



University of Maribor

Faculty of Economics and Business



14TH INTERNATIONAL WEEK

»CONTEMPORARY CHALLENGES IN ECONOMIC AND
BUSINESS RESEARCH«





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Invitation

Dear precious colleagues,

It is a great pleasure to invite you to the **»14th International week«** hosted by the University of Maribor, **Faculty of Economics and Business**, in Maribor **18 - 22 May, 2020**.

The purpose of the International week is to enhance and intensify the international collaboration with our partner institutions. The principal aim of this International week is thus to increase student mobility and the recognition of our partner institutions among our students and academic staff by promoting international studies and international mentality to students.



4TH INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE 'CONTEMPORARY CHALLENGES IN ECONOMIC AND BUSINESS RESEARCH'

19 MAY, 2020

We invite you to participate at the 4rd International Scientific Conference 'Contemporary Challenges in Economic and Business Research' which will take place on **19 May, 2020** at the Faculty of Economics and Business in Maribor providing an opportunity to present your research results within any topic related economics and business. The papers presented at the Conference will be considered (double-blind review process) in Naše gospodarstvo / Our Economy journal, which is being published at University of Maribor, Faculty of Economics and Business. Please find all necessary Information in a separate attachment.

TOPICS OF LECTURES, PRESENTATIONS AND WORKSHOPS (18 – 22 MAY, 2020)

The International week programme comprises different lectures, presentations, workshops and round-table discussions delivered by visiting lecturers from our partner universities on various topics which are connected to economics and business studies.

PARTICIPANTS

The participants of the International week are lecturers of business and economics subjects from our partner institutions. The International week is also open to non-academic staff such as coordinators, administrative staff to share best practices and visit lectures and seminars. The students attending the lectures are both Slovene and international who are studying at the Faculty of Economics and Business at bachelor's and master's levels.



SOCIAL PROGRAMME

You are warmly invited to join us in city tour of Maribor as well in tour in Winag wine cellar!

COSTS

There is no participation fee. The participants should cover their travel and accommodation costs through Erasmus+ mobility programme (TSM-Teaching Staff Mobility and Staf Mobility).

REGISTRATION

The registration is open until 15th April 2020. Application form is also attached.

Feel free to share this information with anyone who might be interested in applying for it. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact us!

**We are looking forward to seeing you
in Maribor, Slovenia!**

Yours faithfully,
International Relations Office

14TH INTERNATIONAL WEEK

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

18 - 22 MAY 2020

18th May, 2020 (Monday)

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Lectures (TSM), presentations (ST) and workshops by participants
(Location and schedule will be sent later)

19th May, 2020 (Tuesday)

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4th International Scientific Conference "Contemporary challenges in economic and business research"

8.30 - 9.00	Registration
9.00 - 9.15	Conference opening addresses
9.15 - 10.00	Plenary lecture - Keynote speaker
10.00 - 17.30	Paper presentations (*with lunch break)
19.00	*International week dinner

20th May, 2020 (Wednesday)

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Lectures (TSM), presentations (ST) and workshops by participants
(Location and schedule will be sent later)

Social programme:

16.00	*City guided tour
17.30	*Vinag wine cellar tour and wine tasting

*Lunch, dinner and social programme are organized by FEB they are free of charge of International week participants.

21th May, 2020 (Thursday)

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Lectures (TSM), presentations (ST) and workshops by participants
(Location and schedule will be sent later)

22th May, 2020 (Friday)

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Lectures (TSM), presentations (ST) and workshops by participants
(Location and schedule will be sent later)



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APPLICATION FORM

INTERNATIONAL WEEK

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PERSONAL DATA

Full Name (first name/family name)	
Department	
Area	
Position	
Contact details (e-mail address and phone number)	
Spoken language(s)	

HOME UNIVERSITY

Official Name (in English)	
Address	
ERASMUS Code	
Name & contact details of Erasmus Coordinator	

DATE OF ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE:

Arrival	
Departure	

TOPIC(S) OF THE LECTURES (TSM) OR PRESENTATIONS OR
TRAINING (ST):

(Please state min. three topics which you would like to lecture during the International week):

Level of English

INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE 'CONTEMPORARY CHALLENGES IN
ECONOMIC AND BUSINESS RESEARCH:

Would you also like to participate at the Conference?

YES

NO

If yes, please send us also the registration form for the
Conference!

ACCOMODATION

Please, make the hotel reservation by yourself!

