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**2nd International Scientific Conference  
“Migration, Diaspora and Economic Development”  
15-16 November, 2018, Faculty of Economics,  
University of Prishtina “Hasan Prishtina”,  
Prishtina, Kosovo  
Conference Programme**

**Thursday, 15 November, 2018**

14:00 - 15:30	<p><b>Chair:</b> Prof. Dr. Jovan Zafiroski, Univeristy St Cyril and Methodius, Macedonia</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Small Amphitheatre of the Faculty of Economics</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Blerim Morina, Zylehaje Jashari:</b> Role of Diaspora in Economic Development of Kosovo "Remittances as consumption or as opportunities for development"</li> <li>- <b>Mjellma Carabregu Vokshi, Adel Ben Youssef:</b> ICT Use and its Impact on Poverty Reduction – Evidence from Kosova</li> <li>- <b>Behare Sholla Avdiu:</b> Developments in the Banking Sector of European Transition Economies</li> <li>- <b>Vedat Morina, Flamur Kaçiu:</b> Kosovo’s Customers Preferences Toward Turkish Products</li> </ul>
15:30-16:00	<b>Coffee break</b>
16:00-17:00	<p><b>Plenary Session VI: Conference Closing Ceremony</b></p> <p><b>Chair:</b> Prof. Dr. Sabri Boubaker, South Champagne Business School, Troyes, France</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Small Amphitheatre of the Faculty of Economics</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Distribution of the Certificate</b></li> <li>- <b>Alessandra Roccasalvo,</b> Deputy Resident Representative- United Nations Development Programme</li> <li>- <b>But Dedaj,</b> Dean of the Faculty of Economics of the University of Prishtina</li> </ul>

09:00 – 9:30	<p>Registration of participants</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Great Amphitheatre of the Faculty of Economics</p>
09:30–10:30	<p><b>Plenary Session I: Welcome speeches</b></p> <p><b>Moderation:</b> Prof. Dr. Aferdita Berisha - Shaqiri</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Great Amphitheatre of the Faculty of Economics</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>But Dedaj,</b> Dean of the Faculty of Economics of the University of Prishtina “Hasan Prishtina”</li> <li>- <b>Marjan Dema,</b> Rector of the University of Prishtina “Hasan Prishtina”</li> <li>- <b>Besim Beqaj,</b> Minister, Ministry of Innovation and Entrepreneurship</li> <li>- <b>Izmi Zeka,</b> Deputy Minister, Ministry of Internal Affairs</li> <li>- <b>Alessandra Roccasalvo,</b> Deputy Resident Representative- United Nations Development Programme</li> <li>- <b>Justina Pula-Shiroka,</b> Kosova Academy of Science and Arts</li> <li>- <b>Srdjan Redzepagic,</b> Professor, University Cote d’Azur, Nice, France</li> </ul>
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Coffee break</b>
11:00-13:00	<p><b>Plenary Session II: Keynote addresses</b></p> <p><b>Chair:</b> Prof. Dr. Adel Ben Youssef, University Cote d’Azur, Nice, France</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Small Amphitheatre of the Faculty of Economics</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Sabri Boubaker, Alexis Cellier, Asif Saeed:</b> Corporate Social Responsibility Practices and Financial Distress Risk</li> <li>- <b>Fateh Belaid:</b> The Role of Household Energy Saving Behavior in Shaping Energy Refurbishment Decisions</li> <li>- <b>Discussion</b></li> </ul>

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13:00 -14:00	Lunch Break
14:00-15:30	<b>Plenary Session III: Invited Speakers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Chair: Prof. Dr. Srdjan Redzepagic</b>, University Cote d'Azur, Nice, France</li> </ul> <b>Venue:</b> Small Amphitheatre of the Faculty of Economics
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Driton Qehaja:</b> Impact Analyses on Sustainable Reintegration of repatriated persons in Kosovo, Local UNDP Consultant on Reintegration of Repatriated</li> <li>- <b>Adel Ben Youssef:</b> Youth local political participation and illegal immigration decision: The case of Tunisia</li> <li>- <b>Jovan Zafiroski:</b> The crisis in the EU and its effects on the enlargement process</li> <li>- <b>Discussion</b></li> </ul>
15:30-16:00	Coffee break
16:00 - 18:00	Conference Paper Contributors
	<b>Chair: Prof. Dr. Fateh Belaid</b> , University Paris-Est/ CSTB, France <b>Venue:</b> Small Amphitheatre of the Faculty of Economics
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Adelina Zeqiri, Behare Sholla, Burim Prenaj, Fitor Murati, Fitore Kostanica, Luljeta Aliu, Marigona Geci, Rineta Hoxha:</b> Prospects And Challenges Of Kosovo Exporting Firms In The Light of Current Trade Developments: A Summary of Survey Results</li> <li>- <b>Srdjan Redzepagic:</b> FDI as a factor for economic development in selected European countries</li> <li>- <b>Burim Prenaj, Fitor Murati:</b> Overview of trends in the employment structure in Kosovo</li> <li>- <b>Fatinda Gashi:</b> Analysis of Technical Barriers to Trade in the CEFTA Context: Case of Kosovo and Bosnia &amp; Herzegovina</li> <li>- <b>Discussion</b></li> </ul>

## Friday, 16 November, 2018

09:30-10:30	<b>Plenary Session IV: Keynote addresses</b> <b>Chair: Prof. Dr. Adel Ben Youssef</b> , University Cote d'Azur, Nice, France <b>Venue:</b> Small Amphitheatre of the Faculty of Economics
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Xavier Richet:</b> The Balkans between enlargement and multi-speed Europe: what integration?</li> <li>- <b>Adel Ben Youssef:</b> Blockchain technology: What diffusion model (s)?</li> </ul>
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break
11:00-13:00	<b>Plenary Session V:</b> <b>Chair: Prof. Dr. Xavier Richet</b> , University Sorbonne Nouvelle, EHESS/FMSH, Paris, France <b>Venue:</b> Small Amphitheatre of the Faculty of Economics
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Blerim Morina, Albana Bashota:</b> Current impact and future prospects of ICT as a source of economic growth in the information age</li> <li>- <b>Adel Ben Youssef, Adelina Zeqiri:</b> Digitalization of the Tourism Industry: What Are The Impacts of The New Wave of Technologies</li> <li>- <b>But Dedaj, Luljeta Aliu:</b> Economic Structural Changes in the Worlds' Economy– Evidence From Developed And Developing Countries</li> <li>- <b>Teuta Ukshini:</b> Strategy of Social Media Usage on Achieving Business Objectives</li> <li>- <b>Discussion</b></li> </ul>
13:00 -14:00	Lunch Break
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