





# **VI International Scientific Conference**

# 21st CENTURY CHALLENGES FOR ECONOMICS AND CULTURE

**PROGRAMME** 



The 6th International Scientific Conference organized by the University College of Economics and Culture, Alberta College and Walsh College is a great opportunity for academicians and researchers to presents the results of their studies, to establish new contacts with peers and to spent a wonderful time with colleagues in a friendly environment. This year we have an honour to host guests from Lithuania, Estonia, Poland, Czech Republic, Belorussia, Georgia, Kuwait, Israel, and Macedonia. We hope our conference will become a widely known event and meeting place for even larger number of participants from all over the world.

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# OPENING / PLENARY SESSION

# THURSDAY, APRIL 7

10.00 - 10.10	OPENING CEREMONY	
10.10 - 11.40	PLENARY SESSION	
	*	21st Century Challenges for the Banking Sector
	*	21st Century Challenges for Higher Education
	*	21st Century Challenges for IT industry
11.40 - 12.00	COFFEE BREAK	
12.00 - 13.30	PARALLEL SESSIONS	
13.30 - 14.30	LUNCH	
14.30 - 17.00	PARALLEL SESSIONS	

17.00 - 19.00 INTERNATIONAL EVENING (Venue: Lomonosova 1/5)

09.30 - 10.00 **REGISTRATION** 

# THURSDAY, APRIL 7

# Parallel Sessions 12.00 - 13.30

# 21ST CENTURY CHALLENGES FOR ECONOMY AND FINANCE

# **room 103**

Chairpersons - Dr. oec. Stanislavs Keišš (The University College of Economics and Culture); Dr. oec. Deniss Ščeulovs (Riga Technical University)

# Maris Plumins, Deniss Ščeulovs

Aspects of Competitiveness in Transport and Logistics Industry

# Rita Remeikiene, Ligita Gaspareniene, Gintare Grigaliune

Problematics of the Management of Receivables: Lithuanian Case

# Egidijus Bikas, Lina Jurevičiūtė

The Impact of the Tax Incentive on the Public Finance

#### Łukasz Marzantowicz

Fuel Prices as a Factor of Shaping Profitability of Road Transport in Poland

#### Jan T. Mróz

Political, Economic and Institutional Challenges of European Union in Next Decades of 21st Century

#### **Borisas Melnikas**

Contemporary Changes in Economy and Culture: New Ideas of Networks and Networking

# 21ST CENTURY CHALLENGES FOR LEGISLATION

**room 114** 

# Chairpersons - Dr. jur. Ērika Krutova; Mg. jur. Nataļja Verina

#### Daiga Sproģe

The Features of the Auction of a Debtor's Property in the Cross-Border Insolvency

### Jolanta Dinsberga

Problems of Terminating Legal Relations of Shared Ownership

#### **Gediminas Valantiejus**

Legal Aspects of the Implementation of the European Union's Common Commercial Police: Lithuanian Experience and Practice

#### Anna Saltikova, Natalja Verina

Components of Population's Legal Competency and Legal Skills Regarding Financial Issues

## Natalja Verina

Shortcomings of Legal Regulation on Documents' Preparation

# Karīna Tarasenko

Individual Extrajudicial Recovery of Debts

# Daina Pētersone

The Mediator's Legal Base Working with Clients

#### Dana Ābeltina

The Features and Problems of Cession's Legal Regulation

# 21st CENTURY CHALLENGES FOR INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES

**room 111** 

# Chairpersons - Mg.oec. Irina Šmatkova, Mg.sc.env. Andris Gabrānovs

# Mirosław Rewera, Jadwiga Daszykowska

Safety of Poles in the Cyberspace

# Irina Šmatkova, Andris Gabrānovs

Cyber security challenges and development in Latvia

# Rita Remeikiene, Ligita Gaspareniene

Evaluation of Digital Shadow Economy Prevention Measures

#### Ludmila Penicina

Open Access Activities in Latvian Higher Education

## Deniss Ščeulovs, Vladimir Shatrevich

Evaluation of E-Recruitment as a Business Model through Internet of Things Approach

#### Izabela Dembińska

The Impact of E-Commerce Development on the Warehouse Space Market in Poland

# 21ST CENTURY CHALLENGES FOR EDUCATION AND PEDAGOGY

**Room 115** 

# Chairpersons - Dr. paed. Larisa Turuševa; Mg. psych. Jekaterina Bierne

#### Michael Ben Jacob

Pedagogy of Financial Education among College Students

# Iveta Cirule, Ilmars Kreituss

The Importance of Entrepreneurship Education in Business Incubation at Higher Educational Institutions in Latvia

# Jekaterina Bierne, Jelena Titko

Effectiveness of E-Learning in Latvian Education Institutions

# Edīte Igaune, Ilze Liepa-Balode, Agnese Hermane

The Mutual Reciprocity of Education, Non-Formal Cultural Education and Social Capital

# Edgars Čerkovskis

Availability of Competent Workforce in the Future

# Irina Šmatkova

ICT skills development necessity in modern school

# **Parallel sessions 14.30 - 17.00**

## 21ST CENTURY CHALLENGES FOR ECONOMICS AND FINANCE

#### **room 103**

Chairpersons - Dr. oec. Staņislavs Keišš (The University College of Economics and Culture); Dr. oec. Deniss Ščeulovs (Riga Technical University)

#### Daiva Jurevičienė, Darius Rauličkis

Analysis of Financial and Economic Indicators Application to Firm Probability of Default in Commercial Banks

