-2004, 11h00-12h30
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Ruiz Fuensanta, María Jesús

The effect of domestic institutions on international trade flows: a sectorial analysis (357)
Linders, Gert-Jan

R2 – Spatial Dynamics 1

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Chair: Philip McCann

The evolution of the spatial and sectorial patterns in Ile-de-France over 1978-1997 (59)
Guillain, Rachel; Le Gallo, Julie; Boiteux-Orain, Céline

Measuring the institutional factors in the economic growth of the Mexican regions 1970-2000 (273)
Decuir-Viruez, Maria Luisa

R3 – Transportation

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Hess, Stephane

The influence of urban form on travel patterns. An application to the metropolitan area of Bordeaux (244)
Pouyanne, Guillaume

R4 – Spatial Disparities and Regional Competitiveness

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Spatial disparities in productivity and industry mix: the case of the European regions (102)
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Regional competitiveness in tourist local systems (627)
Capone, Francesco

R5 – Segregation and Clustering

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Migropolis: migration networks and formation of ethnic clusters in cities (146)
Coniglio, Nicola Daniele

A simulation of segregation in cities and its application for the analysis of price regulation (687)
Wagner, Wolfgang

R6 – Evaluation

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Economic loss estimation for earthquake hazard in Istanbul (196)
Kundak, Seda

Spatial sampling strategies for assessing public opinion under the Water Framework Directive:
a case study of the Ythan Project (233)
Sang, Neil

R7 - Spatial Aspects of Cultural Differences

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Chair: Roberta Capello

Entrepreneurial culture, regional innovativeness and economic growth (210)
Beugelsdijk, Sjoerd

Cultural distance, institutional distance and international trade (265)
Beugelsdijk, Sjoerd; De Groot, Henri; Linders, Gert-Jan; Slangen, Arjen

R8 - Spatial Dynamics 2

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Chair: Aura Reggiani

Spin-off firms and individual start-ups. Are they really different? (287)
Koster, Sierdjan

The geography of .pt top level domain. The internet diffusion in Portugal and its implications
for the decrease of spatial disparities (513)
Nunes, Flávio

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B. Land use, real estate and housing markets

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Fractal dimension versus density of the built-up surfaces in the periphery of Brussels (69)
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A comparison between office rent determinants of Istanbul and other major metropolitan areas (166)
Oven, V. Atilla; Pekdemir, Dilek

Evaluation models to support fiscal reform (565)
Rebello, Emilia Maria

C. Urban and regional planning

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Chair: Pierre-Henri Derycke

Telework, frequency of working out-of-home, and commuting: a labor supply model and an application to the Netherlands (294)
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The evolution of city size distribution in Portugal: 1864-2001 (315)
Delgado, Ana Paula; Godinho, Isabel Maria

How are cities working in the Spanish territorial development? (685)
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D. Transport and communication

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Proactive stakeholder management in the port planning process: empirical evidence from the Port of Brussels (271)
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An extension of 'green port portfolio analysis' to inland ports: an analysis of a range of eight inland ports in Western Europe (274)
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Second-best congestion pricing schemes in the monocentric city (408)
Verhoef, Erik

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Spanish unemployment: normative versus analytical regionalisation procedures (7)
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Regional unemployment and productivity in Europe and the US (38)
Basile, Roberto; De Benedictis, Luca

Wages and job satisfaction in Portugal (667)
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Interaction of regional population and employment over time: identifying short-run effects and equilibrium adjustment (256)
Van Ommeren, Jos; Vermeulen, Wouter

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Tervo, Hannu

F. Labour markets and population mobility

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How flexible are wages in EU accession countries? (191)
Iara, Anna; Traistaru, Iulia

Wage differentials across Spanish regions. The contribution of firm size (356)
El-Attar, Mayssun; Lopez, Enrique

Wages and employment growth: disaggregated evidence for West Germany (641)
Suedekum, Jens; Blien, Uwe

G. Regional economic growth

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Evaluation of regional economic policy in the New Economic Geography (119)
Rouwendal, Jan; Van Vuuren, Daniel

Transportation costs, increasing returns and regional growth: an interregional CGE analysis (461)
Haddad, Eduardo; Hewings, Geoffrey J.D.

