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### Conference Programme

Tuesday 4th June		
10.00-16.00	RSA Board Meeting (Invitation Only)	Room 14
15:00-17:00	City Walking Tour	
17.00-18.00	Conference Registration	

Wednesday 5th June		
08:00-17:30	Conference Registration	
09:00-09:25	Conference Introduction and Welcome	Room: Paraninfo
09.25-09.30	Announcement of RSA Annual Conference 2020	
09:30-11:00	Plenary [1] Urban and Regional Horizons Plenary Panel Chair: John Harrison - Loughborough University, UK  Panellists: <b>Mercedes Delgado</b> - MIT, USA & Copenhagen Business School, Denmark <b>Sergio Montero Muñoz</b> - Universidad de los Andes, Colombia <b>Isabelle Angelovski</b> - Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, <b>Ben Derudder</b> - Ghent University, Belgium <b>David Bailey</b> - Aston University, UK	Room: Paraninfo
11:00-11:30	Refreshment Break - Foyer	

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11:30-13:00	<b>Parallel Sessions [1]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Metropolitan and Urban Governance</b>	Room 2
Chair:	Alejandra Berenice Trejo Nieto – El Colegio de Mexico, Mexico	
<b>Maciej Smetkowski</b> - (EUROREG), University of Warsaw, Poland	Metropolitan Governance, Change and Spatial Transformation: The Development of Secondary Business Districts in Dublin and Warsaw Metropolitan Areas	
Niamh Moore-Cherry - University College Dublin, Ireland		
Dorota Celińska-Janowicz - (EUROREG), University of Warsaw, Poland		
<b>Daniel Galland</b> - Norwegian University of Life Sciences (NMBU), Norway	Conceptualising Metropolitan Regions: How Institutions, Policies, Spatial Imaginaries, and Planning are Influencing Metropolitan Development	
John Harrison - Loughborough University, UK		
<b>Charlotte Hoole</b> - University of Sheffield, UK	City-Regions, Devolution and Local Governance in a Post-Brexit Era	
Stephen Hincks - University of Sheffield, UK		
<b>Karl-Johan Lundquist</b> - Lund University, Sweden	Growth Corridors: A Systemic Framework for Explaining Long-term Regional Transformation and Growth	
Mikhail Martynovich - Lund University, Sweden		
Session Title:	<b>SS9 I. Smart Cities and the Commons: A Good Marriage? I</b>	Room 3
Chair:	Ignazio Cabras - Newcastle Business School, UK	
<b>Amarynth Sichel</b> - Cambridge University, UK	Information Modelling and Smart City Planning: Overcoming Barriers to Information Modelling and Fair Data Use Governance	
Franziska Sielker - Cambridge University, UK		
<b>Daniel van den Buuse</b> - University of Applied Sciences, The Netherlands	Organizational Ambidexterity and the Creation of Smart Cities: Managing Exploration and Exploitation in Urban Management	
Willem van Winden - University of Applied Sciences, The Netherlands		
Wieke Schrama - University of Applied Sciences, The Netherlands		
<b>Andrew Switzer</b> - Hogeschool van Amsterdam, The Netherlands	Chances and Challenges in Creating the Conditions for University-Industry Co-Creation on Campuses: The Case of Amsterdam	

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11:30-13:00	<b>Parallel Sessions [1]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS6 I. Creative Peripheries? Thinking Innovation beyond Agglomeration I</b>	Room 5
Chair:	Jakob Eder - Austrian Academy of Sciences, Austria	
<b>Rahel Meili</b> – University of Bern, Switzerland	Spatial Biographies of Rural Entrepreneurs and their Influence on the Entrepreneurial Process	
<b>Richard Shearmur</b> – McGill University, Canada David Doloreux – HEC Montréal, Canada	Non-urban Knowledge Bases: A Geography of Knowledge Intensive Service Inputs to Canada’s Wine Industry	
<b>Michael Fritsch</b> – Friedrich Schiller University Jena, Germany Michael Wyrwich, University of Groningen, The Netherlands	Does Successful Innovation Require Large Cities: The Case of Germany	
<b>Ruta Ubareviciene</b> – Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands and Lithuanian Social Research Centre, Lithuania Kadi Magi – University of Tartu, Estonia	Urban Change and the Role of the Capital City. A Comparative Study of 3 Baltic States	
Session Title:	<b>Have your Say: How do we Enable Best Practice in Place-Based Policy? – RSA Policy Expo: Enabling Best Practice in Place-Based Policy</b>	Room 6
<b>Session Organiser(s)</b> <b>Andrew Beer</b> - UniSA Business School, Australia <b>Sarah Ayres</b> - University of Bristol, UK <b>Jiri Blazek</b> - Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic	Our workshop needs your input to help us consider the contribution place-based policy makes to the productivity and wellbeing of national, regional and local economies. The growth of place-based policy approaches has the potential to make a significant contribution to communities across a number of policy domains, including the promotion of innovation, the development of local leadership capacities, and in managing significant economic transitions. But how do we identify the determinants of success in the development and implementation of place-based policies? How do we identify new opportunities for their application? Have your say about how policy makers can better leverage place-based policies to achieve better outcomes across diverse spatial scales	

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11:30-13:00	<b>Parallel Sessions [1]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Urban Economies</b>	Room 7
Chair:		
<b>Irina Turgel</b> - Ural Federal University, Russia	The Largest Regional Capitals: Transformation and Development	
Elizabeth Ulyanova – Ural Federal University, Russia		
<b>Evgeniya Kolomak</b> – Institute of Economics and Industrial Engineering, Russia	The Influence of Urban Core on Surrounding the Housing Market of Metropolitan Areas (The Case of Russia)	
<b>Carolyn Ioramashvili</b> – London School of Economics, UK	Earnings and Labour Share: A Regional Analysis of the United Kingdom	
<b>Ruta Ubareviciene</b> – Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands and Lithuanian Social Research Centre, Lithuania	Urban Change and the Role of the Capital City. A Comparative Study of 3 Baltic States	
Kadi Magi – University of Tartu, Estonia		
Session Title:	<b>SS19 I. The Identities of Territories: Seeking their Economic and Political Consequences I</b>	Room 8
Chair:		
<b>Anton Filipenko</b> – National Taras Shevchenko University of Kyiv, Ukraine	The Nature and Consequences of Economic Sanctions Policy	
<b>Lewis Dijkstra</b> – European Commission, Belgium	The Geography of EU Discontent	
Andres Rodriguez-Pose, London School of Economics, UK		
<b>Nicola Pontarollo</b> - JRC, European Commission, Italy	Regional Resilience and Discontent in the EU	
Chiara Ferrante - Sapienza University of Rome, Italy		
Marco Colagrossi - JRC, European Commission, Italy		
<b>Maria Abreu</b> - Pembroke College, UK	Economic Geography, Identity and Electoral Preferences: The Case of the Welsh Brexit Vote	
Calvin Jones - University of Cardiff, UK		
<b>Anne-Marie Jeannet</b> - Bocconi University, Italy	Has Regional Deindustrialization Reduced Citizens' Satisfaction with Democracy? A Dynamic Panel Study of European Regions (1983-2017)	
Chiara Allegri - Bocconi University, Italy		

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11.30-13.00	<b>Parallel Sessions [1]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Wellbeing, Vulnerability and Resilience I</b>	Room 9
Chair:	Judith Hann – CLLD, Cornwall Development Company, UK	
<p><b>Alexandre Vecino Aguirre</b> – University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain          Pilar Murias Fernández - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain          Beatriz Valcárcel Aguiar - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain</p>		
<p><b>Assessing Resilience from an Economic Wellbeing Perspective: The Case of Spanish Regions during the Great Recession</b></p>		
<p><b>Slavica Zec</b> – JRC, European Commission, Italy          Peter Benczur - JRC, European Commission, Italy          Elisabeth Joossens - JRC, European Commission, Italy          Anna Rita Manca - JRC, European Commission, Italy          Balint Menyert - JRC, European Commission, Italy</p>		
<p><b>Resilience and Wellbeing of EU Regions during and after the 2008 Economic Crisis</b></p>		
<p><b>Daria Denti</b> - GSSI, Italy</p>		
<p><b>Where do they Bully? A Comprehensive District-level Analysis of Spatial Socioeconomic Factors Influencing Bullying Victimization in England</b></p>		
<p><b>Thiago Mendes</b> - CEGOT, Portugal          Teresa Sá Marques - CEGOT, Portugal          Luis Carvalho - CEGOT, Portugal          Ana Monteiro - CEGOT, Portugal</p>		
<p><b>Experience, Knowledge and Selectivity: The Dynamics among Authors in Articles Related to the Ebola Disease</b></p>		
Session Title:	<b>Sustainability, Climate Change and Environment I</b>	Room 10
Chair:	Maria Tsouri - University of Oslo, Norway	
<p><b>Chee Keong Khoo</b> – City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, China          Xin Li - City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, China</p>		
<p><b>Energy Consumption Behavior and User Satisfaction in Green Public Residential Buildings in Hong Kong</b></p>		
<p><b>Joan Fitzgerald</b> – Northeastern University, USA</p>		
<p><b>Random Acts of Greenness: The Need for Cities to up their Game on Climate Change</b></p>		
<p><b>Adrain Duhalt</b> - Rice University's Baker Institute for Public Policy, USA</p>		
<p><b>Natural Gas Supply in Mexico and Local Spatial Dynamics</b></p>		
<p><b>Tanja Tötzer</b> - AIT Austrian Institute of Technology GmbH, Austria          Sabine Sedlacek - MODUL University of Vienna, Austria          Branislav Iglar, AIT Austrian Institute of Technology GmbH, Austria</p>		
<p><b>What Fosters Energy Transition in Tourism Regions? Experiences from an Energy Flagship Region in Austria</b></p>		

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11.30-13.00	<b>Parallel Sessions [1]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS12 I. Emerging Industries: Institutions, Legitimacy and System Building I</b>	Room 11
Chair:	Elvira Uyarra – Manchester Business School, UK	
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<b>Robert Hassink</b> – Kiel University, Germany	Transitions Studies: A Useful Framework for Explaining where New Industries Emerge?	
<b>Arnaud Bessagnet</b> – LEREPS, Université de Toulouse, France Jérôme Vicente - LEREPS, Université de Toulouse, France Joan Crespo - LEREPS, Université de Toulouse, France	Break Free the Dynamics of Entrepreneurial Ecosystems: The Case of the IoT Valley	
<b>Christiane Gebhardt</b> - Malik Institute, Germany Henry Etzkowitz - International Triple Helix Institute, USA	Participatory Governance, Social Entrepreneurship and the Importance of Innovation Role Models for Regional Path Diversification the Triple Helix Model in Smart, Green and Inclusive Urbanism in Brainport Smart District	
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Session Title:	<b>SS26 I. Practices and the Regional Economy I</b>	Room 12
Chair:	James Murphy - Clark University, USA	
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<b>Andrew Jones</b> – City University London, UK	The Case for a Practice-oriented Approach to Regional Economies	
<b>Al James</b> – Newcastle University, UK	Digital Work/Place	
<b>Allan Watson</b> - Loughborough University, UK	Problematising 'Regional' Creative Industries Policy: Local Articulations and Networks (Dis)Connections in the Music Economy of North West England	
<b>David Waite</b> - Urban Studies and Policy Scotland, University of Glasgow, UK	The Merits of Modest Explanatory Approaches: Critical Realism and Urban Economic Growth	

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Session Title:	<b>Regional Entrepreneurship and Environment</b>	Room 13
Chair:	Andrew Henley - Cardiff University, UK	
<b>Stepan Zemtsov</b> - Russian Academy for National Economy and Public administration, Russia		
Yulia Tsareva - RANEP, Russia		
Vera Barinova - RANEP, Russia		
<b>Ian Clarke</b> - University of Greenwich, UK		
Sustainable Entrepreneurship and Electric Vehicles: Opportunities and Challenges		
<b>Wenying Fu</b> - Northumbria University, UK		
Does Regional Environment Affect the Growth of Technology-based Start-ups and Incumbents Equally? Evidence from China		
<b>Gianni Romaní</b> - Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile		
Ivania Rodriguez - Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile		
Miguel Atienza - Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile		
Gissela Iriarte - Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile		
Analía Villarroel - Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile		
<b>Peripheral and Marginal Economies</b>		
Session Title:	<b>Peripheral and Marginal Economies</b>	
Chair:	Marcin Stępnik - Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain	
Room 14		
<b>Etienne Nel</b> – University of Otago, New Zealand and University of Johannesburg, South Africa		
Sean Connelly - University of Otago, New Zealand		
<b>Viktorija Baranauskiene</b> – Lithuanian Social Research Centre, Lithuania		
Influence of Rapidly Spreading Sparsely Populated Areas on the Emergence of Spatial Exclusion: The Case of Lithuania (This Project is funded by European Social Fund (Project No 09.3.3-LMT-K-712-13-0250))		
<b>David Beel</b> - Manchester Metropolitan University, UK		
Martin Jones - Staffordshire University, UK		
Alex Plows - Bangor University, UK		
Urban Growth Strategies in Rural Regions: Building the North Wales Growth Deal		
<b>Eduarda Marques da Costa</b> - University of Lisbon, Portugal		
Pedro Franco - University of Lisbon, Portugal		
Nuno Marques da Costa - University of Lisbon, Portugal		
Regional Disparities in Access to Health Services in Low Density Territories in EU Context		

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11.30-13.00	<b>Parallel Sessions [1]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Nationalism, Federalism and Regionalism</b>	Room 16
Chair:	Bram van Vulpen – University of Groningen, The Netherlands	
<b>Anton Filipenko</b> – National Taras Shevchenko University of Kyiv, Ukraine	The Nature and Consequences of Economic Sanctions Policy	
<b>Lewis Dijkstra</b> – European Commission, Belgium Andres Rodriguez-Pose, London School of Economics, UK	The Geography of EU Discontent	
<b>Nicola Pontarollo</b> - JRC, European Commission, Italy Chiara Ferrante - Sapienza University of Rome, Italy Marco Colagrossi - JRC, European Commission, Italy	Regional Resilience and Discontent in the EU	
<b>Maria Abreu</b> - Pembroke College, UK Calvin Jones - University of Cardiff, UK	Economic Geography, Identity and Electoral Preferences: The Case of the Welsh Brexit Vote	
<b>Anne-Marie Jeannet</b> - Bocconi University, Italy Chiara Allegri - Bocconi University, Italy	Has Regional Deindustrialization Reduced Citizens' Satisfaction with Democracy? A Dynamic Panel Study of European Regions (1983-2017)	
Session Title:	<b>Regional Economies I</b>	Room 17
Chair:	Phil Tomlinson – University of Bath, UK	
<b>Peter Kedron</b> – Arizona State University, USA	Replicable and Reproducible Research in Economic Geography and Spatial Science	
<b>Dieter Kogler</b> – University College Dublin, Ireland Changjun Lee - University College Dublin, Ireland Ron Boschma - Universiteit Utrecht, The Netherlands	The Evolution of Regional Recombinant Knowledge Production: Entropy, Density and Relatedness	
<b>Clare O'Mahony</b> – TU Dublin, Ireland Lucía Morales – TU Dublin, Ireland	Dynamic Cities and Polarisation: Brexit and a Tale of Two Cities	
<b>Carlo Corradini</b> – Birmingham Business School, UK Enrico Vanino – London School of Economics, UK	Relatedness, Path Dependency and the Dynamics of New Firm Creation in the UK	
Session Title:	<b>Regional Methodology and Data I</b>	Room 18
Chair:		
<b>Coro Chasco</b> – Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Spain Sofía Ruiz - EAE Business School, Spain	Quantification of the 'Airbnb effect' in the City of Madrid	
<b>Arnab Bhattacharjee</b> – Heriot-Watt University, UK Paulo Batista - University of Aveiro, Portugal	Recursive Territorial Ordering and Spatial Externalities	
<b>Piotr Wójcik</b> - EUROREG, University of Warsaw, Poland	I Just Run One LASSO Regression	
<b>Clementine Cottineau</b> - CNRS, France Elsa Arcaute - University College London, UK	The Nested Structure of Urban Business Clusters	



