

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

“ECONOMIC GROWTH: STIMULI AND CONSTRAINTS”

6th – 7th October 2014

ECONOMIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE AT BAS, AKSAKOV STR. 3, SOFIA 1000

PROGRAMME

6th October 2014

09:00 – 09:30h	Registration
09:30 – 09:45h <i>Great Hall</i>	Greetings <i>(from Governance of BAS, Council of Ministers, IFAG, MASA)</i>
09:45 – 11:30h <i>Great Hall</i>	Plenary papers Prof. Dr. Mitko Dimitrov (ERI-BAS): <i>“Economic Growth in Bulgaria – Opportunities, Limitations and Policy”</i> Prof. William Bartlett (LSE): <i>“Political Economy of Economic Crisis in South East Europe”</i> Prof. Dr. Yordan Hristoskov (ERI-BAS): <i>“The Infrastructure of the Territorial Units as a Factor for Economic Growth”</i> Acad. Prof. Emil Dinga (RAS): <i>“Categories of Changing and Economic Growth”</i>
11:30 – 11:45h	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:45 – 13:15h <i>Great Hall</i>	Panel “IMPACT OF THE INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC RELATIONS” – part I Moderator: Prof. Dr. Tatiana Houbenova Prof. Dr. Tatiana Houbenova (ERI-BAS): <i>“Contemporary Concepts for Economic Growth and Modernization in the Global Economy: Challenges to EU and Alternatives for Bulgaria”</i> Prof. Dr. Iskra Christova-Balkanska (ERI-BAS): <i>“Reindustrialiation and Economic Growth in Europe: Conclusions for Bulgaria”</i> Dr. Adina Criste (RAS): <i>“Financial Instability under the Spotlight of Central Banking”</i> Prof. Dr. Emil Panusheff (ERI-BAS): <i>“Agreement between USA and EU – Opportunities for the Bulgarian Economy”</i> Dr. Tudor Ciumara and Dr. Iulia Lupu (RAS): <i>“Romanian and Bulgarian Demographics and Fiscal Sustainability”</i> Eduard Ajtay (RAS): <i>“Tax Fraud in the International Economic Relationship of Romania”</i> <i>Discussions</i>
13:15 – 14:15h	<i>Lunch break (Hall on 4th floor)</i>
14:15 – 15:45h <i>Great Hall</i>	Panel “RESOURCES AND GROWTH” – part I Moderator: Prof. Dr. Alexander Tassev Dr. George Dumitrescu (Institute of World Economy – RAS): <i>“Resources of Economic Growth”</i> Assoc. Prof. Dr. Virginia Jeliaskova (VUZF): <i>“Banking System in Bulgaria (2009-2013)”</i> Chief Assist. Dr. Victor Yotzov (ERI-BAS): <i>“Economic Growth in the Light of the External Sector”</i> Prof. Dr. Alexander Tassev and Nedialko Nestorov (ERI-BAS): <i>“Foreign Trade as a Factor of Economic Growth”</i>

