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Economics Literature (eLit)
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World Journal of Applied Economics

DATES & VENUE

Dates 26-28 August 2020

Venue Georgian Aviation University (The conference will be held online with Zoom infrastructure due to Covid-19 measures.)

REGISTRATION

Online registration.

SESSIONS

Sessions at EconWorld2020@ Tbilisi Conference are in English. Each session is moderated by a Moderator. Each contributed paper will be presented orally for about 15 minutes and followed by maximum 5 min discussion. The Moderator may decide and change the order of presentations.



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PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

**Beware! Session hours are set to Georgian local time (UTC +4, Tbilisi).
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Wednesday, August 26, 2020

- 10:00-10:10** Opening
Vakhtang Charaia (Georgian Aviation University, GE)
Yilmaz Kılıçaslan (Anadolu University, TR)
- 10:10-10:50** Keynote Address
Mr. Teimuraz Murghulia
- 11:50-12:30** Coffee Break
- 12:30-13:30** Session W1B – Financial Economics
- 13:30-15:00** Lunch Break
- 15:00-16:00** Session W1C – Topics in Economics
- 16:00-16:30** Coffee Break
- 16:30-17:10** Keynote Address
Ali Akarca (University of Illinois at Chicago, USA)

Thursday, August 27, 2020

- 11:00-12:20** Session T1A – Macroeconomics and International Economics
- 12:20-12:40** Coffee Break
- 12:40-14:00** Session T1B – Topics in Economics
- 14:00-15:00** Lunch Break
- 15:00-16:00** Session T1C – Labor, Health and Demographics
- 16:00-16:30** Coffee Break
- 16:30-17:10** Keynote Address
Mr. Roman Bokeria (Director of Georgian Airlines)
- 17:10-17:15** Closing

Programme

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W1A – Opening Lecture

August 26, 2020; 10:10 – 10:50

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Rethinking development with Pandemic in mind.

Mr. Teimuraz Murghulia

(The Former Vice Minister at Ministry of Education, Science, Culture and Sport of Georgia, GE)

Moderator: **Vakhtang Charaia** (Georgian Aviation University, GE)

W1B – Financial Economics

August 26, 2020; 12:30 – 13:30

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What Hedging Tools Should Be Used to Cover Cyber risks?

Wissem Ajili Ben Youssef (ESLSCA Paris Business School, FR)

Evaluation of financial liberalization in Chile and Indonesia: A comparative study

Nawal Bouchentouf (TLEMEN University, DZ)

Taieb Fettane (TLEMEN University, DZ)

The Impact of Investor-State Dispute Settlement Mechanism on Cross-Border Mergers and Acquisitions

Julan Du (Chinese University of Hong Kong, HK)

Yifei Zhang (Beijing Normal University – Hong Kong Baptist University United International College, HK)

Moderator: **Yilmaz Kılıçaslan** (Anadolu University, TR)

W1C – Topics in Economics

August 26, 2020; 15:00 – 16:00

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Impact of Trade with ASEAN on India's Employment in Industrial Sector

Devasmita Jena (Madras School of Economics, IN)

Management solutions for smart logistics in smart cities

Dániel Orosz (University of Miskolc, HU)

Tamás Faludi (University of Miskolc, HU)

The challenges of Georgian pension reform

Shota Gulbani (Caucasus International University, GE)

Moderator: **Vakhtang Charaia** (Georgian Aviation University, GE)

W1D – Keynote Speech

August 26, 2020; 16:30 – 17:10

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Three Types of Populism and the Dynamics which Give Rise to them

Ali Akarca – University of Illinois at Chicago, USA

Moderator: **Yılmaz Kılıçaslan** (Anadolu University, TR)

T1A – Macroeconomics and International Economics

August 27, 2020; 11:00 – 12:20

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Trade, Structural Transformation and Income Convergence: An Analysis of the ASEAN Experiences

Devasmita Jena (Madras School of Economics, IN)

Inflation Dynamics in India: P-Star Approach

Nandini Sud (Panjab University, IN)

Manufacturing as an Engine of growth in India

Eva Thakur (Panjab University, IN)

Financing a Black Box

Felix Zhiyu Feng (University of Washington, US)

Moderator: **Vakhtang Charaia** (Georgian Aviation University, GE)

T1B – Topics in Economics

August 27, 2020; 12:40 – 14:00

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Social Sustainability of Public Debt in the Context of MENA Countries: Egypt, Lebanon, Morocco, Tunisia, and Turkey

Wissem Ajili Ben Youssef (ESLSCA Paris Business School, FR)

Hassen Ayoub (Lebanese University, LB)

Effects of Fiscal Devaluation on the Innovation Sector and Market Structure

Jin Sui (ESSEC Business School, FR)

Economic Motivations of Global Players in the S. Caucasus

Vakhtang Charaia (Georgian Aviation University, Tbilisi State University, GE)

Impact of the COVID-19 crisis on tourism in MENA countries: A case study of Tunisia

Nadia Mansour (University of Sousse, TN)

Salha Ben Salem (University of Monastir, TN)

Moderator: **Yilmaz Kılıçaslan** (Anadolu University, TR)

T1C – Labor, Health and Demographics

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Gender Wage Gap: Evidence from South Korea
Kyeongah Lee (Brandeis University, US)

Who pays the Ferryman? Implications of labour market reforms on Greek Industrial Relations Landscape

Theodore Koutroukis (Democritus University of Thrace, GR)

'More than One Red Herring'? Heterogeneous Effects of Ageing on Healthcare Utilisation

Cristina Vilaplana (University of Murcia, ES)
Joan Costa-Font (London School of Economics, GB)

Moderator: **Vakhtang Charaia** (Georgian Aviation University, GE)

W1D – Keynote Speech

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Covid-19 Pandemic's Effects and Challenges in Aviation Industry
Mr. Roman Bokeria (Director of Georgian Airlines, GE)

Moderator: **Vakhtang Charaia** (Georgian Aviation University, GE)

T1E – Closing

August 27, 2020; 17:10 – 17:15

Yılmaz Kılıçaslan (Anadolu University, TR)
Vakhtang Charaia (Georgian Aviation University, GE)

