

# **BRATISLAVA ECONOMIC MEETING 2014**

June 12-14

Conference Program

Organized by Virtual Scientific Laboratories, the University of Economics and Slovak Economic Association

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## Thursday, June 12

Venue: Zámocký pivovar, Zámocká 794/13 (http://www.zamockypivovar.sk/en/)

17:00 Welcome drinks (cash bar)

If you would like to have dinner, the restaurant offers typical and inexpensive Slovak dishes.

# Friday, June 13

Venue: Ekonomická univerzita, Dolnozemská 1

- 7:30 8:00 Registration
- 8:00-8:30 Opening welcome

8:30 – 9:45 Session I

## **Stream A: Public Goods**

Anna Gunnthorsdottir: Magic. The Surprising Extent to which Groups of Humans can Coordinate their Behavior without Communication, and the Limits of the Phenomenon

Vojtěch Kuna and Jan Řezáč: Can Ambiguity Aversion Explain Behavior in Public Goods Game?

Zuzana Berná and Jiří Špalek: Tax Compliance in a Modified VCM Experiment

## **Stream B: Monetary**

Michaela Rošková: Optimal Public Budgeting

Teresa Messner: Determinants of Household Wealth and Indebtedness in Slovakia - Painting a Picture of Wealthy and Indebted Households in Slovakia

František Brázdik: Monetary Policy and Exchange Rate Dynamics: The Exchange Rate as a Shock Absorber

9:45 – 10:15 Coffee Break

#### 10:15 - 11:55 Session II

#### Stream A: Experimental

Kinga Posadzy: A Close-up on Gender Gap in Competition. How Deception Affects Competition and Attitudes towards it.

Miloš Fišar: Staff Rotation as the Anti-corruption Tool: Experimental Approach

Adam Zylbersztejn: Coordination with Communication under Oath

Maroš Servátka: Investment in Outside Options as an Opportunistic Behavior: An Experimental Investigation

# Stream B: Public Policy, Human Capital and History of Economic Thought

Miroslav Zajíček: Compulsory Schooling and HC Development

Çiğdem Börke Tunalı: State Aid Policy in the European Union

Lucia Mýtna Kureková: Into the First League: Competitive Advantage of the Antivirus Industry in the Czech Republic and Slovakia

Július Horváth: Emergence of Slovak Economic Thinking: From 18<sup>th</sup> Century to Imrich Karvaš

11:55 – 13:00 Lunch

## 13:00 – 14:00 Keynote Lecture by Ján Zábojník

14:10 - 15:00 Session III

## **Stream A: Common Pool Resources**

Michal Maco: Management of Semi-Public Urban Spaces as Common-Pool Resources

Veronika Chobotová: Financial Incentives for Common Pool Resources

## Stream B: Labor I

Martin Kahanec: Workers from Eastern Partnership countries in EU Labor Markets: Unleashing potentials for mutual gains

Gueorgui Kolev: Decision Making and Underperformance in Competitive Environments: Evidence from the National Hockey League

15:00 – 15:30 Coffee Break

15:30 - 16:45 Session IV

#### Stream A: Norms and Other-regarding Behavior

Daniel Woods: Nice to You, even Nicer to Me: Does Self-serving Generosity Diminish Reciprocal Behavior?

James Tremewan: Anonymity and Norms in the Dictator game

Jana Vyrasteková: Name it Fair: Field Evidence on Moral Biases

#### Stream B: Labor II

Jan Fidrmuc: Friday the 13th: The Empirics of Bad Luck

Martin Kahanec and Lucia Mýtna Kureková: Did Post-enlargement Labor Mobility Help the EU to Adjust during the Great Recession? The Case of Slovakia

19:00 Conference dinner. Venue: Reštaurácia Delfín, Ružová dolina, Bratislava – Ružinov (<u>http://restauraciadelfin.sk/</u>).

Please organize your own transport. Alternatively, you can take a bus number 68 from the University of Economics to Trhovisko bus stop and then walk south-east along Miletičova Street for about 10 minutes. The restaurant is by an outdoor pool, tucked behind buildings that will be on your left-hand side. (http://restauraciadelfin.sk/kontakt/)

## Saturday, June 14

Venue: Ekonomická univerzita, Dolnozemská 1

8:30 – 10:10 Session V

## **Stream A: Auctions and Pricing**

Zuzana Brokešová: Typical Consumers of Insurance Services: Results from Slovak Republic

Peter Tóth: Proposal of the Experimental Model dealing with the Retail Units Allocation

Jana Péliová: Experimental Verification of Behavior Based Pricing Model Validity

Peter Katuščák: How to Boost Revenues in First-Price Auctions? The Magic of Disclosing Only Winning Bids from Past Auctions

#### Stream B: Macro and Growth

Tibor Zavadil: The Distribution of Debt across Euro Area Countries, the Role of Individual Characteristics, Institutions and Credit Conditions

Stefani Kostagianni: Impact of IMF Assistance on Economic Growth Revisited

Peter Tóth: Nowcasting Slovak GDP on a Weekly Basis Using A Small Dynamic Factor Model

Martin Lábaj: Prospective Ageing and Economic Growth in Europe

10:10 – 10:40 Coffee Break

10:40 - 13:00 Session VI

## Stream A: Contracts, Incentives, and Decision Making

Eugen Kováč: Venture Capital Financing of Innovation Races

Silvester Van Koten: Self-regulation under the Shadow of Governmental Oversight: Blossom or Perish?

Michal Ďuriník: Context Effects in Consumer Decision Making: Research Proposal

Radovan Vadovič: Monotonicity: An Experimental Test

#### Stream B: Finance

Jan Jonáš: Incomplete EMU Integration as an Amplifier of Financial Crisis

Marcela Veselková: Occupy International Monetary System: Bitcoin vs. Local Currencies

Tomáš Výrost: Mean-variance Coexceedance Networks: Preliminary Results for CEE Stock Markets

Štefan Lyócsa: Stock Market Co-movements in Central and Eastern Europe

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 General Membership Meeting of Slovak Economic Association (Venue: Spoločenská miestnosť)

Guidelines for presenters: Please bring your presentation on a USB memory stick and upload it prior to the beginning of your session. All presentations in parallel sessions are allocated 25 minutes (including discussion). The last speaker in each session is the session chair. The chair is asked to enforce time limits as it will allow participants to effectively switch between sessions.