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Session Title:	<b>Energy and Regional Economies</b>	Seminar I
Chair:	Tasos Kitsos - City-REDI, University of Birmingham, UK	
<p><b>José Balsa Barreiro</b> – University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain            Manuel Rodríguez García - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain            Lucía Villar Caamaño - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain            Roberto Vila Lage - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain</p> <p>The Internal Energy Imbalance in Spain: Analysis Focused on the Hydroelectric Power in the Region of Galicia</p>		
<p><b>Amjad Naveed</b> – Aarhus University, Denmark            Aghdam Fathollah Azdeh - Sultan Qaboos University, Oman            Nisar Ahmad - Sultan Qaboos University, Oman</p> <p>Energy-Environment-Growth Nexus: A Panel Data Analysis</p>		
<p><b>Stefano Pareglio</b> - FEEM, Italy            Francesca Diluiso - FEEM, Italy            Gianni Guastella - FEEM, Italy</p> <p>Projections of Energy Demand in European Cities using Downscaled Population Scenarios</p>		
Session Title:	<b>SS20. Regional Economic Resilience: Latest Development and New Research Frontiers</b>	Geography Seminar 213
Chair:	Tasos Kitsos - City-REDI, University of Birmingham, UK	
<p><b>Tasos Kitsos</b> – City-REDI, University of Birmingham, UK            André Carrascal-Incera - City-REDI, University of Birmingham, UK</p> <p>The Role of Embeddedness on Regional Economic Resilience</p>		
<p><b>Marijn Molema</b> – Fryske Akademy, The Netherlands            Emil Evenhuis - University of Southampton, UK            Ramon Ramon-Muñoz, University of Barcelona, Spain</p> <p>The Potential Contributions of Economic and Business History to Researching Regional Economic Resilience</p>		
<p><b>Igor Tupy</b> - Federal University of Viçosa, Brazil            Fernanda Faria Silva - Federal University of Ouro Preto, Brazil            Marco Crocco - CEDEPLAR, Federal University of Minas Gerais, Brazil            Pedro Amaral - CEDEPLAR, Federal University of Minas Gerais, Brazil</p> <p>Regional Resilience in a Monetary Production Economy</p>		
<p><b>Simone Maria Grabner</b> - Gran Sasso Science Institute, Italy</p> <p>The Great Recession and Industrial Resilience in the United States</p>		

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11.30-13.00	<b>Parallel Sessions [1]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS28. Smart Specialisation at the Margins</b>	Ancient History Seminar
Chair:	Sana Elouaer-Mrizak - Université du Littoral Côte D'Opale, France	012
<p><b>Rikard Eriksson</b> - Umeå University, Sweden      Smart Specialization and the Occupation Space            Emelie Hane-Weijman - Umeå University, Sweden            David Rigby - UCLA, USA</p>		
<p><b>Fedoua Kasmî</b> - Université du Littoral Côte D'Opale, France      Related Variety in Industrial Symbiosis: The Case of Dunkirk</p>		
<p><b>Rima Rubčinskaitė</b> - Faculty of Economics of Vilnius University, Lithuania      Do High Productivity Clusters Reflect Smart Specialization Strategies: Priorities in the Baltic States</p>		
<p><b>Sana Elouaer-Mrizak</b> - Université du Littoral Côte D'Opale, France      Smart and Resilient Regions: Twin Peaks or Policy Chimera?            Adrian Healy- Cardiff University, UK</p>		
11.30-13.00	<b>Parallel Sessions [1]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Interview Videos (Invitation only)</b>	Art Seminar 235
<p>Session Title:      <b>Cities and Regions across Borders</b>      Medieval Seminar 232            Chair:      Olivier Crevoisier – (GRET), Université De Neuchatel, Switzerland</p>		
<p><b>Valerià Paül</b> - Universidade de Santiago de Compostela, Spain      Cross-border Regions between Galicia and its Neighbouring Territories? Exploring an Emerging Regional Geography            Juan M. Trillo-Santamaría Universidade de Santiago de Compostela, Spain            Alejandro Otero Varela - Universidade de Santiago de Compostela, Spain</p>		
<p><b>Christophe Sohn</b> - Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research, Luxembourg      Bordering Urban Network Externalities: Border Effects, Network Connectivity and Metropolitan Functions in Europe            Julien Licheron - Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research, Luxembourg            Evert Meijers - Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands</p>		
<p><b>Szilard Racz</b> - Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Hungary      Political, Economic and Urban Dimensions of Croatian-Hungarian Cross-border Co-operations</p>		

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13.00-14.30	Lunch	
13.00-14.30	<b>RSA Territorial Representatives Lunch Meeting (Invitation Only)</b>	Room 14
14.30-15.15	Plenary [2] Spatial Economics Conference Lecture Chair: Paul Elhorst, University of Groningen, The Netherlands  Speaker: <b>Rachel Franklin</b> – Newcastle University, UK <i>I Come to Bury growth, not Praise it</i>	Room: Paraninfo
15.15-16.45	<b>Parallel Sessions [2]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS33 I. Conceptual and Comparative Perspectives on Regional Planning I</b>	Room 2
Chair:	Raine Mäntysalo - Aalto University, Finland and Valeria Lingua, University of Florence, Italy	
<b>John Harrison</b> - Loughborough University, UK		Whither Regional Planning?
Daniel Galland - Norwegian University of Life Sciences, Norway		
Mark Tewdwr-Jones - University of Newcastle, UK		
<b>Lukas Smas</b> - Stockholm University, Sweden		Positioning Regional Planning across Europe
Peter Schmitt - Stockholm University, Sweden		
<b>Eva Purkarthofer</b> - Aalto University, Finland		Regional Planning Cultures in Austria and Finland
Alois Humer - Aalto University, Finland		
Hanna Mattila - University of Minnesota, USA		
Session Title:	<b>SS9 II. Smart Cities and the Commons: A Good Marriage? II</b>	Room 3
Chair:	Willem van Winden – Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences, The Netherlands	
<b>Patricia van Hemert</b> - Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences, The Netherlands		Governance of Urban Collectives in Amsterdam
Willem van Winden - Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences, The Netherlands		
<b>Anqi Wang</b> - Technological and Higher Education Institute of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, China		How does Ownership Affect the Use of Public Space in Hong Kong?
Daniel Ho - Technological and Higher Education Institute of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, China		
<b>Luis Carvalho</b> - University of Porto, Portugal		Smart Cities: Urban Nexus of Ambivalent Digital and Sustainability Transitions
Hugues Jeannerat - University of Neuchatel, Switzerland		

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<b>15.15-16.45 Parallel Sessions [2]</b>		
<b>Session Title:</b>	<b>Regional and Cohesion Policy Perspectives</b>	Room 4
<b>Chair:</b>	Tadeusz Stryjakiewicz – Adam Mickiewicz University, Poland	
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<b>Paulino Montes-Solla</b> - University of Coruña, Spain	EU Regional Policy and Development in Spain: Capital Widening and Productivity Stagnation Over 1989-2010	
J. Andrés Faíña Medín - University of Coruña, Spain		
Jesus Lopez-Rodriguez - University of Coruña, Spain		
<b>Edoardo Ferrucci</b> - Université de Bordeaux, France	The Impact of Cultural and Sectoral Diversity on Regional Resilience: Italian Evidence	
Anna D'ambrosio - DIGEP, Polytechnic of Turin, Italy		
Valentina Meliciani - LUISS University, Italy		
Francesco Quatraro - University of Torino - Collegio Carlo Alberto, Italy		
<b>Piotr Idczak</b> - Poznan University of Economics, Poland	JESSICA Initiative - An Innovative Change in the EU Cohesion Policy Focused on Sustainable Urban Development and Leveraging Resources	
Ida Musialkowska - Poznan University of Economic and Business, Poland		
Karol Mrozik - Poznan University of Economic and Business, Poland		
<b>Nuno Marques da Costa</b> - IGOT – Ulisboa, Portugal	Measuring Cohesion Policy Results. Towards a Cohesion Policy Index	
Daniel Rauhut - Karelian Institute University of Eastern Finland, Finland		
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<b>Session Title:</b>	<b>SS6 II. Creative Peripheries? Thinking Innovation Beyond Agglomeration II</b>	Room 5
<b>Chair:</b>	Rahel Meili - University of Bern, Switzerland	
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<b>Jakob Eder</b> - Austrian Academy of Sciences, Austria	Innovation in the Periphery: Compensation and Exploitation Strategies	
Michaela Trippl - University of Vienna, Austria		
<b>Rhiannon Pugh</b> - Örebro University, Sweden	Innovation Policy and Peripheral Regions: a Research Framework Encompassing Economic, Environmental, Cultural, and Geo-Political Perspectives	
<b>Adi Weidenfeld</b> - Coventry University, UK	Chances and Challenges in Creating the Conditions for University-Industry Co-Creation on Campuses: The Case of Amsterdam	
Teemu Makkonen - University of Eastern Finland, Finland		
Nick Clifton - Cardiff Metropolitan University, UK		

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15.15-16.45	<b>Parallel Sessions [2]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Planning at the Urban Scale</b>	Room 6
Chair:	Niamh Moore-Cherry - University College Dublin, Ireland	
<b>Andy Pike</b> - Newcastle University, UK	Financialising City Statecraft	
<b>Camilla Perrone</b> - University of Florence, Italy	In-between   Zwischenstadt: Socio-natural Transformations in an Era of Planetary Urbanisation	
<b>Krzysztof Rogatka</b> - Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland Aleksandra Lewandowska - Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland Tomasz Starczewski - Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland	Power of Upcycling – Case Study from Poland	
<b>Jiemei Luo</b> – Tongji University, China	Culture-led Urban Regeneration in Community Scale – Case study of Yuyuan Street in Shanghai, China	
Session Title:	<b>Rural Development and Innovation</b>	Room 7
Chair:	Laura Norris - Cardiff University, UK	
<b>Brennan Lowery</b> - Memorial University of Newfoundland, Canada	Mobilizing Community Assets in Rural Coastal Regions: Analysis of Asset Mapping Initiatives in Rural Newfoundland and Labrador	
<b>Christian Hundt</b> - Thünen-Institute of Rural Studies, Germany Anne Margaritan - Thünen Institute of Rural Studies, Germany	Rural but not the same: On the Diverging Development of Rural Germany	
<b>Gary Bosworth</b> - University of Lincoln, UK David Charles - Northumbria University, UK Maria Salomaa - Lincoln University, UK	Conceptualising Rural Innovation: Opportunities and Challenges for Policy Development	

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15.15-16.45	<b>Parallel Sessions [2]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS19 II. The Identities of Territories: Seeking their Economic and Political Consequences II</b>	Room 8
Chair:		
<b>Lucrezia Lopez</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain	Assessing New Cultural and Creative Territorial Discourses. Setting up The Camino Film Commission	
<b>Haiyan Lu</b> - Free University Berlin, Germany	How Regional Identities are Formulated and Diffused in the Media in China- A Case Study of Greater Pearl River Delta	
<b>Brice Barois</b> - University of Toulon, Lead, France Michel Dimou- University of Toulon, Lead, France	Connectivity and Economic Growth: A Panel Study for European Regions	
<b>Bram van Vulpen</b> - University of Groningen, The Netherlands	Regionalization of Identity Politics? A Literature Review of Identity Politics in Regional Disparities (working title)	
Session Title:	<b>Wellbeing, Vulnerability and Resilience II</b>	Room 9
Chair:		
<b>Lana Slavuj Borcic</b> - University of Zagreb, Croatia	Alternative Food Networks in Croatia – the Perspective of Solidarity Purchasing Groups	
<b>Giulio Breglia</b> - Gran Sasso Science Institute, Italy Alessandra Faggian - Gran Sasso Science Institute, Italy Marco - Modica - Gran Sasso Science Institute, Italy	Post-Disaster Housing Market and State Intervention, an Urban-rural Story. Counterfactual Analysis for Italy 2009	
<b>Lisa-Michéle Bott</b> - University of Cologne, Germany Boris Braun - University of Cologne, Germany	Translocal Social Capital as a Resource for Adaptation to Coastal Hazards on North Java, Indonesia	
<b>Bernardo Campolina</b> - CEDEPLAR/UFMG, Brazil Anderson Cavalcante - CEDEPLAR/UFMG, Brazil Mônica Viegas - CEDEPLAR/UFMG, Brazil Aline Magalhães - CEDEPLAR/UFMG, Brazil Sibelle Diniz - CEDEPLAR/UFMG, Brazil	Dam Disasters in Brazil and the Regional Logic Behind Damage Valuation: The Case of Mariana (Minas Gerais-Brazil)	

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<b>15.15-16.45 Parallel Sessions [2]</b>		
<b>Session Title:</b>	<b>Sustainability, Climate Change and Environment II</b>	Room 10
<b>Chair:</b>	Xue Zhang - Institute of Geographic Sciences & Natural Resources Research, China	
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<b>Soufiane Boulassel</b> - Eötvös Loránd University, Hungary	Partnerships between Tourism Stakeholders for the Implementation of Sustainability: The Case of Algeria	
<b>Gabriel Weber</b> - ESSCA, France Laura Juliana Ardila Fontecha - Universidad Industrial de Santander, Spain Ignazio Cabras - Newcastle Business School, UK	Social Movements for Sustainable Cities and Communities – the Cases of Both Movements German Anti-Coal and French Anti-Nuclear	
<b>Bernardas Vazonis</b> - Aleksandras Stulginskis University, Lithuania	The Importance of Environmental Public Goods for Local Economic Development: The Case of Kaunas Region	
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<b>Session Title:</b>	<b>SS12 II. Emerging Industries: Institutions, Legitimacy and System Building II</b>	Room 11
<b>Chair:</b>		
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<b>Elvira Uyarra</b> - Manchester Business School, UK Kieron Flanagan - University of Manchester, UK Edurne Magro - Orkestra, University of Deusto, Spain James Wilson - Orkestra, University of Deusto, Spain	Institutional Work in Industrial Diversification and Cluster Emergence – the Case of UAV Technology in Galicia	
<b>Johan Mjörner</b> - Lund University, Sweden	Contextualising System Agency in New Path Development	
<b>Paul Vallance</b> - University of Sheffield, UK Cristian Gherhes - University of Sheffield, UK Chay Brooks - University of Sheffield, UK Tim Vorley - University of Sheffield, UK	The Role of Trailblazers, Anchors, and the State in Building and Legitimising AI Ecosystems: Insights from Montreal	