Hotel Bajt

Link: <http://www.hotel-bajt.com/en/>

Hotel Maribor – city center

Link: <http://hotelmarihor.si/sl/vstopna-stran/>

Hotel City – city center

Link: <http://www.hotelcitymb.si/en/>

Hotel Tabor

Link: <http://www.hotel-tabor-maribor.si/en/>

Mercure Maribor City Center

Link: <https://www.term-maribor.si/en/hotels/mercure-maribor-city-center>

Ibis Styles Maribor City Center

Link: <https://www.term-maribor.si/en/hotels/ibis-styles-maribor-city-center>

Hotel Habakuk

Link: <https://www.term-maribor.si/en/hotels/hotel-habakuk>

Date: _____

Signature of Applicant

Date: _____

Signature and stamp of Erasmus
Coordinator of Home University

Please return your application form by e-mail to IRO
sanja.kocijan@um.si
until Monday, 15 April 2020!



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4TH INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE »CONTEMPORARY CHALLENGES IN ECONOMIC AND BUSINESS RESEARCH«

CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

19 MAY, 2020

FACULTY ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS, UNIVERSITY OF MARIBOR, MARIBOR, SLOVENIA

You are invited to the 4th International Conference organized by Faculty of Economics and Business, University of Maribor. This year the conference is entitled **»Contemporary Challenges in Economic and Business Research«** and it provides the opportunity to present your research results related to economics and business.

Abstract submission

We invite you to submit abstracts in English for the delivery of 15-minute presentations at the conference. The submission deadline is **28 February, 2020**. Please, use the attached form and send it to feb.conference2020@um.si. The file name should be the first author's surname. All abstracts will be reviewed by the conference committee and the authors will be notified of acceptance by **15 March, 2020**. All accepted abstracts will be published in a Book of Abstracts.

Papers

All participants of the conference will be invited to submit their full text papers for consideration of publication (upon double blind review process) to **Naše Gospodarstvo / Our Economy** Journal with no submission fee. The papers, written in English, should be e-mailed to nase.gospodarstvo@um.si or our.economy@um.si by **25 June, 2020** at the latest.

Naše Gospodarstvo / Our Economy Journal is an international open access, peer reviewed, scientific journal, published continuously since 1955 by University of Maribor, Faculty of Economics and Business (Slovenia). The journal is indexed in EconLit, EBSCO, ERIH PLUS, DOAJ, ProQuest, RePEc and numerous other databases (<https://content.sciendo.com/view/journals/ngoe/ngoe-overview.xml>).

Conference registration

Please note that the speakers have to register for the conference. The registration is free of charge.

Key dates:

January, 2020	Call for abstracts open
28 February, 2020	Deadline for abstracts submission
15 March, 2020	Notification abstract acceptance
6 April, 2020	Registration for the conference
25 June, 2020	Deadline for full papers submission

For more information please contact:

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Name and surname	
Academic title	
University / Affiliation	
Participation	I would like to attend the conference as: <div> <div>Presenter</div> <div>Listener only</div> </div>
Title of the paper	
(for presenters only)	
Address	
E-mail	
Phone no. (optional)	
Fax no. (optional)	
Additional information (if applicable) – SCHENGEN VISA	
Schengen visa required	<div>YES</div> <div>NO</div>
Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	
Nationality	
National identity number	

Registration deadline for authors / presenters is 6th April, 2020.

For presenters: *I confirm that at least one author of the paper stated above plans to attend the conference and present the paper.*

Date: _____

Signature: _____

All presentation rooms are equipped with a Windows-based computer, Internet connection and an LCD projector. If you need any additional A/V equipment, let us know and we will do our best to provide it.

Special A/V requests: _____

PLEASE SEND BY E-MAIL THE COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM TO:

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ABSTRACT SUBMISSION FORM

TITLE OF THE PAPER	
FIRST AUTHOR	
Academic title	
Name and surname	
Organisation / Affiliation	
Affiliation address	
E-mail	
SECOND AUTHOR	
Academic title	
Name and surname	
Organisation / Affiliation	
Affiliation address	
E-mail	
THIRD AUTHOR*	
Academic title	
Name and surname	
Organisation / Affiliation	
Affiliation address	
E-mail	

***If applicable, add other authors below.**

The abstract should be written in English. The deadline for abstract submission is **28 February, 2020**. **Write your abstract on the next page.** When naming the file containing your abstract, follow this format: **Surname of the first author_Abstract.**

PLEASE, E-MAIL THE ABSTRACT TO:

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WRITE YOUR ABSTRACT HERE

Title of the Paper (font: Times New Roman; size 14; bold, regular)

¹NAME SURNAME, ²NAME SURNAME, ³NAME SURNAME, (Font: Times New Roman, size 10, regular)

Abstract

The abstract should not exceed the maximum of 250 words. Please, clearly state the aim of your paper and the conclusions relevant to conference topic. Do not include references in the abstract. (Font: Times New Roman, size 10, regular, single line spacing).

Keywords: Keyword 1, Keyword 2, Keyword 3, Keyword 4, Keyword 5 (Font: Times New Roman, size 10, regular)