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## 4<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON URBAN AND REGIONAL ECONOMICS “Contemporary Urban Policy – European Perspective”

12-13 October 2017, Katowice

Conference website: [www.ue.katowice.pl/ure](http://www.ue.katowice.pl/ure)

### Conference objectives:

The conference will bring together academics, policymakers and practitioners to take stock of the developments in the interdisciplinary urban studies and related questions of urban policy, urban governance and collaborative planning. The meeting will seek to better understand the ideas of participatory approach to urban development and discuss new concepts such as urban commons, cooperative cities and sharing cities. Last but not least, the meeting will be a opportunity to integrate academics and discuss future research projects in the field of urban and regional studies.

### Conference themes:

1. Urban policy – theory and practice
2. Collaborative planning in cities
3. Urban and metropolitan governance
4. Urban commons and city as a commons
5. Sharing economy, circular economy and urban development
6. Urban regeneration strategies, tools and projects
7. Urban laboratories and experimental economics in urban studies

### Important dates:

30 August 2017	Abstract submission
4 September 2017	Notification of acceptance
15 September 2017	Registration and fee payment
12-13 October 2017	4 <sup>th</sup> International Conference
20 October 2017	Paper submission deadline

### Registration and submission guideline:

Please fill in registration form and submit an abstract using conference website: [www.ue.katowice.pl/ure](http://www.ue.katowice.pl/ure)  
All reviewed and accepted papers will be published in “STUDIA REGIONALIA”, “JOURNAL OF ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT” and other reviewed publications.

### Chair of Local Organizing Committee:

Prof. Krystian Heffner (Head of Department of Spatial and Environmental Economics, University of Economics in Katowice)

### 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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### Conference fees:

Participants from abroad	Participants from Poland
<b>100 EURO</b> (including: conference bag, lunches and coffee breaks, dinner, cost of publication). <b>Accommodation and travel costs are paid by each participants individually.</b> Please include your full name and annotation “Urban Economics” on the bank transfer.	<b>400 PLN</b> (including: conference bag, lunches and coffee breaks, dinner, cost of publication) <b>Accommodation and travel costs are paid by each participants individually.</b> Please include your full name and annotation “Urban Economics” on the bank transfer.
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**We are looking forward to see you in Katowice!**