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<b>15.15-16.45 Parallel Sessions [2]</b>		
<b>Session Title:</b>	<b>SS26 II. Practices and the Regional Economy II</b>	Room 12
<b>Chair:</b>	Andrew Jones - City University London, UK	
<b>James Murphy</b> - Clark University, USA		
	GPN Dis/articulations in Zanzibar: Practices and Conjunctures of Exclusionary Development in the Tourism Industry	
<b>Chun Yang</b> - Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong, China		
	Path Transplantation in Cross-border Production of Electronics Transnational Corporations in Vietnam: Divergent Practices of Developing Industrial Parks	
<b>Wenying Fu</b> - Northumbria University, UK		
	Practices and Agency of Informal E-waste Sector: The Case of Guiyu, China	
<b>Jennifer Clark</b> - Georgia Institute of Technology, USA		
	Discussant	
<b>Session Title:</b>	<b>Entrepreneurship: Start-up, Spill-over and Spin-off</b>	Room 13
<b>Chair:</b>	Stepan Zemtsov - Russian Academy for National Economy and Public Administration, Russia	
<b>Andrew Henley</b> - Cardiff University, UK		
	Spatial Patterns of Entrepreneurship in the UK: Opportunity, Resources and Spill-over Effects	
<b>Nabhassorn Baines</b> - De Montfort University, UK		
Federica Rossi - Birkbeck, University of London, UK		
Helen Lawton Smith - Birkbeck, University of London, UK		
	An Examination of Regional Environment Effects Towards Locational Choice and Start-ups Migration: The Case of UK University Spin-Offs	
<b>Stefania Cosci</b> - University LUMSA, Italy		
Valentina Meliciani - University Luiss Guido Carli, Italy		
Marco Pini - Unioncamere, Italy		
	Persistence in Entrepreneurship: An Analysis of the Determinants of the Start-up Rate Across Italian Provinces	
<b>Raquel Ortega Argiles</b> – Birmingham Business School, UK		
Silvia Rocchetta – University College Dublin, Ireland		
Dieter Kogler – University College Dublin, Ireland		
	The Non-linear Effect of Relatedness on Regional Performance	



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<b>Session Title:</b>	<b>Innovation in the Digital Era</b>	<b>Room 14</b>
<b>Chair:</b>		
<b>Olivier Crevoisier</b> - (GRET), Universite De Neuchatel, Switzerland	Value Creation and Space in the Sex Industry: From the Concrete to the Digital Form	
Salomé Donzallaz - Univeristy of Neuchatel, Switzerland		
<b>Tobias Mettenberger</b> - Thünen Institute of Rural Studies, Germany	When Concepts Travel to the Countryside - Tracing the Diffusion and Adaption of Basic Service Innovations	
<b>Barbara Martini</b> - University of Rome Tor Vergata, Italy	How Does Internet Access Affect Regional Convergence?	
Massimo, Giannini - Tor Vergata University, Italy		
<b>Luciana Lazzeretti</b> – University of Florence, Italy	The Role of Culture in the Era of ‘Digital Mutation’	
<b>Session Title:</b>	<b>SS5. Cross-border Regions: Border Effect Impact of Persisting Legal Obstacles</b>	<b>Room 16</b>
<b>Chair:</b>	Ricardo Ferreira - European Commission, DG Regio - Regional and Urban Policy, Belgium	
<b>Franziska Sielker</b> - University of Cambridge, UK	The European Commission’s Proposal for a Cross-border Mechanism (ECBM): Decision-making process and Potential Areas of Application	
<b>Juan-Manuel Trillo-Santamaría</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain	How to Push Regional Boundaries? Analysing Barrier Effects on External and Internal Galician Borders	
Valerià Paül - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain		
Roberto Vila Lage - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain		
<b>Andrius Kučas</b> - European Commission, Joint Research Centre, Italy	How to Push Regional Boundaries? Analysing Barrier Effects on External and Internal Galician Borders	
Filipe Batista e Silva - European Commission, Joint Research Centre, Italy		
Carlo Lavalle - European Commission, Joint Research Centre, Italy		

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15.15-16.45	<b>Parallel Sessions [2]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Regional Economies II</b>	Room 17
Chair:	Irina Turgel - Graduate School of Economics and Management, Ural Federal University, Russia	
<p><b>Michaela Fuchs</b> - Institute for Employment Research, Germany            Matthias Brachert - Halle Institute for Economic Research, Germany</p> <p><b>Paul Kalfadellis</b> - Monash University, Australia</p> <p><b>Franziska Sohns</b> - University of Greenwich, UK            Dariusz Wójcik - University of Oxford, UK</p> <p><b>Vasja Rant</b> - University of Ljubljana, Slovenia            Matej Marinč - University of Ljubljana, Slovenia</p>		
		The Legacy of Socialism: Which Endowments Fostered the Transition of the East German Regions after 1989?
		Firms Performance, Place Utility and Repeat Investment in Australia
		The Impact of Brexit on (Re)Location Decisions - The Case of the FinTech Industry
		EU Budget and the Western Balkans: The Effects of Enlargement
Session Title:	<b>Regional Methodology and Data II</b>	Room 18
Chair:	Coro Chasco - Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Spain	
<p><b>Arnoud Legendijk</b> - Radboud University Nijmegen, The Netherlands            Huub Ploegmakers - Radboud University, The Netherlands            Fariya Sharmeen - Radboud University, The Netherlands            Laura van Kruijl - Radboud University, The Netherlands</p> <p><b>Ekaterina Streltsova</b> - National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Russia            Gleb Kuzmin - National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Russia</p> <p><b>Per Kåre Sky</b> - Norwegian University of Life Sciences, Norway            Helén Elisabeth Elvestad - Norwegian University of Life Sciences, Norway</p>		
		The Proliferation of Dutch Cycle Highways: Not Only Diffusion in Space but also Increasing Variation in Conditions, Approaches and Meanings
		The Technological Capabilities of Cities: A Patent-based Approach and the Implications for Evidence-based Policy-making
		Land Consolidation, Effects and Rural Development

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Session Title:	<b>Urban Change, Energy and Sustainability</b>	Seminar I
Chair:		
<b>Mengyao Han</b> - Institute of Geographic Sciences and Natural Resources Research, CAS, China	Carbon Emission Stocks and Fluxes of China's Overseas Energy Investments	
<b>Gianni Guastella</b> - FEEM, Italy Stefano Pareglio - FEEM, Università Cattolica, Italy	Urbanisation Dynamics and Urban Energy Systems	
<b>Stawomir Kurek</b> - Pedagogical University of Cracow, Poland Grzegorz Formicki - Pedagogical University of Cracow, Poland	Regional Aspects of the Effects of Air Pollution on Mortality in Urban Areas in Poland	
<b>Beatriz Valcárcel Aguiar</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain Rosa Regueiro Ferreira - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain Pilar Murias Fernández - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain	Assessing Energy Vulnerability in Spanish Regions: A Multicriteria Approach	
Session Title:	<b>SS21. Twenty Years of EU Cohesion Policy in Southern Europe: Issues and Opportunities from a Euro-Mediterranean Perspective</b>	Geography Seminar 213
Chair:	Adriano Giannola - SVIMEZ, Italy	
<b>George Petrakos</b> - University of Thessaly, Greece Dimitris Kallioras - University of Thessaly, Greece Vassilis Monastiriotis - The London School of Economics and Political Science, UK Maria Tsiapa - University of Thessaly, Greece	Administrative Efficiency as a Moderator for the Effectiveness of Structural Funds: Evidence from Greece	
<b>Adriano Giannola</b> - SVIMEZ, Italy	Problems and Opportunities for a Reformed EU Cohesion Policy: The Euro-Mediterranean Perspective	
<b>Guido Pellegrini</b> - SVIMEZ, Italy Augusto Cerqua - Sapienza Università di Roma, Italy Marusca De Castris - Università Roma Tre, Italy	Achievements and Failures of the European Cohesion Policy: A Long-Term Assessment	

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Session Title:	<b>Theoretical Planning vs Deregulated Growth in Spain</b>	Ancient History Seminar
Chair:	Arnt Fløysand – Western Norway University of Applied Sciences, Norway	012
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<b>Angeles Piñeiro-Antelo</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain	More Infrastructure and Fewer Boats. European Fisheries Policy and the Artificialisation of the Coast in Galicia Region (Spain)	
<b>María José Piñeira-Mantiñán</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain		
<b>Lestegás Iago</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain	Widening the Gap: Uneven Spatial Development in Galicia During Spain's Property Boom	
<b>Ana Viñuela</b> - REGIOlab, Spain	Spanish Land-Take Expansion in Spain. Have Municipalities Gone Too Far?	
<b>Díaz, Alberto</b> - University of Leon, Spain		
<b>Carmen Mínguez García</b> - Universidad Complutense de Madrid	The Flexible Tourist Region of Central Spain	
<b>Iván Velasco</b> - Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain		
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Session Title:	<b>SS1 I. Energy Transitions and their Socio-spatial Dynamics</b>	Art Seminar 235
Chair:	Sebastian Rohe - Carl von Ossietzky University of Oldenburg, Germany	
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<b>Jannika Mattes</b> - Carl von Ossietzky University of Oldenburg, Germany	Regional Energy Fields: A Framework for Understanding Energy Transition as a Social Process	
<b>Andreas Röhring</b> - Leibniz-Institut fuer Raumbezogene Sozialforschung (IRS), Germany	Socio-spatial Relations of Energy Transition: Territorialization, Place-making, Rescaling and Networking as Actor Strategies in Renewable Energy Regions in Germany	
<b>Bruce Wilson</b> – European Union Centre at RMIT, Australia	Smart Specialisation and Regional Energy Transitions: Insights from Gippsland, Australia	
<b>Lars Coenen</b> – MSSI, University of Melbourne, Australia		
<b>Leo Goedegebuure</b> - LH Martin Institute, University of Melbourne, Australia		
<b>Emma Shortis</b> - European Union Centre at RMIT, Australia		

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Session Title: Chair:	<b>Borderlands: Identity, Environment, Security and Economy</b> Victor Konrad - Carleton University, Canada	Medieval Seminar 232
<b>James Scott</b> - University of Eastern Finland, Finland		Territorial Cohesion and the Role of Identity Politics in Contested Borderlands
<b>Elena Koritchenko</b> - University of Geneva, Switzerland		Cross-border Regionalization in Environmental Governance and Pluri-regional Complexes Formation at the Interface of Russia and Europe
<b>Miguel Hidalgo Martinez</b> - Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University, China		The Importance of Borders in the Chinese Economy: Wansheng District and Qijiang County, Territorial Reforms in Chongqing City
<b>Weidong Liu</b> - Institute of Geographic Sciences & Natural Resources Research, China Zhigao Liu University of Chinese Academy of Sciences, China Michael Dunford - Institute of Geographic Sciences and Natural Resources Research, China		Coupling National Strategy under the Belt and Road Initiative: A case study of the China-Belarus Great Stone Industrial Park
Session Title: Chair:	<b>New Demographic Realities</b>	Modern Seminar 230
<b>Davide Luca</b> - Cambridge University, UK Paola Proietti - GSSI, Italy		Hosting to Skim. Organized Crime and the Reception of Asylum Seekers in Italy
<b>Yu Chen</b> - Shenzhen University, China		Study on Excess Commuting and Job-housing Spatial Mismatch based on Multi-source Travel Data
<b>Alan Townsend</b> - University of Durham, UK		Striking Common Employment Trends Across the EU, 2013-8
<b>Anne Green</b> - University of Birmingham, UK Bramley, George - University of Birmingham, UK		Securing the Supply of Staff for the Health and Social Care System in Rural Areas: Insights into Challenges and Opportunities from England
16.45-17.15	Refreshment Break - Foyer	
17.15-18.00	Plenary [3] Territory, Politics, Governance Lecture Chair: Klaus Dodds, Royal Holloway University of London, UK  Speaker: <b>John Agnew</b> – UCLA, USA <i>Taking Back Control? The Myth of Territorial Sovereignty and the Brexit Fiasco</i>	Room: Paraninfo

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18.15-20.30	Welcome Reception (Pre-registration only)	City of Culture of Galicia

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08.30-17.00	Conference Registration	
08.55-09.00	Announcement of Third Joint EU Cohesion Policy Conference	Room: Paraninfo
09.00-10.30	Plenary [4] Policy Plenary Panel – Organised in partnership with the Directorate-General for Regional Policy of the European Commission, Belgium Chair: Lewis Dijkstra – EU Commission, Belgium  Panellists: <b>Ignacio Sanchez Amor</b> , Secretary of State for Territorial Cooperation, Spain <b>Nathalie Verschelde</b> , Deputy Head of Unit, European Commission, DG Regional and Urban Policy, Unit D2 – Interreg, Cross-Border Cooperation, Internal Borders, Brussels, Belgium <b>Jesús Gamallo</b> , General Director for External Relations and EU, Regional Government of Galicia, Spain <b>Franziska Sielker</b> , Senior Research Associate, Department of Land Economy, University of Cambridge, UK and Interim Professor, International Planning Studies, Technical University of Dortmund, Germany <b>Laurent Frideres</b> , Head of Unit for Evidence and Outreach, ESPON EGTC, Luxembourg	Room: Paraninfo
09.00-10.30	<b>Spatial Economic Analysis Editors Meeting (Invitation only)</b>	Room 16
10.30-11.00	Refreshment Break - Foyer	

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11.00-12.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [3]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS33 II. Planning in Soft Spaces and New Regions</b>	Room 2
Chair:	Eva Purkarthofer - Aalto University, Finland and Daniel Galland, Norwegian University of Life Sciences (NMBU), Norway	
<b>Valeria Lingua</b> - University of Florence, Italy	Travelling Images: Metropolitan Renaissance	
<b>Ian Smith</b> - University of the West of England, UK	Planning for Territorial Cohesion: Finding the	
Stephen Hall - University of the West of England, UK	Mechanisms to Deliver Territorial Cohesion through	
Jesper Rohr Hansen - Danish Building Research Institute, Aalborg University, Denmark	Regional Planning	
Mia Arp Fallov - Aalborg University, Denmark		
<b>Kaisa Granqvist</b> - Aalto University, Finland	Performativity of City-regional Imaginary in between	
Alois Humer - Aalto University, Finland	Changing Organizational Practices and Stable	
Raine Mäntysalo - Aalto University, Finland	Institutional Rules in Strategic Spatial Planning	
Session Title:	<b>The Definition of Strategic Sectors for Governments</b>	Room 3
Chair:		
<b>Davide Luca</b> - Cambridge University, UK	Building Consensus: Shifting Strategies in the Territorial	
Andrés Rodríguez-Pose - London School of Economics, UK	Targeting of Turkey's Public Transport Investment	
<b>Jiri Blazek</b> - Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic	The Economic Performance of GPN Suppliers During	
Zuzana Petrickova - Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic	the Period of Growth and Crisis According to their Tier:	
	The Case of Czech Aircraft Industry	
<b>Ángel Miramontes Carballada</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain	The Aeronautical-aerospace Sectors as Engines of	
Luís Carvalho - University of Porto, Portugal	Territorial Development: What can Regional Governments do?	

