

19th International Scientific Conference on Economic and Social Development

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Melbourne, Australia, 09-10 February, 2017

Venue: College of Law and Justice, Victoria University, 295 Queen St., Melbourne, VIC, Australia, 3000

First Day, February, 9th 2017	Individual arrival of delegates
17:00 – 18:30	Registration at Conference Desk - Refreshment
Second Day, February 10th 2017	Presentations
09:30 – 11:00	Plenary Session I. – Opening Ceremony
<p>1. Li Yongqiang ■ SMALL BUSINESS IN THE DISRUPTIVE TECHNOLOGY ERA: CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES</p> <p>2. Petar Kurecic, Marin Milkovic, Filip Kokotovic ■ AN INTRODUCTION TO EMPIRIC APPROACH TO THE RESOURCE CURSE PHENOMENON IN SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING STATES (SIDS)</p> <p>3. Chittawan Chanagul ■ FACTORS DETERMINING SUICIDE RATES IN THAILAND</p> <p>4. Natasa Urbancikova ■ CROSS BORDER CLUSTER INITIATIVES FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SUPPORT</p> <p>5. Zahra Khodae ■ THE IMPACT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (IT) IN HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT</p> <p>6. Elena Minina ■ EDUCATIONAL MODERNISATION AND THE NEOLIBERAL HIJACKING OF A WELFARE STATE: THE CASES OF SWEDEN, THE UK, AND RUSSIA</p> <p>7. Baburam Niraula ■ EFFECT OF EMIGRATION ON WAGE EARNINGS IN NEPAL</p>	
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee Break
11:30 – 13:00	Plenary Session II.
<p>8. Petar Kurecic, Goran Kozina, Filip Kokotovic ■ REVISITING THE DEFINITION OF SMALL STATE THROUGH THE USE OF RELATIONAL AND QUANTITATIVE CRITERIA</p> <p>9. Bodo Herzog ■ MODELLING OF THE POLITICAL BUDGET CYCLE AND THE IMPACT OF TRANSPARENCY</p> <p>10. Oto Hudec ■ SMART COMMUNITIES AND SOCIAL INNOVATORS</p> <p>11. Violeta Vidacek-Hains, Ana Marija Staba ■ EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT FOR STUDENTS FROM UNDER-REPRESENTED GROUPS SUPPORTED WITH INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY</p> <p>12. Koorosh Gharehbaghi, Christina Scott-Young, Amrit Sagoo ■ INVENTIVE HIGHER EDUCATION: A BLENDING PASSAGE</p> <p>13. Melita Kozina ■ QUALITY IMPROVEMENT IN PRACTICE OF IT SERVICE MANAGEMENT</p> <p>14. Ching-Yuan Huang, Rhay-Hung Weng ■ NEGATIVE MENTORING EXPERIENCE QUESTIONNAIRE DESIGN AND TESTING</p>	
13:00 – 14:00	Conference Lunch
14:00 – 15:30	Plenary Session III.
<p>15. Bill Swannie ■ THE SHARE ECONOMY AND SHORT-TERM ACCOMMODATION: RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN VICTORIA</p> <p>16. Bitra Suyatno, Anona F. Armstrong, Keith Thomas ■ BARRIERS TO WHISTLEBLOWING INTENTIONS AND REPORTING CHANNEL PREFERENCES</p> <p>17. Anona F. Armstrong, Ronald D. Francis, Heath S. Grow ■ ETHICAL ISSUES IN THE EMPLOYMENT OF EXPATRIATE LEADERS IN CORPORATIONS</p> <p>18. Kumudini Heenetigala, Anona F. Armstrong ■ CREDIBILITY OF SUSTAINABILITY REPORTS OF MINING SECTOR COMPANIES IN AUSTRALIA: AN INVESTIGATION OF EXTERNAL ASSURANCE</p> <p>19. Hong-Bae Kim ■ THE PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT WITH ISLAM EQUITY IN KOREA STOCK MARKET</p> <p>20. Doureige Jurdi, Hayat Khan, Rabie Said ■ FINANCIAL LIBERALIZATION AND STOCK MARKET DEVELOPMENT IN THE MENA REGION</p> <p>21. Dimity Peter, Gillian Macnaughton ■ SOCIAL INCLUSION: A KEY TO EFFECTIVE AND EQUITABLE SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT</p>	
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 – 17:30	Plenary Session IV.
<p>22. Karim Mh (Karim Koshteh), Karim Mohammad Elyas, Shakeri Fakher Samira, Arabi Hossein (Adib) ■ STRATEGIC PLANNING FOR SUSTAINABLE TOURISM DEVELOPMENT IN CENTRAL ZAGROS MOUNTAINS</p> <p>23. Alexandra Mittelman, Boris Mucha, Tomas Peracek ■ SECURITIES AND ITS CHARACTERS AS THE PART OF THE CAPITAL MARKET OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC</p> <p>24. Alexandra Mittelman, Boris Mucha, Tomas Peracek ■ SECURITIES AND ITS THEORETIC – LEGAL FORMULATION NOT ONLY IN THE CONDITIONS OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC</p> <p>25. Natalia Nehrebecka, Aneta Dzik-Walczak ■ COLLATERAL AND BANK CREDIT – A PUZZLE</p> <p>26. Blanka Simundic ■ THE SOCIO-ECONOMIC DETERMINANTS OF TOURISM DEMAND: THE CASE OF PUSH FACTORS IN AN EMITIVE REGION</p>	
17:30 – 18:00	Closing Discussion