

# Minutes

---

RSAI MEETING LYON, FRANCE, 2019

RSAI Council Meeting – Aug. 29, 2019, Thursday, 2 pm-4 pm, room MILC 410

---

## **1. Apologies**

Mark Partridge welcomes Council members ex-officio members and invited members.

Council members attending the meeting include: Mark Partridge (RSAI President); Rachel Franklin (PRSCO President), Lily Kiminami (PRSCO Representative), Brian Kim (PRSCO Representative), Jouke Van Dijk (ERSA Representative), Francisco Carballo-Cruz (ERSA Representative and Treasurer stepping down), Andre Torre (ERSA President), Eduardo Haddad (LARSA representative), Amit Batabyal (Councillor at Large), Laurie Schindler (Councillor at Large, on-line), Rosella Nicolini (Councillor at Large); Sandy Dall'Erba (NARSC Representative), Peter Stenberg (NARSC Representative), Sumana Bandyopadhyay (Councillor at Large), Maria Abreu (Councillor at Large), and Andrea Caragliu (RSAI Executive Director).

Ex-officio members attending the meeting include: Roberta Capello (PiRS EiC, LRPC member) and Martijn Smit (RSAI Newsletter Editor).

Invited members attending the meeting include: Abdellatif Khattabi (AMSR President, Chair of the LOC of the 2020 Marrakech World Congress), and Carlos Azzoni (RSPP Editorial Board member).

Apologies from Council Members: Neil Reid (NARSC Executive Director) and Serena Eréndira Serrano Oswald (LARSA President).

## **2. Approval of the minutes of the San Antonio meeting**

The minutes of the Council meeting held in San Antonio, circulated two weeks before the Lyon meeting, are unanimously approved.

## **3. Report and Accounts of 2018**

Tomaz Dentinho is not participating in the Council. The document reporting on the 2018 budget is discussed by Mark Partridge, who stresses that RSAI evolved from less than 1,000 members at the beginning of the 21<sup>st</sup> century to roughly 4,500 members now. Andrea Caragliu adds that on the basis of the balance sheets frequently updated by the Administrative staff the RSAI's finances are in good shape.

Jouke Van Dijk congratulates on the new contract signed by RSAI with Wiley, which is supposed to deliver additional funding. Mark Partridge stresses that this is the result of a long lasting and intense bargaining process led on the side of the RSAI by Jean-Claude Thill. Sandy Dall'Erba asks how long the contract will be in service. Mark Partridge replies it is going to last 5 years. Roberta Capello adds she is very pleased by the renewed effort on the side of the RSAI in drastically reducing the backlog of online first papers.

#### **4. Election of RSAI President Elected 2019/Vice President 2020/President 2021-2022**

Eduardo Haddad is requested to leave the room.

The Council proceeds with the ballot. Eduardo Haddad wins a majority of the valid votes. Eduardo Haddad is elected President Elect.

Mark Partridge welcomes back Eduardo Haddad in the room and congratulates him on the new position. Eduardo Haddad says he will do his best to pay back the trust received.

#### **5. Election of new Treasurer**

Mark Partridge explains that Francisco Carballo-Cruz has decided to step down from his position as RSAI Treasurer. He also explains he contacted some potential candidates and that eventually the name is proposed is that of Serena Eréndira Serrano Oswald (LARSA President). Prof. Serrano Oswald's CV has been circulated prior to the Council meeting. A discussion of Serena Eréndira's qualifications took place.

Carlos Azzoni adds that Serena Eréndira is organizing the 2019 joint AMECIDER/LARSA meeting in Mexico City. Eduardo Haddad adds that he discussed with Serena Eréndira this possibility, and that he fully supports her candidature. Roberta Capello argues that the absence of a deadline for this position is a bit odd, and advises to modify by-law 6, where a maximum duration of this position could be added (e.g. 3 years). This item will be discussed at future RSAI Council meetings.

Prof. Eréndira Serrano Oswald is unanimously elected as new RSAI Treasurer.

#### **6. Candidates for Councillor at Large 2020-2022**

Mark Partridge synthesizes the profile of the three candidatures received for the only position as Councillor-At-Large available from Jan. 1 2020. The roster includes Prof. Garduno-Rivera (Mexico), Prof. Daniela Luminita-Constantin (Romania), and Prof. Yang Kaizhong (China). All candidates are deemed perfectly suitable for the job and the Council approves to have them voted with an online ballot after the deadline for submitting candidatures.