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11.00-12.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [3]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Planning for Economic Development</b>	Room 4
Chair:		
<b>Ivan Rajic</b> - University of Sheffield, UK Jorge Tiago Martins - University of Sheffield, UK	The Future of Advanced Manufacturing in the Sheffield City Region: An Analysis of Economic Strategy and Policy Debates	
<b>João Pedro Costa</b> - CIAUD, University of Lisbon, Portugal Cristina Cavaco - CIAUD, University of Lisbon, Portugal João Mourato - University of Lisbon, Portugal João Ferrão - University of Lisbon, Portugal	Soft Planning Processes and the Implementation of the Cohesion Policy: The Lisbon Metropolitan Area	
<b>Keisuke Takano</b> - Graduate School of Systems and Information Engineering, University of Tsukuba, Japan Hiroyuki Okamuro - Graduate School of Economics, Hitotsubashi University, Japan	Higher Productivity or New Customers? A Comparative Evaluation of Innovation Policies in Neighboring Prefectures in Japan	
<b>György Koczisky</b> - University of Miskolc, Hungary Mariann Veresné Somosi - University of Miskolc, Hungary Dóra Szendi - University of Miskolc, Hungary	Modelling the Development Paths of NUTS-3 Level Regions	
Session Title:	<b>Breaking Barriers for Regional Diversification</b>	Room 5
Chair:	Ekaterina Streltsova - National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Russia	
<b>Nina Kyllingstad</b> - University of Agder, Norway	Barriers for New Regional Industrial Path Development	
<b>Korneliusz Pylak</b> - Lublin University of Technology, Poland Dieter Kogler - University College Dublin, Ireland	Successful Diversifications: Implications for Refining Smart Specialisation: Strategies in Less Developed Regions	
<b>Francesco Quatraro</b> - University of Torino, Italy Alessandra Scandura - University of Torino, Italy	Regional Patterns of Unrelated Diversification: The Role of Academic Inventors	
<b>Ken Mardaneh</b> – Federation University Australia and Melbourne Institute of Technology, Australia	Regional Economic Resilience, Adaptive Cycle Patterns and Policy Implications: Australia 1986 to 2011	



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Session Title:	<b>Cultural Tourism and Regional Development</b>	Room 6
Chair:	Sergio Montero - Universidad de los Andes, Colombia	
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<b>Hilal Erkuş Öztürk</b> - Akdeniz University, Turkey	The Role of Fictional Expectations in the Resilience of a Crisis-Ridden Tourism Region: Evidence from Antalya	
PieterTerhorst - University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands		
<b>Michelle Thompson-Fawcett</b> - University of Otago, New Zealand & University of Johannesburg, South Africa	Implications of Rural Change and the Use of Rural Tourism to Drive Economic Development:	
Callum Riddle - University of Otago, Aotearoa New Zealand		
<b>Fiona Wotton</b> - Creative Kernow, United Kingdom	Thinking Bigger and Wider - Culture, Tourism and Cornwall's Regional Economy	
<b>Nikolay Zhunda</b> - ICSEER Leontief Centre, Russia	Engaging Cultural and Heritage Endowments in Social and Economic Development of Historic Towns and Regions of Russia	
Alexander Semenov - St. Petersburg Foundation for Investment Projects, Russia		
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Session Title:	<b>SS15 I. The Actors in Financing Territorial Development</b>	Room 7
Chair:	Nicola Francesco Dotti - Vrije Universiteit Brussel (VUB), Belgium	
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<b>Gyorgyi Nyikos</b> - National University of Public Service, Belgium	New Mechanisms for Integrated Territorial Development in Hungary	
Zsuzsanna Kondor - National University of Public Service, Hungary		
<b>Ida Musialkowska</b> - Poznan University of Economics and Business, Poland	Investments Towards Sustainable Urban Development – Poland's Experiences with the JESSICA Initiative	
Piotr Idczak - Poznań University of Economics and Business, Poland		
<b>Gloazzo, Claudia</b> – EPRC, University of Strathclyde, UK	New Forms of Delegated Governance in Cohesion Policy: What Implications for the Distribution of Responsibilities and Power Relations in Policy Implementation?	

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11.00-12.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [3]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>New Models of Governance</b>	Room 8
Chair:	Eugénia de Matos Pedro - Universidade da Beira Interior, Portugal	
<b>John Bachtler</b> – EPRC, University of Strathclyde, UK Carlos Mendez, University of Strathclyde, UK	The Quality of Government and the Administrative Performance of Cohesion Policy across RU Regions	
<b>Anders Kamp Høst</b> - Aalborg Universitet, Denmark Jørgen Goul Andersen - Aalborg Universitet, Denmark	The Local Democracy Effect of Jurisdiction Size or Centralized Administration? A Decentralized Administration Mitigate the Detrimental Effect of Population Size on Local Democracy Quasi-experimental Evidence from a Large-Scale Structural Reform in Denmark	
<b>Joeri De Blauwer</b> - Vlaanderen, Belgium Günter De Schepper - Vlaanderen, Belgium	Flanders and the Coordination of International Socioeconomic Policies	
<b>Marijana Sumpor</b> - Euro ekspertiza j.d.o.o., Croatia Irena Dokic - The Institute of Economics, Croatia	Challenges in Monitoring Regional Development Strategy Implementation	
Session Title:	<b>Governance and Regional Economies</b>	
Chair:	Room 9	
<b>Danny MacKinnon</b> - CURDS, Newcastle University, UK	The Northern Powerhouse as a 'State Spatial Strategy'	
<b>Evgeniy Kutsenko</b> - Higher School of Economics, Russia Valeria Vlasova - Higher School of Economics, Russia	Cluster Subsidizing in Russia: The Role of Reputation	
<b>Alice Cunha</b> - Faculdade de Ciências Sociais e Humanas - NOVA FCSH, Portugal	Borderless Economic Development: European Union's Pre-accession Aid to Portugal	
<b>Monika Banaszewska</b> - Poznań University of Economics and Business, Poland	The Political Economy of Preferential Tax Treatment. An Empirical Analysis of Polish Municipalities	

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Session Title:	<b>Planning at the Regional Scale</b>	Room 10
Chair:		
<b>Masakazu Aoki</b> - Bunkyo University, Japan	Mobilizing Planning Culture to Conceptualize Cross-border Spatial Planning	
<b>Beate Caesar</b> - TU Kaiserslautern, Germany Estelle Evrard - Université du Luxembourg, Luxembourg	Mobilizing Planning Culture to Conceptualize Cross-border Spatial Planning	
Session Title:	<b>Cross-border Cooperation: Governance and Networks</b>	Room 11
Chair:		
<b>Zoltan Pamer</b> - Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Centre for Economic and Regional Studies	Tackling Investment-orientation in Cross-border Cooperation: Through Examples of Two Programmes in Central Europe	
<b>Sylwia Dołzbłasz</b> - University of Wrocław, Poland	Network Approach to Studying Borderlands: Transborder Co-operation Relations on the Example of Poland	
<b>Zsuzsanna Fejes</b> - National University of Public Service, Hungary	Challenges and Opportunities of Multi-level Governance in Cross-border Cooperation in Central and Eastern Europe	
Session Title:	<b>SS2 I. Digital Technology: Regions, Business and Policy I</b>	Room 12
Chair:	Dylan Henderson - Cardiff University, UK	
<b>Arne Isaksen</b> - University of Agder, Norway Jan Ole Rypestøl - Norce, Norway Maria Aslaksen - University of Agder, Norway Emelie Langemyr Eriksen - University of Agder, Norway	Digitalisation and Regional Industrial Development. A Conceptual Contribution	
<b>Sergio Scicchitano</b> - INAPP – National Institute for the Analysis of Public Policies, Italy Luigi Reggi - Rockefeller College of Public Affairs and Policy, State University of New York at Albany, USA Laura Polverari - European Policies Research Centre, University of Strathclyde, UK	Better Policies through Ex Ante Conditionality? A Comparison of Digital Growth Investment Choices in Cohesion Policy Programmes 2007-13 and 2014-20	
<b>Dylan Henderson</b> - Cardiff University, United Kingdom	Path Renewal through Digital Transformation – An Opportunity for Old Industrial Regions?	

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11.00-12.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [3]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS18 I. Community Led-Local Development (CLLD): Experimental Governance and Task-specific Space for Policy Action I: Trends in CLLD Implementation</b>	Room 13
Chair:	Loris Servillo - UCL - Bartlett school of Planning, UK	
<b>Loris Servillo</b> - UCL - Bartlett school of Planning, UK Loris Servillo - Politecnico di Torino, Italy	Tailored Polities and Bottom-up Dynamics in the shadow of the State's Hierarchy: The CLLD Implementation and a Future Research Agenda	
<b>Stefan Kah</b> – EPRC, University of Strathclyde, UK	Implementing ERDF through CLLD: Experiences so far	
<b>Dávid Fekete</b> - Széchenyi István University, Hungary	The Role of CLLD-projects in the Governance of Hungarian Big Cities	
Session Title:	<b>Prosperity, Inequalities and Regional Disparities</b>	Room 14
Chair:		
<b>Chloe Ashton Billing</b> - University of Birmingham, UK Anne Green - City-REDI, UK Simon Collinson - City-REDI, UK Magda Cepeda Zorrilla - City-REDI, UK	Understanding Productivity and Prosperity: Regional Skills Mismatches and Inclusive Growth for the West Midlands	
<b>Humberto Martins</b> - Universidade Federal de Uberlândia, Brazil	Regional Inequalities, Economic Growth and Infrastructure: The Recent Debate on Convergence Analysis in Brazil	
<b>Bernardo Campolina</b> - CEDEPLAR/UFMG, Brazil Anderson Cavalcante - CEDEPLAR/UFMG, Brazil Altivo Cunha - CEDEPLAR/UFMG, Brazil Anne Resende - CEDEPLAR/UFMG, Brazil	Impact Assessment of the Food Acquisition Program - Incentive Modality for Milk Production in the North Region of Minas Gerais (Brazil)	
<b>Frederick Guy</b> - Birkbeck University of London, UK Maryann Feldman - University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA Simona Iammarino - London School of Economics, UK	Global Monopoly, Finance, and Regional Disparities (or, the Geography of Clinton's Tone-deafness)	

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11.00-12.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [3]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Regional Studies Editors Meeting (Invitation only)</b>	Room 16
Session Title:	<b>Regional Economies III</b>	Room 17
Chair:		
<b>Yoshifumi Ikejima</b> - Yokohama National University, Japan	Measuring Interregional Economic Network based on the Inter-firm Trading Data in Japan	
Hitoshi Miwa - Kyushu International University, Japan		
Kenji Ogai - Hokkai-Gakuen University, Japan		
<b>William Rossiter</b> - Nottingham Trent University, UK	Regional Specialisation within Global Value Chains: A Comparative Study of Cricket Bat Manufacturing in India and the UK	
David Smith - Nottingham Trent University, UK		
Rupert Matthews - Nottingham Trent University, UK		
<b>Haruhisa Fujimoto</b> - Shimane University, Japan	Analyzing the Function of Local Trading Companies to Connect Resources for Driving Regional Economy in Japan	
Session Title:	<b>Regional Methodology and Data III</b>	Room 18
Chair:		
<b>David Hearne</b> - Birmingham City University, UK	Regional Disparities	
Alex De Ruyter - Birmingham City University, UK		
<b>Slavica Zec</b> – JRC, European Commission, Italy	Regional Specialisation within Global Value Chains: A Comparative Study of Cricket Bat Manufacturing in India and the UK	
Peter Benczur - JRC, European Commission, Italy		
Elisabeth Joossens - JRC, European Commission, Italy		
Anna Rita Manca - JRC, European Commission, Italy		
Balint Menyert - JRC, European Commission, Italy		
<b>Igone Porto Gomez</b> - Deusto University, Spain	The Thermodynamics of RIS	
<b>Arash Sadeghi</b> - Aston University, UK	Socially Sustainable Neighbourhoods: Does Urban Form Make a Difference?	
Taimaz Larimian - University of Otago, UK		

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11.00-12.30	Parallel Sessions [3]	
Session Title:	<b>Innovation and Knowledge to Fight Regional Inequalities</b>	Seminar I
Chair:		
<b>Tatiana Corejova</b> - University of Zilina, Slovakia <b>Maria Rostasova</b> - University of Zilina, Slovakia <b>Andrea Corejova</b> - University of Zilina, Slovakia	University's Spin-offs and Regional Innovation Ecosystem. Case Study	
<b>Paul Elhorst</b> - University of Groningen, The Netherlands <b>Dries Faema</b> - WHU Otto Beisheim School of Management, Germany	Competing for Innovation Funding: In Search of Scoring Spillovers within Innovation Contests	
<b>Donald Planey</b> - University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, USA	Producing Regional Knowledge: The Rise, Fall, and Return of Regional Governance in Chicagoland, 1957-2018	
<b>Sergio Botelho Junior</b> - Waterford Institute of Technology, Ireland <b>Valerie Brett</b> - Waterford Institute of Technology, Ireland <b>Bill O'Gorman</b> - Waterford Institute of Technology, Ireland	The Snowball Effect of Knowledge Spillover in Regions	
Session Title:	<b>SS25 I: Earnings, Productivity and Corporate Spatial Responsibility</b>	Geography Seminar 213
Chair:	Andrew Jones - City University London, UK	
<b>Maurizio Baussola</b> - Universita Cattolica Del Sacro Cuore, Italy <b>Eleonora Bartoloni</b> - ISTAT, National Institute of Statistics and University of Parma, Italy	Productivity and Earnings at Firms' Local Unit Level: The Case of Lombardy Urban and Non-urban Agglomerations	
<b>Rodrigo Basco</b> - American University of Sharjah, United Arab Emirates <b>Thomas Bassetti</b> - University of Padua, Italy <b>Fernando Muñoz-Bullon</b> - Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain <b>Maria J. Sanchez-Bueno</b> - Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain	The Effect of the Euro on Exporters' Productivity. Does Family Management Matter?	
<b>Lech Suwala</b> - Technical University Berlin, Germany <b>Hans-Hermann Albers</b> - Technical University Berlin, Germany	Family Firms, Corporate Spatial Responsibilities and Place Leadership in German Small Towns	

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11.00-12.30	Parallel Sessions [3]	
Session Title:	<b>SS32. Managing Shrinking Cities: A Global Perspective with Recent Evidence</b>	Ancient History Seminar 012
Chair:		
<b>Sylvia Ying He</b> - The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, China Ka Kit Sun - The Chinese University of Hong Kong, China Yuanyuan Guo - The Chinese University of Hong Kong, China	Silver Lining in China's Resource-based Cities? An Examination of the Trade-off between Growth and Liveability	
<b>Bartłomiej Kołsut</b> - Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań Tadeusz Strykiewicz - Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań, Poland	Revitalisation Policy in Poland – Is that a Sufficient Response to Urban Shrinkage?	
<b>Mihail Eva</b> - Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iasi, Romania Alexandru Banica - Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iasi, Romania Alexandra Cehan - Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iasi, Romania	Factors behind Urban Shrinkage in Post-socialist Countries: A State-of-the-art and a Case Study on Romanian Cities (1992-2018)	
<b>Ju Eun Kim</b> - University College London, UK	Urban Regeneration: A Duct-tape Remedy or Planning for Smart Shrinkage?	
Session Title:	<b>SS1 II. Energy Transitions: Knowledge, Innovation and the Region</b>	Art Seminar 235
Chair:	Jannika Mattes - Carl von Ossietzky University of Oldenburg, Germany	
<b>Sebastian Rohe</b> - Carl von Ossietzky University of Oldenburg, Germany	The Regional Facet of a Global Innovation System: Exploring the Spatiality of System Resources in Onshore Wind Energy	
<b>Laura Norris</b> - Cardiff University, UK	The Region as an Actor in the Emerging Marine Energy Sector in Wales	
<b>Maria Tsouri</b> - TIK Centre for Technology Information and Culture, University of Oslo, Norway Ron Boschma - Utrecht University, The Netherlands Pierre Balland - Utrecht University, The Netherlands	Knowledge Networks in Emerging Markets: The Case of Offshore Wind Industry	

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11.00-12.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [3]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS7. Local Value Creation Via Circular Economy</b>	Medieval Seminar 232
Chair:	Karel Van den Berghe - Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands	
<b>Karel Van den Berghe</b> - Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands	From Circular Area Development Towards Functioning Circular Areas: Approaching the Multi-Scalar Challenges of a (Future) Circular Economy	
<b>Aksel Ersoy</b> - Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands		
<b>Frank Van Oort</b> - Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands	The Heterogeneous Skill-Base of Current and Future Circular Economy Employment	
<b>Martijn Burger</b> - Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands		
<b>Spiridon Stavropoulos</b> - Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands		
<b>Cecilia Mezei</b> - MTA KRTK, Hungary	Can be Bridged the Governance Gap by Living Lab's Eco-innovative Solutions towards Circular Economy?	
<b>Viktor Varjú</b> - MTA KRTK, Hungary	The Case Study of Pécs from Hungary	
Session Title:	<b>Cross-border Innovation and Economy</b>	Modern Seminar 230
Chair:	Adrian Duhalt - Rice University's Baker Institute for Public Policy, USA	
<b>Andrzej Jakubowski</b> - Maria Curie-Sklodowska University, Poland	European Integration and Cross-border Economic Convergence	
<b>Paul Hildreth</b> - University College London, UK	Uncovering Knowledge about the Interaction of Place, Institutions and Firms to Understand their Contribution in Shaping the Mersey Dee Cross-border Economy	
<b>Sabine Neuberger</b> - Wageningen University, The Netherlands & Rhine-Waal University of Applied Sciences, Germany	Business Interaction and Innovativeness in European Cross-border Regions	
<b>Helmut Saatkamp</b> - Wageningen University, The Netherlands		
<b>Alfons Oude Lansink</b> - Wageningen University, The Netherlands		
<b>Dietrich Darr</b> - Rhine-Waal University of Applied Sciences, Germany		
<b>Adrian Duhalt</b> - Rice University's Baker Institute for Public Policy, USA	Governance and Energy Trade in the Mexico – U.S. Border	



