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## 3<sup>RD</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON „URBAN AND REGIONAL ECONOMICS”

### THE ANNUAL MEETING OF EUROPEAN REGIONAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION – POLISH SECTION

11-12 JUNE 2015  
KATOWICE, POLAND

KEYNOTE SPEAKER  
PROF. JULIE LeGALLO  
UNIVERSITÉ DE FRANCHE-COMTÉ  
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#### SUBMISSION

Please submit a complete paper\* or an abstract up to 1000 words, including:

- name(s) and affiliation of author(s)
- title of the paper/abstract
- objective(s)
- method(s)
- results
- keywords

to  
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\* full papers are most welcomed by all participants; applicants for ERSO young researcher prize should obligatory submit their research paper

#### CONFERENCE FEE

75 EUR (or 250 PLN) – doctoral students  
100 EUR (or 400 PLN) – RSAI, ERSO members  
150 EUR (or 600 PLN) – non-member participants  
Conference fee includes: lunches, coffee breaks, official dinner, conference materials

#### VENUE

Building of Center for New Information Technologies (CNTI)  
Address: Bogucicka Street 5, Katowice  
<http://www.ue.katowice.pl/jednostki/cnti.html>

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The conference has the aim to bring together scientific and professional knowledge on functional urban areas as well as relevant national and regional urban policies. The academic debate will focus on answering questions related to delimitation, development strategies and policies supporting FUAs. Last but not least, the meeting will be a opportunity to integrate academics and network future research projects in the field of urban and regional studies.

Submissions on the following themes are welcomed:

- functional urban areas and relevant policies (conference key theme)
- innovation in cities
- regional specialization
- interactions in regional development
- land use policy for cities and regions
- EU regional policy and its impact on cities and regions
- urban and metropolitan governance
- economic resilience of metropolitan regions and agglomerations
- urban and regional regeneration
- urban and regional competitiveness and entrepreneurship
- urban and regional public services and infrastructure

Important dates:

- 31 MARCH 2015 Abstract submission deadline and  
ERSO young researcher prize (Ph.D. students) submission  
| *two best papers to be awarded with fee waiver  
and travel/accommodation refund up to 200 EUR* |
- 22 APRIL 2015 Notification of acceptance
- 30 APRIL 2015 Registration ends / final date for fee payment
- 8 JUNE 2015 Submission of ppt presentations for conference
- 30 JUNE 2015 Final paper submission deadline

All reviewed and accepted papers will be issued in JOURNAL OF ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT, EKONOMIA or STUDIA REGIONALIA.