	<p>Assist. Katia Peicheva (Military Academy "G. S. Rakovsky"): <i>"Defense Expenditures and Economic Development"</i></p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Vesselina Grigorova (ERI-BAS): <i>"Investments in Energy"</i></p> <p>Chief Assist. Dr. Milkana Mochurova-Georgieva and Chief Assist. Dr. Maria Kotseva-Tikova (ERI-BAS): <i>"Water and Energy: Interaction and Good Management"</i></p> <p><i>Discussions</i></p>
14:15 – 15:45h <i>Hall on 4th floor</i>	<p>Panel "IMPACT OF THE INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC RELATIONS" – part II</p> <p>Moderator: Prof. Dr. Emil Panusheff</p> <p>Chief Assist Dr. Kaloian Simeonov (SU): <i>"Regulating the Financial Markets as an Incentive or Constraint to the Economic Growth"</i></p> <p>Assist. Dr. Neli Popova (UNWE): <i>"Price of External Financing and Fiscal Sustainability in EU Countries"</i></p> <p>Chief Assist. Dr. Julia Stefanova (ERI-BAS): <i>"Prospects for Cooperation among Stock Exchanges of Selected Danube Region Countries"</i></p> <p>Chief Assist. Dr. Vasil Petkov (UNWE): <i>"EU Structural Funds – Prerequisite or Impediment to Growth in Agriculture in Bulgaria"</i></p> <p>Assist. Eduard Marinov (ERI-BAS): <i>"Political Determinants of Economic Integration"</i></p> <p><i>Discussions</i></p>
15:45 – 16:00h	<i>Coffee break</i>
16:00 – 17:30h <i>Great Hall</i>	<p>Panel "HIGHER EDUCATION AND SCIENCE"</p> <p>Moderator: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mathew Matev</p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mathew Matev (ERI-BAS): <i>"Research Studies and Social Studies of Scientists in Bulgaria"</i></p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Alla Kirova (ERI-BAS): <i>"Gender Differences in the Academic Area in Bulgaria"</i></p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Irena Zareva (ERI-BAS): <i>"Problems and Perspectives to the Higher Education in Bulgaria"</i></p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Margarita Fileva (ERI-BAS): <i>"Higher Education in Bulgaria in the Context of the Contemporary Strategic Requirements"</i></p> <p>Prof. Dr.Sc.(Econ.) Elizabeta Vatchkova (Forestry University): <i>"Increasing the Competitiveness of Bulgarian Higher School through Implementation of a Mechanism for Sustainable Actualization of the Syllabuses"</i></p> <p>Assist. Dr. Maria Ivanova (NBU): <i>"Model of Master's Programme on Management and Development of Human Resources, Based on Professional Standards (Tendencies and Perspectives for Education and Development of Experts in the Field)"</i></p> <p><i>Discussions</i></p>
16:00 – 17:30h <i>Hall on 4th floor</i>	<p>Panel "RESOURCES AND GROWTH" – part II</p> <p>Moderator: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Darina Ruscheva</p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Eng. Galia Bardarska and Konstantin Konstantinov (ERI-BAS): <i>"Water Resources and Water Consumption in Bulgaria"</i></p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sasha Grozdanova (ERI-BAS): <i>"State and Problems in Food Ensuring"</i></p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Darina Ruscheva (ERI-BAS): <i>"Food Resources of Bulgaria: Changes and Tendencies"</i></p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Petko Todorov (ERI-BAS): <i>"Status Market Demand of Foods and Beverages"</i></p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ognian Bojukliev (ERI-BAS): <i>"Bulgarian Agriculture between Reality and the Common Agricultural Policy of EU (COP)"</i></p> <p><i>Discussions</i></p>

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<p>09:00 – 11:00h Great Hall</p>	<p>Panel “INVESTMENTS AND BUSINESS CLIMATE” Moderator: Prof. Dr.Sc.(Econ.) Rossitsa Rangelova Prof. Xavier Richet (Université Sorbonne Nouvelle & EHESS/FMSH) and Srdjan Redzepagic (Institute of Economic Sciences, Belgrade, Serbia): <i>“Catching-up and Integration in New and Future EU Member States through FDI”</i> Prof. Dr.Sc.(Econ.) Garabed Minassian (ERI-BAS and Trakia University – Stara Zagora): <i>“Institutional Constraints to the Economic Growth”</i> Chief Assist. Dr. Stanka Rinkova (SWU “N. Rilski”): <i>“Effective Institutional Environment – Factor for Economic Development: Problems and Directions for Change”</i> Prof. Dr.Sc.(Econ.) Rossitsa Rangelova and Assoc. Prof. Dr. Grigor Sariiski (ERI-BAS): <i>“Role of Crediting for the Economic Growth in Bulgaria till the Crisis and after That”</i> Chief Assist. Dr. Katerina Vojcheska (ERI-BAS and UNWE): <i>“Value-Based System for Analysis of the Rate of the Financial Efficiency and Growth in the Enterprises”</i> Assoc. Prof. Dr. Silvia Trifonova (UNWE): <i>“A True Story about the Bulgarian Business and Foreign Investments”</i> Chief Assist. Dr. Galia Taseva-Petkova (ERI-BAS and UNWE): <i>“Investment Activity of the Non-Financial Enterprises in Bulgaria”</i> Evgenia Balkanska (Ministry of Agriculture and Food): <i>“Novelties in Regulating the Credit Risk according to Basel III”</i> Discussions</p>
<p>09:00 – 11:00h Hall on 4th floor</p>	<p>Panel “INNOVATIONS AND ECONOMIC GROWTH” Moderator: Prof. Dr.Sc.(Econ.) Rossitsa Chobanova Prof. Dr.Sc.(Econ.) Rossitsa Chobanova (ERI-BAS): <i>„Research & Innovation Policy: Before and after a National Innovation Policy Model”</i> Assoc. Prof. Dr. Irena Zareva (ERI-BAS): <i>“Foreign Migration Processes and Innovation Potential of Bulgaria”</i> Christian Filipov (The World Bank): <i>“Accelerating the Innovation-Based Growth of Bulgaria's Creative and Technology Businesses”</i> Prof. Dr.Sc.(Econ.) Rossitsa Chobanova (ERI-BAS), Prof. Sasho Josimovski (MANI) and Acad. Lupcho Kocarev (MANI): <i>“Challenges and Opportunities for Knowledge Driven Growth in Bulgaria and Macedonia”</i> Svetlana Nikolova (Economic Academy “D. A. Tenov” – Svishtov): <i>“Barriers to the Interaction Innovation Activity – Competitiveness”</i> Prof. Dr.Sc.(Econ.) Tania Gorcheva (Economic Academy “D. A. Tenov” – Svishtov): <i>“Sustainable Firm Management – Concept and Reality”</i> Assoc. Prof. Dr. Pavlinka Naidenova (ERI-BAS): <i>“Innovations and Business”</i> Chief Assist. Dr. Radostina Popova (University of Forestry): <i>“Methodical Aspects of the Innovation Activity of the Enterprises from the Forestry Industry”</i> Kostadin Kostadinov (GIS-Transfer Center Foundation, Sofia): <i>“Analysis of the Challenges of the Technologically Oriented Entrepreneurship in Initial Stage at the Example of Bulgaria and Germany”</i> Assoc. Prof. Dr. Adelina Milanova (ERI-BAS): <i>“Corporate Social Capital as a management Innovation – Genesis and Perspective”</i> Discussions</p>
<p>11:00 – 11:15h</p>	<p>Coffee break</p>