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Thursday 6th June Policy Day		
12.30-14.00	Lunch	
14.00-14.45	<b>Discuss and Debate Sessions</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Strengthening the Impact of Research on EU Local Development Policies</b>	Room 8
<b>Session Organiser(s)</b> <b>LDnet</b>		
<b>Speakers:</b> <b>Michel Laine</b> - AEIDL (practitioners' perspective) <b>Urszula Budzich-Tabor</b> - FARNET/LDnet (practitioners' perspective) <b>Nicola Francesco Dotti</b> - VUB (researchers' perspective) <b>Terry Stavropoulos</b> - DG Regio (policy makers' perspective)		
The discussion will kick off with an overview of challenges of connecting research with policy tools targeting local development, presented from the perspective of policy makers, practitioners and researchers. A possible practical outcome of the discussion could be proposals and recommendations for strengthening the linkages between local development policy and research, including the possibility of creating a "community of experts" around the themes of local development and smart villages.		
Session Title:	<b>Keynote Presentation</b>	Room 10
Chair:		
<b>Speaker:</b>	The Supply Chain Economy: A New Industry Categorization for Understanding Innovation and Jobs in Services	
<b>Mercedes Delgado</b> - MIT Innovation Initiative, USA & Copenhagen Business School, Denmark		
Session Title:	<b>'Re-regionalising Europe' - Towards a New Territorial Agenda 2020+</b>	Room 11
Moderator:	Gavin Daley – ESPON EGTC	
<b>Session Organiser(s)</b> <b>ESPO EGTC</b>		
<b>Oriol Biosca</b> - Mcrit, Spain	Scenario Building Models for Europe Developed in the ESPON Programme	
<b>Franziska Sielker</b> - University of Cambridge, UK <b>Benito Giordano</b> - University of Liverpool, UK	Addressing the Opportunities and Challenges of Territories with Geographic Specificities	
<b>Carsten Schürmann</b> - TCP International GmbH, Germany	Pushing Regions Beyond their Borders: Potentials for Cross-Border Public Services	

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14.00-14.45	Discuss and Debate Sessions	
Session Title: Chair:	<b>Encounters between Border Studies and Regional Studies</b> Juan-Manuel Trillo-Santamaría, University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain	Room 12
<p><b>Session Organiser(s)</b>  <b>Association of Borderland Studies (ABS)</b></p> <p><b>Speakers:</b>  <b>Anssi Paasi</b> - University of Oulu, Finland  <b>Anne-Laure Amilhat Szary</b> - Université Grenoble Alpes, France  <b>Francisco Lara-Valencia</b> - Arizona State University, USA / President of the ABS  <b>Victor Konrad</b> - Carleton University, Canada  <b>James Scott</b> - Karelian Institute, University of Eastern Finland  <b>Jussi Laine</b> - Karelian Institute, University of Eastern Finland, Joensuu / Vice President of the ABS  <b>Christophe Sohn</b> - Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research (LISER) Esch-sur-Alzette, Luxembourg / Co-editor in chief of the Journal for Borderland Studies</p>		
<p>Despite some obvious points of convergence between regional studies and border studies, the exchanges and synergies between the two fields remain somewhat limited. One aspect where significant progress could be made relates to the study of the effects of borders on the development of border regions. On the one hand, the analysis of border effects by regional studies and regional science is generally based on the understanding of borders as barriers to interactions, the main objective being the measurement of the extent and persistence of this negative effect and its impact on the development of neighboring areas. On the other hand, border studies and border theory have largely emphasized the multidimensional and ambivalent nature of borders, which can act as barriers or as resources and can therefore have both negative and positive effects for border regions and their inhabitants. Better consideration of the complexity and multifaceted nature of borders in the analysis of their effects could therefore lead to a renewed understanding of the role and significance of borders for the social and economic development of border regions and cities and, more largely, the impact of processes of regional integration. Moreover, in an era marked by security-led rebordering discourses and policies, highlighting the fact that relatively open borders do not necessarily represent threats but may also be opportunities and resources could prove salutary.</p>		

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14.45-16.15	<b>Parallel Sessions [4]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS33 III. Sector Planning and State Interventions in Regions</b>	Room 2
Chair:	Valeria Lingua - University of Florence, Italy & Alois Humer – Aalto University, Finland	
<b>Dave McGuinness</b> - Northumbria University, UK		
John Mawson - Durham University, UK		
Back to the Future: The Demise and Rebirth of Strategic Spatial Planning in England?		
<b>Diego Cidrás</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain		
The Missing Role of Regional Planning. How Spatial and Sectoral Plans in Galicia Disregard the Eucalyptus Controversy		
<b>Sara Macdonald</b> - Utrecht University, The Netherlands		
Jochen Monstadt - Utrecht University, The Netherlands		
Abigail Friendly - Utrecht University, The Netherlands		
Re-imagining the Governance and Planning of Greenbelts in Southern Ontario (Canada) and Frankfurt (Germany)		
Session Title:	<b>Innovation, Specialisation and New Governance Strategies for Regional Development</b>	Room 3
Chair:	Phil Tomlinson - University of Bath, UK	
<b>Phil Tomlinson</b> - University of Bath, UK		
Christos Pitelis - Brunel Business School and Queens' College, UK		
David Bailey - Aston Business School, UK		
Strategic Management and Regional Industrial Strategy: Cross Fertilisation to Mutual Advantage		
<b>Cristian Matti</b> - Copernicus Institute of Sustainable Development - Utrecht University & Climate KIC, Belgium		
Elvira Uyerra - Manchester Business School, UK		
Kieron Flanagan - Manchester Business School, UK		
Collaborative Multi-stakeholder Arena as a Mechanism Enabling Adaptive Implementation of Low Carbon Regional Strategies (in Peripheral Regions)		
<b>József Benedek</b> - Universitatea Babeş-Bolyai, Romania		
Stefana Varvari - Universitatea Babeş-Bolyai, Romania		
Cristian Marius Litan - Universitatea Babeş-Bolyai, Romania		
Urban Growth Pole Policy and Regional Development: Old Wine in New Bottles?		

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14.45-16.15	Parallel Sessions [4]	
Session Title:	<b>Innovation and Knowledge Economy I</b>	Room 4
Chair:	Martin Quinn - University of Leicester, United Kingdom	
<b>Martin Wrobel</b> - Institute for Employment Research, Germany		
The Effect of Inter- and Intra-regional Knowledge Flows on Innovations: A Micro-founded Analysis		
<b>Mikhail Martynovich</b> - Lund University, Sweden		
Related Variety and Regional Innovation in Sweden, 1991-2010		
<b>Josef Taalbi</b> - Lund University, Sweden		
<b>Iris Wanzenböck</b> - Copernicus Institute of Sustainable Development, Universiteit Utrecht, The Netherlands		
Towards a Spatial Perspective on Societal Challenge-Oriented Innovation Policy		
<b>Koen Frenken</b> - Utrecht University, The Netherlands		
Session Title:	<b>Regional Development and Innovation</b>	Room 5
Chair:		
<b>Maximilian Benner</b> - JRC, European Commission, Spain		
Promoting Competition in Regional Development: From Industrial Economics to Smart Specialization		
<b>Christian Reiner</b> - Lauder Business School, Austria		
<b>Javier López</b> - University Isabel I, Spain		
The New Geography of Knowledge Production in Aerospace and Defence Industry. International Knowledge Spillovers in the Aerospace Industry		
<b>Rosa Jorda-Borrell</b> - University of Sevilla, Spain		
<b>Mandy Lalrindiki</b> - Waterford Institute of Technology, Ireland		
Practical Approach to the Development of Inter-regional Innovation Collaboration		
<b>Valerie Brett</b> - Waterford Institute of Technology, Ireland		
<b>Bill O'Gorman</b> - Waterford Institute of Technology, Ireland		
<b>Felipe Starosta de Waldemar</b> - RITM - Univ. Paris-Sud, Université Paris-Saclay, France		
Novelty and Relatedness: A Recombinant Approach		
<b>Plunket, Anne</b> - RITM, Univ. Paris-Sud, Université Paris-Saclay, France		

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14.45—16.15	Parallel Sessions [4]	
Session Title:	<b>Authors Meet Readers: Financialising City Statecraft and Infrastructure (Elgar) – Andy Pike, Peter O’Brien, Tom Strickland, Graham Thrower and John Tomaney</b>	Room 6
Chair:		
<b>Participants</b> <b>Andy Pike</b> – CURDS, Newcastle University, UK <b>Sarah Ayres</b> – University of Bristol, UK <b>David Bailey</b> – Aston University, UK <b>Ben Derudder</b> – Ghent University, Belgium <b>Andy Jonas</b> – University of Hull, UK <b>Simona Iammarino</b> – London School of Economics, UK	<p>Infrastructure systems provide the services which we all rely upon to live our day-to-day lives. Through new conceptual work and fresh empirical analysis, this book investigates how financialisation engages with city governance and infrastructure provision, identifying its wider, long-term implications for urban and regional development, politics, and policy.</p> <p>Proposing a more people-oriented approach to answering the question of ‘what kind of urban infrastructure, and for whom?’, this book addresses the struggles of national and local states to fund, finance and govern urban infrastructure. It develops new insights to explain the socially and spatially uneven mixing of managerial, entrepreneurial and financialised city governance in austerity and limited decentralisation across England. As urban infrastructure fixes for the London global city-region risk undermining national ‘rebalancing’ efforts in the UK, city statecraft in the rest of the country is having uneasily to combine speculation, risk-taking and prospective venturing with co-ordination, planning and regulation.</p> <p>This panel session aims constructively and critically to explore and discuss the book and its conceptual, theoretical and empirical contributions and ramifications for politics and policy.</p>	

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14.45-16.15	Parallel Sessions [4]	
Session Title:	<b>SS15 II. Regional, National and Supranational Actors in Cohesion Policy</b>	Room 7
Chair:	Oto Potluka - CEPS, University of Basel, Switzerland	
<b>Silvia Grandi</b> - University of Bologna, Italy	Governance and Government in the European Territorial Cooperation and EU Regional Strategies	
<b>Serafin Pazos-Vidal</b> - Universidad Nacional de Educacion a Distancia (UNED), Belgium	The Demise of "Place"? Assessing the Cohesion Policy Package 2021-2027	
<b>Alberto Bramanti</b> - Bocconi University, Italy Paolo Rosso - OECD, Italy	The Impact of Territorial Wide Area Cooperation in the Adriatic-Ionian Region: The Multilevel Governance Challenge	
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<b>Louise Kempton</b> - Newcastle University, UK	RSA Policy Expo - HEIs in Regional Development	
<b>Bruce Cronin</b> - University of Greenwich, UK Alex Williams - Kingston University, UK Jon Dovey - University of the West of England, UK Peter Garside - Kingston University, UK	University – Creative Industry Knowledge Exchange in the UK	
<b>Marco Bellandi</b> - University of Florence, Italy Annalisa Caloffi - University of Florence, Italy Letizia Donati - Doctorate Program DELOS University of Trento, Italy	System-based Universities and the Contribution they bring to Local Development	
<b>Feketene Czako Katalin</b> - Széchenyi Istvan University, Hungary Baracskaï - Széchenyi István University, Hungary Dávid Fekete - Széchenyi István University, Hungary	Application of Grounded Theory Concept in the Comparative Analyses of Universities	

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Chair:	Igone Porto Gomez – Deusto University, Spain	
<b>Hiroyuki Okamuro</b> - Hitotsubashi University, Japan	What Shapes Local Innovation Policies? Empirical Evidence from Japanese Cities	
<b>Junichi Nishimura</b> - Gakushuin University, Japan		
<b>Renato Garcia</b> - Institute of Economics - University of Campinas, Brazil	Spatial and Non-Spatial Proximity Dimensions of University-Industry Collaboration	
<b>Emerson Gomes dos Santos</b> - Federal University of São Paulo, Brazil		
<b>Veneziano Araujo</b> - Federal University of São Paulo, Brazil		
<b>Suelene Mascarini</b> - Federal University of São Carlos, Brazil		
<b>Ariana Costa</b> - Polytechnic School of University of São Paulo, Brazil		
<b>Wojciech Dyba</b> - Adam Mickiewicz University, Poland	Knowledge Sourcing and Cluster Life Cycle: A Comparative Study of Furniture Clusters in Italy and Poland	
<b>Tadeusz Strykiewicz</b> - Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań, Poland		
<b>Jessica Breising</b> - Thünen Institute of Rural Studies, Germany	Key-actors in Rural Development Processes: Who they are and why they get Involved	
<b>Kim Pollermann</b> - Thünen Institute		
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<b>Aldona Wiktorska-Swiecka</b> - University of Wrocław, Poland	Co-creation of Public Services as a New Policy Tool in Urban Governance. ProPoLab as a Good Practice in Poland	
<b>Gergő Gajzágó</b> - Széchenyi István University, Hungary	Proximity and Governance in the City Development	
<b>Andy Jonas</b> - University of Hull, UK	City Regionalism with Chinese Characteristics: The Geopolitical Dynamics of the Yangtze River Delta Region	
<b>Yi Li</b> - Hohai University, China		

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Chair:		
<b>Giacomo Damioli</b> - JRC, European Commission, Belgium	The Role of Supranational Blocs in the Global	
Daniel Vertesy - JRC, European Commission, Belgium, Italy	Competition for R&D Investments	
Davide Castellani - University of Reading - Henley Business School, UK		
<b>Eugénia de Matos Pedro</b> - Universidade da Beira Interior, Portugal	Intellectual Capital of Higher Education Institutions and Regions' Performance	
Helena Alves - Universidade da Beira Interior, Portugal		
João Leitão - Universidade da Beira Interior, Portugal		
Session Title:	<b>SS2 II. Digital Technology: Regions, Business and Policy II</b>	Room 12
Chair:	Max Munday - Cardiff Business School, UK	
<b>James Karlsen</b> - University of Agder, Norway	Restructuring of the Newspaper Industry in an Era of	
Anna Maria Emelie Langemyr Eriksen - University of Agder, Norway	Digitalisation: A Case Study from a Peripheral Region in Norway	
Zelia Moss - University of Agder, Norway		
<b>Caroline Muehl</b> - RWTH - Aachen, Germany	Further Development and New Potentials of Urban Manufacturing – New Hybrid Forms of Digital Urban Industries	
<b>Giulio Pedrini</b> - Free University of Bolzano-Bozen, Italy	How to Foster the Digital Transformation of a Macro-region: Evidence from a Multi-stakeholder Analysis	
Dominik Matt - Free University of Bolzano-Bozen, Italy		
Guido Orzes - Free University of Bolzano-Bozen, Italy		
<b>Max Munday</b> - Cardiff Business School, UK	Exploring the Links between ICT Resources, ICT Use and Production Efficiency: Evidence from SMEs in Wales	
Scedrova, Anna - Copenhagen Business School, Denmark		