G. Regional economic growth

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Using spatial econometrics to analyze local growth in Sweden (25)
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Estimation of regional economic convergence equations using artificial neural networks with cross section data (149)

Papadas, Christos T.; Efstroglou, Sophia

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Sandberg, Krister

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Role of networking in innovation promotion and cluster modernization: "house of the future" case (82)

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Almodovar, Joana; Teixeira, Aurora Amélia Castro

Role of regional policies in promoting networking and innovation activity of firms (201)

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H. Entrepreneurship, networks and innovation

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Stimulating the division of innovative labor by regional competition for R&D subsidies – a new approach in German innovation policy (376)

Eickelpasch, Alexander; Fritsch, Michael;

Cartuja 93, a technological park located at the site of Sevilla's world's fair (486)

Vazquez-Barquero, Antonio; Carrillo, Emilio

I. Producer services

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K. Local embedness of multinational activities

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M. Fiscal Federalism/Institutions and Governance

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Political business cycles at the municipal level (427)
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A comparative study on Spanish regions' investment capacity in a budgetary discipline anticipated scenario, by means of multicriteria Promethee method (227)
Arevalo Quijada, Maria Teresa; Yñiguez, Rocio; Castro Nuño, Maria Mercedes

Fiscal decentralization and economic growth in Spain (246)
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R. Young scientist sessions

R9 – Regional and Local Policy

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Local politics, budgets and development programmes in Croatia (99)
Sumpor, Marijana

Changing of the spatial development means and institution in Hungary after the change of regime
(689)
Sóvágó, Krisztina; Jusztin, Valéria

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Location: Garden

16h30-21h00 – Technical Excursion with City Hall Reception

A walk along the river and through the City Park (one hour long) ending at “Palácio do Freixo” where a small reception hosted by the City Hall will be held. Dinner is not included.

Friday 27th August

08h30-10h30 – Session in honour of Angelo Rossi

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Stimson, Robert J.; Stough, Roger R.

Medicometry and regional development (698)
Bailly, Antoine S.; Periat, Michel

Integration of control relations in the problematic of competition between regions (419)
Crevoisier, Olivier; Quiquerez, Frédéric

Heritage, zoning and land rent as drivers of urban form (694)
Bolis, Simona; Maggi, Ricco

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B. Land use, real estate and housing markets

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Location: Room 115

Chair: Terry L. Clower

A theoretical model for measuring the influence of accessibility in residential choice behaviour (185)
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Ownership of residential rental property in regional housing markets (494)
Narwold, Andrew

The impact of labour market accessibility on housing prices (355)
Osland, Liv; Thorsen, Inge; Gitlesen, Jens Petter

A study of dynamic relationship between housing values and interest rate in the Korean housing market (323)
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C. Urban and regional planning

Friday, 27-08-2004, 9h00-10h30

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Chair: Marcus Adolphson

The role of "network of cities" in construction of global urban culture (106)
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Evaluating future urbanisation patterns in the Netherlands (639)
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New urban settlements in a perspective of public and private interests (684)
Adolphson, Marcus

Social infrastructure planning in declining rural centres (534)
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D. Transport and communication

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Chair: Michael Dooms

The development of air traffic in Sicily (259)
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Can the European low-cost airline boom continue? Implications for regional airports (571)
Dennis, Nigel Peter Stewart

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Pitfield, David Edward

F. Labour markets and population mobility

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Niebuhr, Annekatrin; Stiller, Silvia

Defining scenarios through shift-share models. An application to the regional employment (454)
Mayor Fernández, Matías; López Menéndez, Ana Jesús; Pérez Suárez, Rigoberto