#### **Borisas Melnikas**

Global Transformations: The Networking Society and Networks Based Economy Creation

# Rasa Aleknavičiūtė, Viktorija Skvarciany, Simona Survilaitė

The Role of Human Capital for National Innovation Capability in EU Countries

#### Veslav Kuranovic

Economic and Cultural Cooperation between Partners from China and Baltic Region: Possibilities, Problems and Priorities

#### Bahman Peyravi

Experiences of the Innovation Activities in the Baltic Region: Possibilities of the Transfer to the South East European Countries

# Justine Sophia Jaunzeme

Combining Environmental and Spatial Discount Rates for Valuation of Assets According to International Financial Reporting Standards

# Dushko Josheski, Dimitar Eftimoski

Application of the Extended IS-MP-IA Model and the Taylor Rule in Selected CESEE Economies

#### Stanislavs Keišs

Business Environment in Latvia and its Assessment in the Ratings of International Organizations

#### Stanislavs Keišs, Alla Serjogina

The Foreign Trade Policy of the EU and the Economic Development of Latvia

# 21ST CENTURY CHALLENGES FOR CULTURE AND HUMANITIES

**Room 115** 

# Chairpersons - Mg. sc.edu. Zane Veidenberga; Mg.sc.env. Kaspars Šteinbergs

# Juri Tereštšenkov, Viktorija Skvarciany

Quality of Life: Interface between Cultural Specificities and Social Progress

# Lukasz Szwejka

**CCTV** Deployment and Crime Prevention

#### Andrei G. Zavaliv

A Virtue-Based Approach to Professional Ethics: An Advice from Aristotle

# Jekaterina Vozņuka

Positioning of Latvian towns and its meaning for travel destination marketing

#### Jelena Budanceva, Jekaterina Bierne, Ināra Kantāne

Titanic the exhibition influence on suburb perceived attractiveness and inhabitants' subjective wellbeing

#### Inga Milēviča

Cinema Text and Translation: An Adaptation Strategy and Tactics

#### Kristīne Zilauce

Analysis of Paratextual Elements in Medical Scientific Articles in Latvian and English

# Margarita Spirida

Discursive analysis of evaluation in media coverage of the Latvian presidency of the Council of the European Union

#### Aija Poikāne-Daumke

The Concept of Trauma in the Context of Andrew Ezergailis's Narrative Agony of Leaves

# Jérôme Dumetz

The Empires Strike Back?

# Mindaugas Butkus, Kristina Matuzevičiūtė.

Evaluation of EU Cohesion Policy Impact on Regional Convergence: Does Culture Differences Matters?

#### Zane Veidenberga.

Transfer of the Implied Values of Diminutives: the English Translation of Sandra Kalniete's Book *With Dance Shoes in Siberian Snows* 

# 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY CHALLENGES FOR BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, MARKETING AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Chairpersons: Dr. phil., Velga Vēvere; Dr. oec. Jeļena Titko

# Bogdan Więckiewicz, Piotr T. Nowakowski

The Impact of the Financial Situation on the Operative Effectiveness of Polish Families

#### **Ieva Zaumane**

Internal Communication Challenges in 21st Century Organization

#### **Ieva Zemīte**

The Role of Stakeholders in Cultural Entrepreneurship Management

# Nataļja Verina, Jeļena Titko

Tax Governance as a Part of Corporate Social Responsibility

# Jelena Titko, Viktorija Skvarciany

Operating Income in Retail Banking: Case of Latvian and Lithuanian Market

# Oksana Lentjushenkova, Jelena Titko

Intellectual Capital Investments: Perceptions of Latvian Entrepreneurs

#### Velga Vēvere, Iveta Līnina

Ethical Leadership: Meaning and Measurement. Latvian Retail Traders' Perspective

# Aleksandra Lezgovko

Theoretical Aspects and Development of the Mechanism for Risk Management in Small and Medium-Sized Business

# Marcin Komańda

Communicating about a Business Model within an Organisation in the Opinion of Czechs and Polish

#### Hanna Soroka-Potrzebna

Risk in Opinion of Microentrepreneurs – Chance or Threat?

#### Yulia Vailunova, Galina Yaheva

Integration of Communication as a Tool to Improve the Competitiveness of Enterprises of the Republic of Belarus

# FRIDAY, APRIL 8

**10.00 - 10.30 WELCOME COFFEE** 

10.30 – 13.00 PANEL DISCUSSION "Does the Labour Market Still Require Economists and Lawyers?"

(discussion in Latvian)

**Discussion participants:** 

**Normunds Ozols** Ekonomikas ministrijas Ekonomiskās attīstības un darba tirgus prognozēšanas nodaļas vadītājs

Baiba Medvecka Valsts pārvaldes cilvēkresursu nodaļas vadītāja

**Inese Kamarūte** SIA Fontes grupa vecākā konsultante

**Oļegs Krasnopjorovs** Latvijas Bankas Monetārās politikas pārvaldes Makroekonomikas analīzes daļas galvenais

ekonomists

**Eva Selga** Latvijas Personāla vadīšanas asociācijas valdes priekšsēdētāja

**Līga Menģelsone** LDDK ģenerāldirektore

13.00 - 14.00 LUNCH

14.00 - 15.00 CONFERENCE CLOSING

16.00 - 17.30 PANEL DISCUSSION (for International Academic Week 2016 participants)

"Progress of the project Innovative Strategic Partnership for European Higher Education"

18.00 - 20.00 GALA DINNER