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Chair:	Loris Servillo - UCL - Bartlett school of Planning, UK	
<b>Kim Pollermann</b> - Thünen-Institute of Rural Studies, Germany	Participation in Rural Development – The View of Non-participants	
<b>Ernesto Marcheggiani</b> - Università Politecnica delle Marche, Italy & KULeuven, Belgium Andrea Galli - Università Politecnica delle Marche, Italy Monica Bocci - Università Politecnica delle Marche, Italy Pierpaolo Inserra - Distretto Integrato Economico e Sociale Marche Nord, Italy	Accessible Tourism and Community Led Local Development, Potentials for Refuelling the Urban-rural Linkage: A Case in Central Italy	
<b>Judith Hann</b> - CLLD - Cornwall Development Company, UK	The Implementation of Community Led Local Development in a Less Developed Region of the UK: A Cornwall Case Study	
Session Title:	<b>Inequalities and Poverty</b>	Room 14
Chair:	Slavica Zec - European Commission, Joint Research Centre, Italy	
<b>Kevin Lo</b> - Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong, China Mark Wang - University of Melbourne, Australia	How Voluntary is Poverty Alleviation Resettlement in China?	
<b>Patricia Melo</b> - ISEG-Lisbon School of Economics and Management, Portugal Maria Conceição Rego - Universidade de Évora, Portugal	Spatial Disparities in Population Growth Across Rural Areas in Portugal between 1991 and 2011	
<b>Barrai Hennebry</b> - Adam Mickiewicz University, Poland	The Determinants of Resilience in Rural Regions. An Examination of the Portuguese Case	
<b>Paolo Rizzi</b> - Università Cattolica Del Sacro Cuore, Italy Antonio Dallara - Università Cattolica di Piacenza, Italy Paola Graziano - Universidad de Cartagena de Cartagena, Colombia	The Hydra of Lerna and the Imbalance in Development of European Regions	

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Chair:	Raquel Ortega Argiles – Birmingham Business School, UK	
<b>Fabrizio Guzzo</b> - JRC, European Commission, Spain	Smart Specialisation from Theory to Practice	
Carlo Gianelle - JRC, European Commission, Spain		
Elisabetta Marinelli - JRC, European Commission, Spain		
<b>Laura Polverari</b> - EPRC, University of Strathclyde, UK	From Smart Growth to Smarter Europe: Learning from Smart Specialisation Implementation	
Viktoriya Dozhdeva - EPRC, University of Strathclyde, UK		
<b>Vassilis Monastiriotis</b> - London School of Economics, UK	The Spatial and Functional Distribution of Smart Specialisation Strategies in the EU: How Smart? How Specialised? How Strategic?	
<b>Nicola Francesco Dotti</b> - Vrije Universiteit Brussel (VUB), Belgium	More than Bureaucrats, Capital Regions are Smarter! An Analysis of R&D Activities and Public Sectors in European 'Capital' Regions	
André Spithoven - Universiteit Gent, Belgium		
Pieter Teirlinck - KU Leuven, Belgium		
Session Title:	<b>SS31. Spatial Disparities and Regional Policies</b>	Room 17
Chair:		
<b>Maria Jose Murgui</b> - Universitat de València, Spain	Exploring the Recent Upsurge of Regional Inequality in Europe	
Alicia Gómez-Tello -		
Maria Teresa Sanchis-Llopis -		
<b>Esteban Fernandez Vazquez</b> - REGIOLab, Spain	Simulating Populations at Small Scale by Entropy Econometrics	
Alberto Díaz - University of Leon, Spain		
Fernando Rubiera - University of Oviedo, Spain		
Ana Viñuela - University of Oviedo, Spain		
<b>Alfredo Cartone</b> - University G. d'Annunzio of Chieti-Pescara, Italy	A Non-compensatory Deprivation Index at Municipality Level for Italy	
Domenica Panzera - University G. d'Annunzio of Chieti-Pescara, Italy		
Paolo Postiglione - University G. d'Annunzio of Chieti-Pescara, Italy		
<b>Maria Plotnikova</b> - Aberystwyth University, UK	Poverty at a Local Level: Comparative Analysis between Spain and the United Kingdom	
Diana Gutierrez-Posada - University of Birmingham, UK		

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<b>Stig Jakobsen</b> - Western Norway University of Applied Sciences, Norway	Contextualizing Responsible Research and Innovation (RRI): Learning lessons from different sectors and regions	
Arnt Fløysand - Western Norway University of Applied Sciences, Norway		
<b>Geoff Gregson</b> - The Centre for Innovation Studies (THECIS), Calgary, Canada	Entrepreneurial Ecosystems and Innovation Systems: Implications for Policy and Regional Economic Development	
<b>Ridvan Cinar</b> - University of Aveiro, Portugal	Making Sense of Changing Innovation Landscape in Europe through Multiple Critical Junctures (1982-2018)	
<b>Sophia Gross-Fengels</b> - RWTH Aachen University, Germany	Adapting Mobility Innovations to Rural Needs: Matching Meso and Micro-level Demands	
Session Title:	<b>Financial Geographies and Investment Promotion</b>	Seminar I
Chair:		
<b>Ugo Fratesi</b> - Politecnico di Milano, Italy	Investigating the Spatial Patterns of Regional Fiscal Residuals in Italy	
di Caro, Paolo & Italian Ministry of Economy and Finance, Italy		
<b>Mara Giua</b> - Università degli Studi Roma Tre, Italy	FDI Inflows in European Regions: What Role for Investment Promotion Agencies?	
Riccardo Crescenzi - London School of Economics, UK		
Marco Di Cataldo - London School of Economics, UK		
<b>Tereza Hejnová</b> - Charles University, Czech Republic	Recent Evolutionary Dynamics of Small European Banking Centres: Variegated Pathways According to Ownership and European Macro-regions	
Jiří Blažek - Charles University, Czech Republic		
<b>Sandor Zsolt Kovacs</b> - Hungarian Academy of Sciences, University of Pécs, Hungary	New Approaches of Financial Services for the Inclusive and Sustainable Environment	

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Session Title:	<b>SS25 II. Spillovers, Business Environment and Open Innovation</b>	Geography Seminar 213
Chair:		
<b>Stefano Amato</b> - University of Pisa, Italy Mikaela Backman- Jonkoping International Business School, Sweden Lattanzi Nicola - IMT School for Advanced Studies Lucca, Italy	Family-managed Firms and Local Export Spillover: Evidence from Spanish Manufacturing Firms	
<b>Marek Feurich</b> - University of Economics Prague, Czech Republic	Territorial Aspects of the Czech Business Environment	
<b>Rodrigo Basco</b> - American University of Sharjah, United Arab Emirates Fernanda Ricotta - University of Calabria, Italy	Family-managed Firms and Open Innovation. A Firm- and Regional-familiness Approach	
Session Title:	<b>SS10 I. Predicting Spatial Impacts of Automated Vehicles I</b>	Ancient History Seminar 012
Chair:	Marcin Stępniaak - Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain	
<b>Cynthia Goytia</b> - Torcuato Di Tella University, Argentina Fred Blas - CIPUV at Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Argentina Tom Massin - CIPUV at Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Argentina	Automated Vehicles in Latin American Cities? Feasibility of Adoption, Impacts on Urban Structure and Transportation and Public Policies	
<b>Pablo Cabanelas</b> - University of Vigo, Spain Jesús F. Lampón - University of Vigo, Spain	Reflections on the Impact of the Advanced Mobility in the Euro-region Galicia-North of Portugal – Is it Possible to Advance in the Automotive Global Value Chain?	
Session Title:	<b>SS1 III. Energy Transitions: Policies and Strategies</b>	Art Seminar 235
Chair:	Camilla Chlebna - Carl von Ossietzky University Oldenburg, Germany	
<b>Camilla Chlebna</b> - Carl von Ossietzky University Oldenburg, Germany Jannika Mattes - Carl von Ossietzky University Oldenburg, Germany	When the Novelty Fades. Socio-technical, Spatial and Temporal Dynamics of Regional Energy Transitions	
<b>Linda Wollersheim</b> - Deakin University, Australia	Framing Just Transitions: Discourses as Facilitators and Barriers of Low-Carbon Energy Transitions in Germany and Australia	
<b>Faye Wade</b> - University of Edinburgh, UK Jan Webb - University of Edinburgh, UK	Who Delivers Successful Energy Transitions? Comparing Building Energy Retrofit Strategies in Scotland and Germany	

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Chair:	Marcin Dabrowski - Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands	
<b>Xavier Vence Deza</b> - University of Santiago De Compostela, Spain	Is it Possible to Match Global Value Chains and the Circular Economy?: Closing the Loop vs. Close Proximity	
<b>Marcin Dabrowski</b> - Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands Erwin Heurkens - Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands Gilda Berutti - Federico II University of Naples, Italy Maria Federica Palestino - Federico II University of Naples, Italy	Overcoming Governance Challenges to Enact Transitions for a Circular Economy in the Amsterdam and Naples Urban Regions	
Session Title:	<b>Rural Economies</b>	Modern Seminar 230
Chair:	Thomas Dax - Federal Institute for Less Favoured and Mountainous Areas (BABF), Austria	
<b>Paul Dalziel</b> - AERU, Lincoln University, New Zealand Caroline Saunders - AERU, Lincoln University, New Zealand Tiffany McIntyre - AERU, Lincoln University, New Zealand	Rural Regions and Global Agri-food Value Chains	
<b>Renata Grochowska</b> - Institute of Agricultural and Food Economics - National Research Institute, Poland	The Role of Regional Smart Specialisations in Creating a More Innovative Agri-food Sector in Rural Areas	
<b>Gintare Vaznoniene</b> - Aleksandras Stulginskis University, Lithuania	Local Community as an Actor in Shaping Regional Social Infrastructure Services	
<b>Ignazio Cabras</b> - Newcastle Business School, UK	The Relationship between Third Places and Economic Development: an Empirical Analysis from Cambridgeshire, UK	
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Chair:	Daniel Galland - Norwegian University of Life Sciences (NMBU), Norway	
<b>Giulio Pedrini</b> - Free University of Bolzano-Bozen, Italy	Urban and Regional Planning at the Cross-road among Spatial Transformation, Social Inclusion and Economic Development. New Approaches in the Brussels Region	
Valentina Bonello - University of Venice, Italy		
Claudia Faraone - Iuav-University of Venice, Italy		
Riccardo Leoncini - University of Bologna, Italy		
Luca Nicoletto - Iuav-University of Venice, Italy		
<b>Arnt Fløysand</b> - Western Norway University of Applied Sciences, Norway	Institutional Entrepreneurship as Violation of Regional Continuity	
Stig-Erik Jakobsen - Western Norway University of Applied Sciences, Norway		
Martin Gjelsvik - NORCE, Norway		
Helge Lea Tvedt - NORCE, Norway		
<b>Alois Humer</b> - Aalto University, Finland	The Gradual City-ness and Town-ness of Public Service Locations: Foundations for a Regional Planning Conception of 'Central Places and Flows' under Hybrid Governance Conditions	
Kaisa Granqvist - Aalto University, Finland		
Session Title:	<b>Social and Territorial Cohesion Policies: The Key for Urban and Regional Competitiveness</b>	Room 3
Chair:	Humberto Martins - Universidade Federal de Uberlândia, Brazil	
<b>Giacomo Zanolin</b> - Università degli Studi di Milano, Italy	Milan's Brand and the Development of Northern Italy	
<b>Leonid Limonov</b> - ICSEER Leontief Centre, Russia	Evaluation of the Impact of Public Investment Programs on Social and Economic Performance of Russian Regions	
Marina Nesena - ICSEER Leontief Centre, Russia		
<b>Daniel Barreiro</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain	Territorial Politics and Small Cities in Galicia: From Promised in Inefficiency	
Ramón López Rodríguez - Universidade de Santiago de Compostela, Spain		
<b>Elena Calegari</b> - Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Piacenza, Italy	The Impact of the EU Cohesion Policy across Regions: Evidence of Heterogeneous Effects	
Marzia Freo - University of Bologna, Italy		
Aura Reggiani - University of Bologna, Italy		

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Chair:	Wenying Fu - Northumbria University, UK	
<b>Lyu Lachang</b> - Capital Normal University, China Innovation-based Urbanization: Evidence from 270 Cities at the Prefecture Level or Above in China		
<b>Martin Quinn</b> - University of Leicester, UK Marta Gasparin - University of Leicester, UK Innovation and Creativity in Transformational Economies: An Ecosystems Approach		
<b>Sebastian Losacker</b> - University of Hanover, Germany Ingo Liefner - Leibniz University Hanover, Germany Innovation in China: Does Indigenous' Mean Closed?		
<b>Liliana Fonseca</b> - Universidade de Aveiro, Portugal Maria Salomaa - University of Lincoln, United Kingdom Entrepreneurial Universities and Regional Innovation: Matching Smart Specialisation Strategies to Regional Needs?		
Session Title:	<b>Innovation in SMEs</b>	Room 5
Chair:		
<b>Olubunmi Ipinaiye</b> - University of Limerick, Ireland Justin Doran - University College Cork, Ireland Helena Lenihan - University of Limerick, Ireland Analysing the Impact of Intellectual Property Rights on Firm Performance: The Case of SMEs		
<b>Junichi Nishimura</b> - Gakushuin University, Japan Hiroyuki Okamuro - Hitotsubashi University, Japan Effects of Multilevel Policy Mix of Public R&D Subsidies: Empirical Evidence from Japanese Local SMEs		
<b>Samuel Mwaura</b> - University of Strathclyde, UK Niall MacKenzie - University of Glasgow, UK Dylan Jones-Evans - University of South Wales, UK Embeddedness in Entrepreneurial Ecosystems and the Employment of University Knowledge by UK SMEs		
<b>Jessica Ferm</b> - University College London, UK Nicolas Palominos - Bartlett Centre for Advanced Spatial Analysis, UCL, UK Sam Griffiths - Bartlett School of Architecture, UK Francesca Froy - Bartlett School of Architecture, UK The Geography of Urban Manufacturing SMEs in London		

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Chair:	Silvia Grandi - University of Bologna, Italy	
<b>Olaniyan, Femi - University of Ibadan, Nigeria</b>		
		Structure and Process of Community Led-governance in Ibadan and Oke-Ogun Regions of Southwest, Nigeria
<b>Kala Seetharam Sridhar - Institute for Social and Economic Change, India</b>		
		Sustainable Financing for Urban India: Viable Options
Manasi Seshiah - Institute for Social and Economic Change, India		
Latha Nagesh - Institute for Social and Economic Change, India		
Smitha Chandrasekhar - Institute for Social and Economic Change, India		
<b>Eduardo Ibarra-Olivo - London School of Economics, UK</b>		
		Outward FDI from Mexican Regions: Local Determinants and Policy Incentives
Simona Iammarino - London School of Economics, UK		
Lucia Piscitello - Henley Business School, University of Reading, UK		
<b>Simona Iammarino - London School of Economics, UK</b>		
		The Technological Relationship between Mining and Electronics Multinational Enterprises (MNEs) in the Exploitation of Conflict Minerals in Africa
Andreas Diemer - London School of Economics, UK		
Axel Gros - London School of Economics, UK		
Session Title:	<b>SS15 III. Empowering Actors in Local Dimensions of Cohesion Policy</b>	Room 7
Chair:	Ida Musialkowska - Poznan University of Economics and Business, Poland	
<b>Oto Potluka - CEPS, University of Basel, Switzerland</b>		
		Place-based, Nonprofit, and Civic Leaderships in EU Cohesion Policy
<b>Leaza McSorley - University of Sunderland, UK</b>		
		Horizontal Inequalities: Shifting Labour Market Dynamics and Cohesion Policy Priorities
<b>Ekaterina Domorenok - University of Padua, Italy</b>		
		Empowerment via Delegation? Implementing Sustainable Urban Development Policies in Veneto and Scotland
Paolo Graziano - Florida International University, USA		
Laura Polverari - University of Strathclyde, UK		