Spatial interdependence of Brazilian exports: impacts on regional labor markets (457)
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F. Labour markets and population mobility

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Chair: Simonetta Longhi

The relationship between geographical mobility and education-job mismatches (158)
Hensen, Maud; de Vries, Robert

The commuting distribution (214)
Van Ommeren, Jos

Misspecifications in modelling journeys to work (420)
Gitlesen, Jens Petter; Thorsen, Inge; Ubøe, Jan

G. Regional economic growth

Friday, 27-08-2004, 9h00-10h30
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Chair: Ben Gardiner

New regional definition and spatial analysis of regional inequalities in Turkey related to the regional policies of EU (57)
Gezýcý, Ferhan

Can income inequality contribute to understand inequalities in health? An empirical approach based on the European Community Household Panel (230)
Sarabia, Jose Maria; Cantarero, David; Pascual, Marta

A note on poverty, inequality and growth (500)
Korres, George; Marmaras, Emmanuel; Tsobanoglou, George

Trends in income inequality in the European Union: implications for health inequalities (304)
Pascual, Marta; Cantarero, David; Sarabia, Jose Maria

H. Entrepreneurship, networks and innovation

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Chair: Argentino Pessoa

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Tödting, Franz; Tripl, Michaela; Lehner, Patrick

Ambivalences of the creative class: space, reflexivity and the restructuring of the German advertising industry (222)
Thiel, Joachim

On the significance of geographical proximity for the structure and development of newly founded knowledge-intensive business service firms (295)
Koschatzky, Knut; Stahlecker, Thomas

Knowledge networks, which roles for regions and for different communication modes? (448)
Van Geenhuizen, Marina; Doornbos, Holmer

H. Entrepreneurship, networks and innovation

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Chair: Mário Rui Silva

The role of SMEs for development: a literature review (39)
Duarte, Nelson

Entrepreneurship, geography and technological change (516)
Acs, Zoltan; Varga, Attila

Business networking for SMEs as a means to promote regional competitiveness: a theoretical framework (455)
Braga, Vitor

SMEs, the engine of local entrepreneurship, in the framework of New Basel Capital Accord: perspectives-opportunities and obstacles for their reinforcement by the Banking System (336)
Balomenou, Chryssanthi

I. Producer services

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Chair: Isabel Mota

Co-operation between companies and the advisory system in innovations – a comparative analysis of Northern Germany and Western Denmark (96)
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The innovation system vs. cluster process: common contributive elements towards regional development (462)
Ramos, George; Santos, Domingos

Macroeconomic effects of the geography of knowledge production: EcoRET, a macroeconometric model with regionally endogenized technological change for Hungary (521)
Schalk, Hans Joachim; Varga, Attila



K. Local embedness of multinational activities

Friday, 27-08-2004, 9h00-10h30
Location: Room 241
Chair: Angels Peligrine Solé

Changes in manufacturing linkage patterns in Scotland and Wales: hollowing out and foreign direct investment? (67)

Munday, Max; Dewhurst, John H.L.; Roberts, Annette

The role of foreign capital investments and the European Union Funds in management of regional and local development (124)

Bojar, Ewa

Foreign direct investments, regional incentives and regional attractiveness in Greece (559)

Kokkinou, Aikaterini; Psycharis, Ioannis

M. Fiscal federalism / Institutions and governance

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Chair: Rui Henrique Alves

The enhancement of knowledge, preservation and valorisation of historical settlements in the alpine area: an interdisciplinary approach (123)

Pedrazzini, Luisa; Pesaro, Giulia

Changing local artists attitudes and activities towards community vitalization in relation to their communication with community members (325)

Deguchi, Chikashi; Kakoi, Erika; Kawano, Masaya; Yoshitake, Tetsunobu

Trade as a cultural identity aspect in a city. A case study on Catania (583)

