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The multidisciplinary conference encourages participation of teachers and researchers who are interested in the following **research areas**:  
- Insurance;  
- Corporate finance and investments;  
- Public finance;  
- Financial markets and institutions;  
- Macroeconomic stability;  
- Banking.  
The conference language is English.  

**Keynote speakers**  

**Professor Erich KIRCHLER, Ph.D.** (University of Vienna)  
**Associate Professor Alberto BAGNAI** (Gabriele d’Annunzio University)  
**Associate Professor Rui Henrique ALVES, Ph.D.** (University of Porto) – to be confirmed  

**Important deadlines**  

**Paper Submission Deadline:** January 18, 2015  

**Notification of paper acceptance/rejection:** February 16, 2015 by e-mail to the corresponding author.  

**Deadline for fee payment for accepted papers:** February 20, 2015  

**Submit the receipt confirming the payment of the conference fee** until February 23, 2015  

Paper presenters are expected to discuss one other paper during the conference FIBA 2015. The discussant assignments will be made by the conference organizers until **February 28, 2015**. Each paper will be send to the discussant by the conference organizers.  

**Conference:** March 26-27, 2015, Bucharest, Romania.  

**Conference venue:** FACULTY OF FINANCE, INSURANCE, BANKING AND STOCK EXCHANGE from Bucharest University of Economic Studies (address: 5-7 Mihail Moxa Street, Bucharest, Romania).  
Submission deadline for the revised papers that will be considered for publication according to the authors’ preferences and editorial process of the conference journals: April 30, 2015. Detailed information will be send to each participant by e-mail.

Papers will be evaluated for originality, significance, clarity, and contribution. Submitted papers must not have been previously published or currently submitted for publication elsewhere. At the conference will be accepted maximum two papers for each participant.

When submitting the papers, they will be accompanied by the registration form filled in entirely. Papers should be send as .doc files (Word 97-2003 Document). All the papers must be written in English. Papers should respect the template of selected journal according to the first option selected by the authors (see below). If the author chose not to publish, he/she could use a free template.

All submitted papers will be accepted to the conference based on a blind review process. During the conference the author will benefit by the recommendations of a discussant.

Publication Opportunity

All papers presented at the conference are eligible to be considered for publication in one of the following international peer-reviewed academic journals:

- Economic Computation and Economic Cybernetics Studies and Research is indexed in ISI Thomson (Science Citation Index Expanded, Social Sciences Citation Index®, Social Scisearch, Journal Citation Reports/Social Sciences Edition). The article template is available on http://www.ecocyb.ase.ro/Construction.htm

- Comparative Economic Studies is indexed in Economic Literature Index, Ex Libris / Primo Central, IBZ - International Bibliography of Periodical Literature on the Humanities and Social Sciences, IBR - International Bibliography of Book Reviews of Scholarly Literature on the Humanities and Social Sciences, International Bibliography of the Social Sciences, RePEc (Research Papers in Economics), SCOPUS, SSRN (Social Science Research Network). The article template is available on http://www.palgrave-journals.com/ces/author_instructions.html

- Review of Finance and Banking is indexed in CABBEL, DOAJ, EBSCO Publishing, EconLit, Index Copernicus, RePEc, EconPapers, Ideas and Ulrich. The article template is available on http://rfb.ase.ro/submission.asp

- Theoretical and Applied Economics is indexed in EconLit, RePEc, DOAJ, EBSCO Publishing and ICAAP. The article template is available on http://www.ectap.ro/theoretical-and-applied-economics-techno-editing-rules/
Romanian Journal of Fiscal Policy is indexed in ECONSTOR, DOAJ, Cabell's Directories, Ulrich's, FiF (Free Internet available Finance), EBSCO Publishing. The article template is available on http://www.rjfp.ro/index.php?page=guideforauthors

Budgetary Research Review is indexed in EconStor, Ulrich's, FlaF (www.buget-finante.ro/fiaf), ourGlocal Academic Resources. The article template is available on http://www.buget-finante.ro/brr/50

If authors chose to publish the paper, the final version of the papers must be send by e-mail (fiba@fin.ase.ro), with the required changes according to the discussant’s feed-back during the conference, until April 30, 2015. Papers will be reviewed for the above journals following their normal review criteria. Further information about the publishing process will be offered by the conference organizers and board of selected journals.

Conference fee

The conference fee is EUR 100 (or equivalent in lei at NBR exchange rate) for each paper. Discounted conference fee of EUR 70 is available for PhD students and it is applicable only if all the authors are PhD students.

The conference fee must be paid until February 20, 2015 by means of bank transfer to the bank account indicated on the conference website.

The fee payments are to be made by bank transfer, as follows:

Recipient: ASOCIATIA ROMANA DE FINANTE-BANCI – ROFIBA

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Address: 62A, Popa Tatu Street, section A, Sector 1, Bucharest, Romania

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Account no (IBAN EUR): RO28BFER120000008525EU02

Account no (IBAN RON): RO44BFER120000008525RO03

All bank transfers will bear the specification: “Conference 2015” followed by your full name.

After that date, participation to the conference is possible at a walk-in participation fee of EUR 150 (EUR 100 for PhD students), payable in cash during conference registration or by bank transfer beforehand.

The authors are invited to submit until February 23, 2015 the receipt confirming the payment of the fee. The fee payment will be confirmed until February 28, 2015 by the Organizing Committee of the conference after submitting the copy of the payment document.

It is the responsibility of the individual sending the submission fee by bank transfer to ensure that the entire registration fee reaches the final destination of BANCA COMERCIALA FEROVIARA.
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The fee covers registration, program, and access to all conference sessions, coffee breaks, lunch and festive dinner. The conference package will be available only for the authors who attend the event and present their paper. Participants are responsible for their travel and accommodation arrangements. The conference fee does not cover travel and accommodation costs.

**Details for the paper submission and conference registration**


Authors are invited to sign up for an account for FIBA 2015 to submit paper and registration form until **January 18, 2015**. The full paper and registration form will be loaded simultaneously using the options on the webpage [http://www.fin.ase.ro/FIBA2015/paper_submission.asp](http://www.fin.ase.ro/FIBA2015/paper_submission.asp).

Also, the receipt confirming the payment of the conference fee will be submitted using the Fee payment Login page with the same ID and password from the Paper submission account ([http://www.fin.ase.ro/FIBA2015/payment.asp](http://www.fin.ase.ro/FIBA2015/payment.asp)).

**Further information**


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