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<b>Louise Kempton</b> - Newcastle University, UK	RSA Policy Expo - HEIs in Regional Development	
<b>Garri Raagmaa</b> - University of Tartu, Estonia	Regional Higher Education Institutions as Key Actors in Place-based Leadership: A Comparative Study of Nordic and Baltic Peripheries[	
<b>Maria da Conceição Rego</b> - Universidade de Évora, Portugal Cassio Rolim - University Federal of Paraná, Brazil Andreia Dionísio - University of Évora, Portugal	National or Regional Recruitment: Market Area of the Portuguese Universities	
<b>Maria da Conceição Rego</b> - Universidade de Évora, Portugal Mauricio Serra - Instituto de Economia, UNICAMP, Brazil Lucir Reinaldo Alves - UNIOESTE - Campus Toledo, Brazil	Entrepreneurial Universities as Regional Development Engines: Myopia or Wishful Thinking? Lessons from Brazil and Portugal	
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Chair:		
<b>Sally Hardy</b> , Regional Studies Association, UK <b>Sarah Ayres</b> , University of Bristol, UK <b>Mark Tewdwr-Jones</b> , Newcastle University, UK		

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<p><b>Gabriel Weber</b> - ESSCA, France            Laura Juliana Ardila Fontecha - Universidad Industrial de Santander, Spain            Ignazio Cabras - Newcastle Business School, UK</p>		
<p>Degrowth, Commons, Governance, Care and Conviviality in Tourism: The Case of the Pilgrimage Route to Santiago de Compostela (Spain)</p>		
<p><b>Alexandre Vecino Aguirre</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain            Fidel Martínez-Roget - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain            David Rodríguez González - University of A Coruna, Spain</p>		
<p>Relation between Tourism and Urban Liveability: Theoretical and Assessment Issues</p>		
<p><b>Leonardo Nogueira de Moraes</b> - The University of Melbourne, Australia            Alan March - The University of Melbourne, Australia</p>		
<p>Urban Teleconnectedness and the Building of Resilience to Disasters in Regional Tourist Destinations: Exploring the case of Wye River, VIC, Australia</p>		
<p><b>Alexandra Cehan</b> - Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iasi, Romania            Corneliu Iașu - Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iași, Romania</p>		
<p>Particularities of Cooperation in Tourism in Peripheral Areas. Empirical Evidence from Vatra Dornei, Romania</p>		
Session Title:	<b>Questioning Governance</b>	Room 11
Chair:		
<p><b>Cristina Cavaco</b> - CIAUD, Faculty of Architecture, University of Lisbon, Portugal            João Mourato - Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal            João Pedro Costa - CIAUD, Faculdade de Arquitetura, Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal            João Ferrão - Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal</p>		
<p>From Strategic Spatial Planning to Soft Planning: So what's New?</p>		
<p><b>Thi Hoa Truong</b> - Waseda University, Japan</p>		
<p>Bureaucratic Corruption is Contagious: How Anti-Corruption Initiative would Work? An Analysis for Vietnamese Provinces</p>		
<p><b>Sina Shahab</b> - Cardiff University, UK            François-Xavier Viallon - University of Lausanne, Switzerland</p>		
<p>Swiss Land Improvement Syndicates (LIS): An Impure Coasian Solution?</p>		

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16.45-18.15	<b>Parallel Sessions [5]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS2 III. Digital Technology: Regions, Business and Policy III</b>	Room 12
Chair:	Calvin Jones - Cardiff Business School, UK	
<b>Laura Norris</b> - Cardiff University, UK	Digital Economy Impacts on Rural Business Models: A Case Study Approach	
<b>Reto Bürgin</b> - University of Bern, Switzerland Heike Mayer - University of Bern, Switzerland	Digital Periphery? A Community Case Study of Digitalization in the Swiss Alps	
<b>Jan Ole Rypestol</b> - NORCE Norwegian Research Centre, Norway Nina Kyllingstad - University of Agder, Norway Ann Camilla Schulze-Krogh - University of Agder, Norway Maria Tønnessen - University of Agder, Norway	Asset Modification for Regional Digital Transformation	
<b>Calvin Jones</b> - Cardiff Business School, UK Dylan Henderson - Cardiff University, UK Chen Xu - Cardiff University, UK	The Rural-Urban Digital Divide: Evidence from Welsh SMEs	
Session Title:	<b>SS4. Distributive Politics and Regional Development</b>	Room 13
Chair:		
<b>Mehmet Pinar</b> - Edge Hill University, United Kingdom Pinar Deniz - Marmara University, Turkey Can Karahasan - Piri Reis University, Turkey	Electoral Politics, Firm-level Corruption and Performance: Evidence from Turkish Regions	
<b>Stavroula Iliopoulou</b> - Ministry of Tourism, Greece Yiannis Psycharis - Panteion University of Social and Political Sciences, Greece Maria Zoi - Greece Panayotis Pantazis - Greece	Beyond the Socio-economic use of Fiscal Transfers: The Role of Political Factors in Greek Inter-governmental Grant Allocations	
<b>Tasos Kitsos</b> - City-REDI, University of Birmingham, UK Antonios Proestakis - JRC, European Commission Belgium	Mediating Distributive Politics: Political Alignment and Electoral Business Cycle Effects on Municipality Financing in Greece	

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Session Title:	<b>Spatial Economy and Governance Challenges</b>	Room 14
Chair:	Chun Yang – Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong, China	
<b>Bill Pritchard</b> - The University of Sydney, Australia	A Chequerboard Frontier: How China is Remaking the Spatial Economy of Fresh Fruit Production in Mainland Southeast Asia	
Koji Kubo - IDE-JETRO, Japan		
Aye Sandar Phyo – The University of Sydney, Australia		
<b>Stefan Borsky</b> - University of Graz, Wegener Center for Global and Climate Change, Austria	The Role of Global Supply Chains in the Transmission of Weather Induced Production Shocks	
Martin Jury - University of Graz, Austria		
<b>Karol Mrozik</b> - Poznan University of Life Sciences, Poland	The Spatial Distribution of the JESSICA Projects Implemented in Polish Municipalities	
Piotr Idczak - Poznań University of Economics and Business, Poland		
Ida Musiałkowska - Poznań University of Economics and Business, Poland		
Session Title:	<b>SS22 II. Smart Specialisation from Theory to Practice II: Implementation Experiences across Europe</b>	Room 16
Chair:	Ugo Fratesi - Politecnico di Milano, Italy	
<b>Alessandro Rosiello</b> - University of Edinburgh Business School, UK	Addressing Regional Policy Implementation Challenges in Catching up Regions through the Analytical Lens of Smart Specialisation Strategies	
George Papamichail - University of Edinburgh, UK		
David Wield - Open University, UK		
<b>Elisabetta Marinelli</b> - JRC - European Commission, Spain	Smart Specialisation in Extremadura and Puglia: Meeting New Governance Challenges	
Federica Bertamino - Agenzia della Coesione Territoriale, Italy		
Ana Fernandez-Zubieta - Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain		
<b>Mari Wøien</b> - Nordregio, Sweden	Implementing Smart Specialisation: Experiences from the Nordic Region	
Jukka Teräs - Nordregio, Sweden		
<b>Krzysztof Mieszkowski</b> - JRC - European Commission, Spain	Evaluation of an Approach to the Entrepreneurial Discovery Process in the Pomorskie Region	

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16.45-18.15	Parallel Sessions [5]	
Session Title:	<b>SS30. Regional Economic and Policy History</b>	Room 17
Chair:	Marijn Molema - Fryske Akademy, The Netherlands & Sara Svensson – CEU Budapest, Hungary	
<b>Speakers:</b>	<p>Before the discussion starts, the chairs will give a presentation about the ReHi-network. They will sketch a research agenda called 'New Regional History' which gives directions to a more concrete follow-up of the network. This agenda will be illustrated with concrete project ideas in which the drivers of inequality in cities and regions, as well as the initiatives to combat these inequalities, should be researched from a longer time perspective. After this presentation, four experienced researchers will reflect on these ideas, and share their own beliefs about why it is important to bridge the gap between History and Regional Studies.</p>	
	<p><b>Martin Henning</b>, University of Gothenburg, Sweden  <b>Anssi Paasi</b>, University of Oulo, Finland  <b>Jesus Valdaliso</b>, University of the Basque Country, Spain  <b>Andy Pike</b>, Newcastle University, UK</p>	
Session Title:	<b>SS17 I. Thinking beyond State-centred Approaches to Borders I</b>	Seminar I
Chair:	Secil Dagtas - University of Waterloo, Canada	
	<p><b>Hulya Arik</b> - University of Gothenburg, Sweden            Cagatay Selin - University of Gothenburg, Sweden            Sasunkevich Olga Volha - University of Gothenburg, Sweden            Mia Liinason - University of Gothenburg, Sweden</p>	
	<b>Jaby Mathew</b> - Independent Researcher, India	Interrogating Global Citizenship and Global Studies

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Session Title:	<b>Urban Planning and Sustainability</b>	Geography Seminar 213
Chair:		
<b>Masaaki Takemura</b> - Meiji University, Japan	What Impedes the Learning from Successful Town Management?	
<b>Benjamin Flowers</b> - Georgia Institute of Technology, USA	Stadia and Redevelopment	
<b>Jennifer Clark</b> - Georgia Institute of Technology, USA	The Urban Technology Project: Selling Smart Cities as the New Competitive Advantage	
<b>Beatriz Valcárcel Aguiar</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain Pilar Murias Fernández - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain Alexandre Vecino Aguirre - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain	An Analysis of the Liveability – Sustainability Relation in Spanish Cities	
Session Title:	<b>SS10 II. Predicting Spatial Impacts of Automated Vehicles II</b>	Ancient History Seminar 012
Chair:	Nikolas Thomopoulos, UK	
<b>Veronique Van Acker</b> - Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research, Luxembourg	How Autonomous Driving May Affect Residential and Workplace Location Decisions: A Review of the Literature Through the Lens of Acceptance and Value of Travel Time	
<b>Georges A. Tanguay</b> - Université du Québec, Canada Marc-Olivier Pépin - Université du Québec à Montréal, Canada	Estimation of Car Trips Generated by the Arrival of Autonomous Vehicles in the Montreal Metropolitan Area	

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16.45-18.15	Parallel Sessions [5]	
Session Title:	<b>SS1 IV. Energy Projects and Societal Transformation</b>	Art Seminar 235
Chair:	Camilla Chlebna - Carl von Ossietzky University Oldenburg, Germany	
<b>Stefan Philipp</b> - ZSI - Centre for Social Innovation, Austria	Socially-innovative Energy Projects in Peripheral Regions	
Johannes Suitner - University of Technology Vienna, Austria		
<b>Benjamin Best</b> - Wuppertal Institut, Germany	Socio-political Impact of Transdisciplinary Research Projects	
<b>Viktor Varju</b> - Centre for Regional Studies of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Hungary	Revealing the Motivational Factors for Renewable Energy Use and Energy Efficiency – a Territorial Comparison on the Two Side of Hungarian-Croatian Border	
Ákos Bodor - MTA KRTK Institute for Regional Studies, Hungary		
Session Title:	<b>SS3. Disadvantaged Territories: From Oblivion to Renaissance. Implementing Territorial Strategies and Policies for Sustainable Development</b>	Medieval Seminar 232
Chair:	Andrea De Toni - Università degli Studi del Molise, Italy	
<b>Carolina Perpiña Castillo</b> - JRC, European Commission, Italy	Regional Profiles in EU Rural Areas based on Socioeconomic and Demographic Indicators	
Chris Jacobs-Crisioni - JRC, European Commission, Spain		
Boyan Kavalov - JRC, European Commission, Spain		
Ricardo Barranco - JRC, European Commission, Spain		
<b>Thomas Dax</b> - Federal Institute for Less Favoured and Mountainous Areas (BABF), Austria	Green Shoots or Chimera? Emerging Evidence of a Demographic Turnaround in the Scottish Islands and Austrian Alps	
Andrew Copus - Social, Economic and Geographical Sciences Group, James Hutton Institute, UK		
Ruth Wilson - Social, Economic and Geographical Sciences Group, James Hutton Institute, UK		
<b>Katalin Kovács</b> - Centre for Economic and Regional Studies, HAS, Hungary	Shrinking Rural Areas in Hungary – Inquiring Types and Causes	
Gergely Tagai - Centre for Economic and Regional Studies, HAS, Hungary		
<b>Andrea Omizzolo</b> - European Academy of Bozen/Bolzano, Italy	Processes of Self-sustainable Development in Marginal Mountain Communities: A Comparison of Two Cases in the Italian Alps	
Federica Maino - Eurac Research, Institute for Regional Development, Italy		

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19.30-22.30	Conference Dinner (Pre-registration only)	Parador Hotel

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08.30-12.30	Conference Registration	
09.00-10.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [6]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS29. Borders in Motion in China's 'Radiation' Center, Yunnan Province</b>	Room 2
Chair:	Victor Konrad - Carleton University, Canada	
<b>Karin Dean</b> - Tallinn University, Estonia	Infrastructure Developments Ordering Yunnan's Borderlands	
<b>Jussi Laine</b> - University of Eastern Finland, Finland	Multiscalar Border(land)s as Sites of Relational Motion: The Role of Yunnan's Borders for Transregional Security	
<b>Victor Konrad</b> - Carleton University, Canada	Kunming: Borderland Metropolis of China's 'Radiation' Center, Yunnan Province	
<b>Martin van der Velde</b> - Radboud University Nijmegen, The Netherlands	Yunnan as a Magnet for Transnational Labour Migration: A Multi-scalar Perspective on the China-Myanmar Cross-border Labour Market Region	



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09.00-10.30	Parallel Sessions [6]	
Session Title:	<b>Technologies and Global Growth</b>	Room 3
Chair:		
<b>Margarida Fontes</b> - LNEG - Laboratorio Nacional de Energia e Geologia, Portugal	Global Emergence of New Technologies: A Dynamic Analysis of Territorial Knowledge Communities and Relational Proximity in Wave Energy	
Teresa Sá-Marques - University of Porto/ CEGOT, Portugal		
Helder Santos - University of Porto / CEGOT, Portugal		
Cristina Sousa - Univ Portucalense/REMIT & Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE-IUL) / DINAMIA'CET-IUL, Portugal		
Nuno Bento - Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE-IUL) / DINAMIA'CET-IUL, Portugal		
<b>Javier López</b> - University Isabel I, Spain	ICT Adoption in Companies from a Global Perspective. PLS-SEM Modelling and Mediation Analysis	
Rosa Jorda-Borrell - University of Sevilla, Spain		
<b>Nikos Kapitsinis</b> - Cardiff University, UK	SME Export Finance Gaps through a Geographical Lens of Wales: An Exploration	
Max Munday - Cardiff University, UK		
Annette Roberts - Cardiff University, UK		
<b>Reyes Gonzalez-Relaño</b> - Universidad de Sevilla, Spain	Key Variable which Define the Use of ICTs in the European enterprise. A Comparative Analysis of Spanish Regions in the European Context	
Angel Luis Lucendo-Monedero - Universidad de Sevilla, Spain		
Francisca Ruiz-Rodriguez - Universidad de Sevilla, Spain		
Session Title:	<b>SS27. Climate Change, Decarbonization, Clean Energy Transition and Regions</b>	Room 4
Chair:	Silvia Grandi - University of Bologna, Italy	
<b>Justyna Chodkowska-Miszczuk</b> - Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland	Modes of Biogas Plants Developments in Energy Transition Countries	
Stanislav Martinat - Cardiff University, UK		
Marián Kulla - Pavol Jozef Šafárik University, Slovakia		
Ladislav Novotný - Pavol Jozef Šafárik University, Slovakia		
Jadwiga Biegańska - Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland		
<b>Andreas Diemer</b> - London School of Economics and Political Science, UK	Diffusion of Local Economic Shocks in Social Networks: Evidence from the US Fracking Boom	
<b>Marco Percoco</b> - Università Bocconi, Italy	Oil Extraction and Local Development: Evidence from Basilicata	