Di Blasi, Elena; Cirelli, Caterina; Mercatanti, Leonardo; Porto, Carmelo Maria; Nicosia, Enrico

Valuing cultural heritage benefits to urban and regional development (314)

Riganti, Patrizia; Nijkamp, Peter

M. Fiscal federalism / Institutions and governance

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Fiscal federalism, fiscal consolidations and cuts in central government grants: evidence from an event study (366)

Darby, Julia; Anton, Muscatelli; Roy, Graeme

Intergovernmental transfers and revenue sharing in Spain (391)

Alvarez-García, Santiago; Salinas-Jiménez, Javier; Cantarero, David

Central government transfers and regional convergence in Portugal (443)

Ferreira Dias, Marta; Silva, Ricardo

N. Rural and local development. Natural resources, environment and tourism

Friday, 27-08-2004, 9h00-10h30
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Chair: Livia Madureira

Transboundary pollution and welfare effects of technology transfer (203)

Takarada, Yasuhiro

Analysis of distributive effects of the introduction of an environmental tax in Spain using a partial-equilibrium model (95)

Merinero Rodríguez, Rafael; López-Guzmán Guzmán, Tomás J.; Lara de Vicente, Fernando

A political economy model of regulation explained through fuzzy logics (189)

Oliveira, Elizabeth Real; Castro e Silva, Manuela

Externalities of logistics and urban sustainability: a case of market failure (482)

Maggi, Elena

O. Quantitative methods in regional science

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How distant are the Portuguese regions? A multidimensional scaling application (156)

Guerreiro, Gertrudes Saúde; Caleiro, António

Regional Income Convergence in Europe, 1995-2000: A Spatial Econometric Perspective (145)

Fischer Manfred, Stirböck Claudia

A statistical model for the identification of key sectors in I-O models (90)

Percoco, Marco

A comparison of two methods for the definition of Regional Metropolitan Areas through an application in the North of Portugal (488)

Ramos, Rui António; Silva, António Néilson; Miranda, Vasco

P. Regional science methodology

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Ontology of multi-agents processes of spatial decision (142)

Rabino, Giovanni; Girotti, Alberto

The new economic geography versus urban economics: an evaluation using local wage rates in Great Britain (638)

Fingleton, Bernard

Why is economic geography not an evolutionary science? (393)

Boschma, Ron; Frenken, Koen

10h30-11h00 – Coffee break

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11h00-12h30 – Plenary session

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Regions and fiscal federalism

Key note speakers:

- Stephen Bailey
- David Wildasin



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A. Location of economic activities

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Chair: José Cadima Ribeiro

Location choices of multinational firms in Europe: the role of national boundaries and EU policy (37)

Basile, Roberto; Castellani, Davide; Zanfei, Antonello

Economic integration and location of manufacturing activities: evidence from Mercosur (609)

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B. Land use, real estate and housing markets

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Spatial distribution of high-rise buildings within urban areas: the case of the Telaviv Metropolitan Region (171)

Frenkel, Amnon

Spatial structure and prediction of land use change considering development projects in urban promotion districts (512)

Kajita, Yoshitaka; Kawano, Masaya; Yoshitake, Tetsunobu; Tatsumi, Hiroshi; Toi, Satoshi

Analysis of residential choice behavior at community scale (40)

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The mental map of Dutch entrepreneurs. Changes in the subjective rating of locations in the Netherlands, 1983-1993-2003 (556)
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Ex post analysis of the regional impacts of major infrastructure: the Channel Tunnel 10 years on (570)
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The supply of transports in the European Atlantic arc: a strength of infrastructures transeuropeas for the development of the regional economies (678)
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Universities and economically depressed regions: how 'attractive' is the University of Évora? (23)
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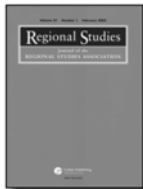


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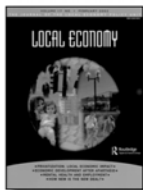
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