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PROGRAMME

09:15 – 09:30	<i>ARRIVAL OF THE PARTICIPANTS</i>
9:30 – 10:00	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>OPENING REMARKS:</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Prof. habil. Simona Moagăr-Poladian Prof. DSc. PhD Virginia Zhelyazkova</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Keynote speakers:</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Prof. Dr. Daniela Bobeva-Filipova, Do the Production Costs Drive Inflation Hike during Euro Adoption?</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Prof. Dr. Eugen Dijmărescu</i> <i>Pitfalls of Europe</i></p>
10:00 – 11:30	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>PANEL I: EUROPEAN MONETARY UNION INTEGRATION</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Chair: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Iana Paliova</i></p> <p>Prof. DSc. Virginia Zhelyazkova, PhD, Circular Economy Reframed: The EU's Geoeconomic Strategy and Its Implications for Bulgaria and Romania</p> <p>Prof. habil. Simona Moagăr-Poladian, PhD, Rethinking Economic Integration: Implications for Eurozone Accession Countries</p> <p>Prof. habil. Mihai Nițoi, PhD, Fiscal Consolidation and Debt Sustainability Analysis in Romania: Risks and Outlook</p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Iana Paliova, PhD, Bulgaria's Fiscal Outlook in the Eurozone for 2026-2028: Realities and Opportunities</p> <p>Andrei Ursulescu, PhD candidate, Ovidiu Tempea, PhD candidate, The End of Easy Money? EU Interest Rates Over the Past Decade</p> <p>Assist. Prof. Galatea Kolikova, PhD, Sustainable Foreign Direct Investment Based on the Example of Northern European Countries – Factors and Economic Impact</p> <p>Dorina Clichici, PhD, The Investment Attractiveness of Romania under the Economic Imbalances</p> <p><i>Discussion</i></p>
11.30-11.45	<i>COFFEE BREAK</i>

11.45-13.00	<p style="text-align: center;">PANEL II: GREEN TRANSITION AND GLOBAL INTEGRATION Chair: Iulia Monica Oehler-Şincai, PhD.</p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Teodora Peneva, PhD, From Growth to Sustainability: How the 15th Five-Year Plan Reorders China's Geoeconomic Strategy</p> <p>Alina - Cerasela Avram, PhD, Rethinking Economic Performance in the EU: The Role of the Circular Economy</p> <p>Prof. Galina Zaharieva, PhD, Bulgaria's Foreign Trade in Recyclable Materials under Changing Regulatory Conditions</p> <p>George Cornel Dumitrescu, PhD, Material Circularity and Decarbonization in the Current Economic and Geopolitical Context: An Econometric Analysis of Disparities among European Union Member States</p> <p>Assist. Prof. Tsvetelina Simeonova, PhD, Environmental Security as a Public Good in the Geoeconomic context: Implications for Banking Integration and Capital Allocation</p> <p>Georgeta Ilie, PhD, Iulia Monica Oehler-Şincai, PhD, The integration of Romania and Bulgaria into European Value Chains, and Their Contribution to Sustaining the Economic Equilibrium</p> <p>Discussion</p>
13.00-13.15	CLOSING REMARKS