Call for Papers

Scholars from Slovak and international institutions are invited to present their unpublished research in all areas of economics – theoretical, empirical, experimental, institutional, or policy-oriented. The main objective of this meeting is to foster contacts and lasting academic cooperation among domestic and international economists.

Young economists, PhD. students, and post-docs are particularly encouraged to submit a paper. As an additional benefit, members of the Slovak Economic Association will provide them with a written review of the selected papers.

Topics of interest:

All fields from economic research are welcome; from history of economic thought, through monetary, banking, finance, growth, labor, auctions and pricing, to experimental and behavioral economics.

Keynote speakers:

Benedikt Herrmann

Joint Research Centre, European Commission

Ľuboš Pástor

Booth School of Business, University of Chicago National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER) Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR) National Bank of Slovakia, member of the Bank Board

Important notes:

- The conference language is English.
- There is **no conference fee**.
- There will be **no conference proceedings**, so the papers may be published elsewhere.
- Authors should submit their extended abstracts (max. 1000 words) using online conference tool available at: <<u>www.slovakecon.sk/seam2015</u>>.
- Submission deadline is **June 15, 2015**.
- Selection committee consists of members of the Slovak Economic Association.
- Program Committee will notify participants by June 31, 2015.

The organizers launch a **Best Student Paper Award** to reward high quality papers selected from among those presented at the conference. The papers can be single-authored or co-authored with another graduate or PhD. student. Full version of these student papers must be submitted by August 31, 2015.

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You are more than welcome to attend the conference as a non-presenting participant. You will not be able to present your own research at the conference, but you can take part in our scientific and social program. However, number of non-presenting participants is limited, so please contact local organizers for your registration.

Further information available at: <<u>www.slovakecon.sk/seam2015</u>> You can contact the local organizers by e-mail: <<u>seam2015@slovakecon.sk</u>>