<p>11:15 – 13:15h Great Hall</p>	<p>Panel “CORPORATE GOVERNANCE”</p> <p>Moderator: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Spartak Keremidchiev</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Plamen Tchipev (ERI-BAS): <i>“Corporate Boards – Contemporary Tendencies in Structure and Functioning”</i></p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Radostina Bakardjieva (ERI-BAS): <i>“Corporate Social Responsibility – A Core of the Corporate Sustainability and Growth”</i></p> <p>Assoc. Dr. Spartal Keremidchiev (ERI-BAS): <i>“Principles for Work with Stakeholders in the Corporate Governance Standards”</i></p> <p>Chief Assist. Dr. Miroslav Nedelchev (ERI-BAS): <i>“Reducing Conflicts “Principal – Principal””</i></p> <p>Dr. Ionel Leonida (RAS): <i>“About the Need to Diversify the Administrative Mechanisms and Tools Used to Model the Taxpayers’ Tax Noncompliance Behavior”</i></p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Dr. Lalka Borisova (International Higher Business School – Botevgrad): <i>“Elements of Communication in the Activity of the Organization”</i></p> <p>Kiril Mitov (UNWE): <i>“Role of the Supervisory and Control on the Activity of the Enterprises for Collective Investment, Incentive and Constraints”</i></p> <p>Nikolay Katsarsky (UNWE): <i>“Accounting Aspects in Reporting Incomes and Expenditures in Insurance Companies”</i></p> <p><i>Discussions</i></p>
<p>11:15 – 13:15h Hall on 4th floor</p>	<p>Panel “LABOUR MARKET AND SOCIAL PROBLEMS”</p> <p>Moderator: Prof. Dr. Iskra Beleva</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Iskra Beleva (ERI-BAS): <i>“Segmentation of the Labour Market – Definition, Methodology of Measuring, Results”</i></p> <p>Prof. Dr. Vasil Tsanov (ERI-BAS): <i>“Generalized Evaluations of the Segmentation of Employment, Based on Package Data from “Statistics of Incomes and Life Conditions (EU-SILC)””</i></p> <p>Prof. Dr. Georgi Shopov (ERI-BAS): <i>“Social Differences between Regions and Districts in Bulgaria (2008-2011)”</i></p> <p>Chief Assist. Dr. Maia Tsoklinova (University of Forestry): <i>“Impact of the Globalization on the Labour Market: Social Results and Economic Prosperity (on the Example of the Developing Countries)”</i></p> <p>Chief Assist. Ralitsa Pandurska (UNWE): <i>“Flexible Retiring in the Context of the Pension Reform in Bulgaria”</i></p> <p>Nikolay Peikov (National Customs Agency): <i>“Okun’s Law in Recession on the Bulgarian Example”</i></p> <p>Petko Miran (PU): <i>“Inequality in the Income Distribution as a Factor Limiting the Economic Growth”</i></p> <p>Assist. Dr. Valeri Apostolov (UNWE): <i>“The “Silver Fund” – Realities and Perspectives”</i></p> <p><i>Discussions</i></p>