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09.00-10.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [6]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Cluster Economies</b>	
Chair:	Paul Dalziel - AERU, Lincoln University, New Zealand	
		Room 6
<b>Athena Piterou</b> - University of Greenwich, UK	Mapping Cultural and Creative Industry Clusters in a World Heritage Site: A Relational Approach	
Jin Hooi Chan - University of Greenwich, UK		
Intan Hashim - Universiti Sains Malaysia, Malaysia		
Suet Leng Khoo - Universiti Sains Malaysia, Malaysia		
Hooi Hooi Lean - Universiti Sains Malaysia, Malaysia		
<b>Nils Grashof</b> - University of Bremen, Germany	Putting the Watering Can away - Towards a Targeted (Problem-oriented) Cluster Policy Framework	
<b>Thomas Ejdemo</b> - Luleå University of Technology, Sweden	Does Related Variety Affect New Venture Survival?	
Daniel Örtqvist - Luleå University of Technology, Sweden		
Session Title:	<b>RSA Research Network – CPNET</b>	
Chair:		
		Room 7
<b>Organiser(s)</b>	CPnet:	
<b>Nicola Francesco Dotti</b> , Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium	The Regional Studies Association (RSA) Research Network on EU Cohesion Policy (CPnet) aims to provide a forum for debating EU cohesion policy, its effectiveness, impacts, paradoxes, and its future. Since 2011, our Research Network has been fully active within the RSA community, having successfully organised ten workshops and special sessions at all the RSA conferences between 2014 and 2018 (Izmir 2014, Piacenza 2015, Graz 2016, Dublin 2017 and Lugano 2018). The CPnet has succeeded in animating the policy debate with two policy-oriented workshops in Brussels, where we discussed our papers with high level EU policy-makers (MEPs, Commissioner’s cabinet, EU Commission staff, Committee of the Regions and other high-level EU policymakers). We have also contributed to the academic debate with three edited volumes and one special issue of Regional Studies – these were based on the outcomes of our RSA-funded workshops.	
<b>Marcin Dąbrowski</b> , Delft University of Technology, the Netherlands		
<b>Leaza McSorley</b> , University of Sunderland, UK		

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09.00-10.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [6]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Demography and Demographic Change in the 21st Century</b>	
Chair:	Room 13	
<b>Gintare Pociute-Sereikiene</b> - Lithuanian Social Research Centre, Lithuania	Regional Socioeconomic Development and Adolescent Fertility: The Case of Lithuania	
Vaida Tretjakova - Lithuanian Social Centre, Lithuania		
Rūta Ubarevičienė - Lithuanian Social Centre, Lithuania		
Lina Šumskaitė - Lithuanian Social Centre, Lithuania		
<b>Janez Nared</b> - ZRC SAZU, Slovenia	Tackling Demographic Change at the Regional and Local Levels: The Experiences from Slovenia	
<b>Marcel Mérette</b> - University of Ottawa, Canada	National Transfer Accounts at the Subnational Level: A First Analysis of Canadian Regions	
Julien Navaux - University of Ottawa, Canada		
<b>Alejandra Berenice Trejo Nieto</b> - El Colegio de México, Mexico	The Spatial Distribution of Population: A Study of Metropolitan Patterns and Dynamics in Mexico	
Session Title:	<b>The Human Dimensions of Entrepreneurship</b>	
Chair:	Room 14	
<b>Yuxi Zhao</b> – Nottingham Trent University, UK	Human Capital and Entrepreneurship Intention in Deprived Areas	
<b>Alessandra Colombelli</b> - Politecnico di Torino, Italy	Pulling Effects in Migrant Entrepreneurship: Does Gender Matter?	
Elena Grinza - University of Milan, Italy		
Valentina Meliciani - LUISS University, Italy		
Mariacristina Rossi - University of Turin, Italy		
<b>Victor Abreu Cabral</b> - Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences, The Netherlands	Coworking Spaces: Places that Stimulate Social Capital?	
Willem van Winden - Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences, The Netherlands		
<b>Dina Ashour</b> - Edinburgh Business School, UK	Towards a Comprehensive Institutional Framework for the Entrepreneurship Ecosystem Theory; within the context of Emerging Nations, the Case of Egypt?	

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Session Title:	<b>Transport Infrastructure Planning</b>	Room 15
Chair:		
<b>Marcin Stępnia</b> - Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain	New Data Sources, Temporal Variability and Identification of Causes of Low Urban Accessibility	
Borja Moya-Gómez - tGIS Research Group, Complutense University of Madrid, Spain		
Javier Gutiérrez Puebla - tGIS Research Group, Complutense University of Madrid, Spain		
Amparo Moyano - Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha, Spain		
<b>Daniel Durrant</b> - UCL, UK	Need for Speed?	
Marco Dean - UCL, UK		
Shivani Raghav - University of Toronto, Canada		
Shoshanna Saxe - University of Toronto, Canada		
Matti Siemiatycki - University of Toronto, Canada		
<b>Miguel Pazos</b> - University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain	Transport Infrastructures and Mobility in Metropolitan Areas of Galicia: From Spatial Planning to the Real World	
<b>Sonja Šlander</b> - University of Ljubljana, Slovenia	Transport Infrastructure and Economic Growth: From Diminishing Returns to International Trade	
Marko Ogorevc - Institute for Economic Research, Slovenia		
Session Title:	<b>Regional Integration across Boundaries</b>	Room 16
Chair:		
<b>Stefan Okruch</b> - Andrásy University Budapest, Hungary	The EGTC as a New Tool for Inter-regional and Cross-border Cooperation – A Quantitative Analysis	
Martina Eckardt - Andrásy University Budapest, Hungary		
Csilla Szentiványi - Andrásy University Budapest, Hungary		
<b>Carsten Schürmann</b> - TCP International, Germany	Cross-border Public Services (CPS) in Europe: Key Results of a First European-wide Empirical Survey	
Thomas Stumm - EureConsult, Luxembourg		
Sabine Zillmer - Spatial Foresight, Germany		
<b>Jiannis Kaucic</b> - University of Vienna, Austria	European Cross-Border Cooperation. Stages of Territorial Integration and Contribution to Cooperation Networks in Cross-border Regions	
<b>Paula Ribeiro</b> – Universidade do Porto, Portugal	Cross-border Cooperation as a Policy Instrument for Territorial Development and Cohesion: The Galicia-North Portugal Euroregion	

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09.00-10.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [6]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS13. Digital and Spatial Transformation: Structures and Relations in the Knowledge Economy</b>	Room 18
Chair:	Alain Thierstein - Technical University of Munich, Germany	
<b>Betka Graff-Zakirova</b> - Technical University of Munich, Germany	Michael Bentlage - Technical University of Munich, Germany	Alain Thierstein - Technical University of Munich, Germany
		Paths, Patterns and Networks of Knowledge-Creating Cities: Enduring the Economic Crises and Structural Changes in Germany
<b>Fabian Wenner</b> - Technical University of Munich, Germany	Michael Bentlage - Technical University of Munich, Germany	Alain Thierstein - Technical University of Munich, Germany
		High-Speed Rail and the Development of Interlocking Firm Networks of the Knowledge Economy in Germany and Europe
<b>Michael Bentlage</b> - Technical University of Munich, Germany		
		Applying the Method of Reflections to Interlocking Firm Networks of the Knowledge Economy in Germany
<b>Stefan Lüthi</b> - Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts, Switzerland	Silke Zöllner - Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts, Switzerland	Alain Thierstein - Technical University of Munich, Germany
		Spatio-temporal Network Dynamics: The Knowledge Economy between 2009 and 2018 in Germany
Session Title:	<b>SS17 II. Hospitality and the Politics of Exclusion</b>	Seminar I
Chair:	Hulya Arik - University of Gothenburg, Sweden	
<b>Secil Dagtas</b> - University of Waterloo, Canada		
		Governance through Difference: The Case of Displaced Syrians in Antakya near Turkey's Border with Syria
<b>Susan Beth Rottmann</b> - Ozyegin University, Turkey		
		Refusing Hospitality: Women's Work and Community Belonging for Syrian Refugees in Istanbul
<b>Vivian Solana Moreno</b> - King's College at Western University, Canada		
		Intimate International Aid: Migration, Solidarity and the Transpolitical Space between Spain and the Western Sahara

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09.00-10.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [6]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>SS14. Uneven Development in Global Production Networks: Causes and Implications</b>	Geography Seminar 213
Chair:	Sören Scholvin, Germany and Miguel Atienza, Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile	
<b>Felipe Irarrazaval</b> - University of Manchester, UK	From Gas to Concrete: Unpacking Natural Gas Production Networks and Rent Distribution in Peru and Bolivia	
<b>Linus Kalvelage</b> - University of Cologne, Germany Javier Revilla Diez - University of Cologne, Germany	Global Connections, Local Development? Capturing Value from Tourism GPNs in Namibian Conservancies	
<b>Miguel Atienza</b> - Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile Martín Arias - Universidad Católica del Norte, Chile Nicholas Phelps - University of Melbourne, Australia	Power and Urban Hierarchy in an Extractive GPN: Planning Enclaves and Sacrifice Zones through Power Asymmetries in Chile	
<b>Sören Scholvin</b> , Germany	Cluster or Enclave?: Santa Cruz and Takoradi in Oil and Gas GPNs	
Session Title:	<b>SS1 V. Energy Management and Governance</b>	Art Seminar 235
Chair:	Sebastian Rohe - Carl von Ossietzky University of Oldenburg, Germany	
<b>Petra Hofman</b> - Tilburg University, The Netherlands Martijn Groenleer - Tilburg University, Tilburg Institute of Governance, The Netherlands	Local-regional Governance of the Energy Transition: Drawing Lessons from 'Neighborhood Energy Labs' in the Region 'Hart van Brabant'	
<b>Ruben Peuchen</b> - TNO, The Netherlands Lieke Dreijerink - TNO, The Netherlands Koen Straver - TNO, The Netherlands	Empowering Dutch Regional Energy Strategies: Energy Justice as a Guideline to Review Renewable Energy Locations	
Final discussion		

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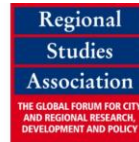
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09.00-10.30	<b>Parallel Sessions [6]</b>	
Session Title:	<b>Contemporary Migrations and Mobility</b>	Medieval Seminar 232
Chair:	Stefan Borsky – University of Graz, Wegener Center for Global and Climate Change, Austria	
<b>Andrea Morrison</b> - Utrecht University, The Netherlands	Mapping the Geography of Migrants' Inventive activity in the US: Evidence from USPTO Historical Patents (1840-1940)	
Sergio Petralia - London School of Economics, UK		
<b>Gwilym Owen</b> - University of Sheffield, UK	Multiscale and Dynamic Residential Segregation between Migrants and Origin Population in the Chinese City of Shijiazhaung	
Gwilym Pryce - University of Sheffield, UK		
Yu Chen - University of Sheffield, UK		
Bifeng Wang - Hebei GEO University, China		
Hui Song - Hebei GEO University, China		
<b>Gaetano Vecchione</b> - Università Federico II di Napoli, Italy	Long Run Pro-Trade Effects of Diasporas: First Evidence on Italian Regions	
Carmelo Petraglia - Università della Basilicata, Italy		
<b>Tudi Kernallegenn</b> - UC Louvain, Belgium	Should a Region be Territorial? The Institutional and Political Organisation of French Abroad: A Sociological Analysis	
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Chair:		
<b>Anne Otto</b> - Institute of Employment Research, Germany	Expansion of Doctoral Training and PhDs' Labor Market Outcomes: Evidence from German Register Data	
Guido Buenstorf - University of Kassel, Germany		
Dominik Heinisch - University of Kassel, Germany		
Johannes König - University of Kassel, Germany		
<b>David Owen</b> - University of Warwick, UK	Projected Employment and Population Change in Regional Labour Markets in the UK	
Anne Green - University of Birmingham, UK		
<b>Agnieszka Górnica-Mulcahy</b> - University of Wrocław, Poland	Labor Market's Border. Labor and social Implications of Economic Migration between Poland, the EU, and Ukraine	
<b>Martin Henning</b> - University of Gothenburg, Sweden	Labour Market Polarization as a Regional Process	
Rikard Eriksson - Umeå University, Sweden		

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Friday 7th June		
10.30-11.00	Refreshment Break - Foyer	
11.00-12.20	Closing Plenary Chair and Rapporteur: Martin Jones – Staffordshire University, UK Rapporteur: James W. Scott – Karelian Institute, Finland  Speaker: <b>Anssi Paasi</b> – University of Oulu, Finland <i>Pushing Regions beyond their Borders? A Search for a Common Ground in Regional and Border Studies</i>	Room: Paraninfo
12.20-12.30	Conference Close	Room: Paraninfo
14.30-16.30	<b>Technical Tours (Pre-registration only)</b>	
Technical Tour Option 1	María José Piñeira and Rubén C. Lois	The historic centre of the city – This tour will look at urban regeneration, heritagization and touristification of the old quarter; the implementation of the new buildings in the historic city (e.g. <a href="#">CGAC</a> , <a href="#">Ánxel Casal Library</a> )
<b>Technical Tour Option 2</b>	Miguel Pazos and Lucrezia Lopez	San Pedro neighbourhood – The controversies between the neighbours and the tourists; the urban transformations caused by the (re)invention of the Way of Saint James in the city; a gentrification process?
<b>Technical Tour Option 3</b>	Francisco Durán and Ángeles Piñeiro	University heritage buildings – which tourism use? How to manage the issues regarding the balance between students’ and academic life, on the one hand, and tourists, on the other?
<b>Technical Tour Option 4</b>	Valerià Paül and Juan Manuel Trillo	Green infrastructure and the particular development of the notion of greenbelt in Santiago. The conflicts regarding several urban parks, especially in the Sar River environs, and the relationship of the city with its rural fringe.





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Saturday 8th June	
08.30-16.00	<b>Side Event (Pre-registration only)</b>
<b>2nd Networking Workshop for Early and Mid-Career Women in Regional Studies and Regional Science</b>	
<p>The post PhD period can include challenges and uncertainties around roles, locations, contracts and funding. This time of life also frequently coincides with personal change such as relationship change, family planning, buying of first homes, moving abroad and increased levels of travel. Mid-Career Scholars face new challenges in their academic career when starting a faculty position, e.g. a lectureship or an assistant professorship. In this period each scholar must find strategies to balance the different responsibilities in teaching, administration and research. Academics in this transition often make unconscious decisions about their style of leadership or teaching. An important element in dealing with these uncertainties and in taking conscious decisions is access to a strong network, the chance to plan and discuss career opportunities and the opportunity to discuss these issues with role models, mentors and coaches.</p> <p>For this reason, the Regional Studies Association supports this members' led network specifically designed for female early and mid-career researchers in the fields of regional studies and regional science. The aim is to provide a platform for network building and to offer conversations with established female researchers in an informal setting. By funding the workshop, the RSA hopes to give impetus to growing a strong network and a series of related events. Following the dynamic 1st Networking Workshop held in October 2018, the 2nd edition foresees to focus on career development opportunities and soft skill development. The networking workshop aims at developing a community to support network members during their whole career. We aim to provide a forum for exchange led by participants wishes bringing in external support through coaches and experienced academics.</p>	