Maria Abreu asks whether the deadline for candidatures has expired. Andrea Caragliu replies candidatures are open until September 1, 2019. Further discussion of the candidates took place.

Andrè Torre suggests to summarize the discussion. Mark Partridge proposes to do as follows:

- Prof. Kaizhong cannot be appointed without an official election;
- Elections will take place on a regular basis;
- In case the outcome will see an election of Prof. Luminita-Constantin or Prof. Garduno-Rivera, he will get in touch with Prof. Kaizhong to test his willingness to join the RSAI Council for one year (2020) as an observer, in order to gradually get into RSAI matters and improve the RSAC's knowledge of how internal RSAI matters work.

Andrea Caragliu concludes saying that results of the election are going to be released online and officially reported to the Council in Pittsburgh.

## **7. Report of the RSAI Restructuring Committee**

Mark Partridge explains that the Committee met on Aug. 27, 2019 in Lyon. The meetings was attended by Mark Partridge (President), Kingsley Haines (LRPC member representative), Rachel Franklin (PRSCO delegate), Sumana Bandyopadhyay (IRSA Representative), Brian Kim (KRSA Representative), and Paul Snow (RSAC Representative) Geoffrey Hewings apologized for not being able to attend.

The main outcome of the meeting as reported by Mark Partridge are the following:

- For a temporary three-years period, PRSCO will accommodate all new sections recently formed, or currently forming, in the greater Asian region (thus also encompassing IRSA and RSAC).
- After this three-years period the larger PRSCO will split, to form two separate new supranationals; one, still with the name of PRSCO and that will arguably be similar to the current PRSCO, and another one, tentatively named Asian Regional Science Association (ARSA), with a main focus on central and continental Asia. Clearly, national sections will be free to decide to which supranational section they will confer.
- The possibility is left open for some of this sections to participate in both after-probation-period supranationals, following the model of WRSA (currently member of both NARSC and PRSCO).
- A lean team made up of Sumana Bandyopadhyay (IRSA Representative), Brian Kim (KRSA Representative), and Paul Snow (RSAC Representative) is suggested to handle all technical and managerial details of the new institutional setting. The team is expected to work from remote, meet as frequently as possible at major RSAI meetings, and report frequently to the RSAI Council about any progress during the probation period.

Rachel Franklin adds to this that individual member sections will be free to decide to which supranational they will participate. Jouke Van Dijk stresses that double membership (as presently allowed for WRSA) is an odd circumstance. Roberta Capello adds that she wishes double membership will be allowed only during the transition period. Rachel Franklin replies that she has no power to suggest where WRSA should eventually fall.

André Torre also adds that while it will be the RSAI Council's wish to avoid as much as possible double membership after the future split of PRSCO, it will crucial to explain country members the risks associated to double membership and the benefits due to one unique membership in either new supranational.

## **8. Status of the organization of the 2020 World Congress**

Mark Partridge asks Abdellatif Khattabi to report on the status of the organization of the 2020 World Congress.

Abdellatif Khattabi reports on the choice of the location (Mogador Palace Agdal, Marrakech, Morocco), with which a tentative agreement has already been set. Material on the web site is also being collected. He also reports that Mark Partridge and Andrea Caragliu successfully visited the congress premises in February and found it very attractive. Four keynote speakers have already confirmed their willingness to participate in the congress, with four of them (Alessandra Faggian, GSSI, Italy; Siqi Zheng, MIT, USA; Edward Glaeser, Harvard University, USA) already officially accepting the LOC's invitations, while a fourth speaker is still to be officially confirmed. André Torre adds he would like ERSa to be involved in the organization of the congress, since Morocco is an ERSa section.

Francisco Carballo-Cruz asks the reasons for a partial overlapping with the Portuguese section congress. Mark Partridge replies that calendar of RSAI activities is very dense, and no overlapping is almost impossible. Francisco Carballo-Cruz also asks why the congress was moved from the initial proposal of early April 2020 to

early June. Mark replies that this was done in order to avoid holding the world congress barely two weeks after the joint WRSA/PRSCO meeting in Hawaii, which would have prevented many Japanese and NARSC members from participating in the world congress. He also adds that similar prior experiences (e.g. the Bratislava ERSA congress and the Timisoara world congress both held in 2012) proved to be very successful and that no competition between the two events was felt.

Abdellatif Kahattabi leaves the room.

### **9. PiRS report 2019 (Roberta Capello)**

Roberta Capello explains that PiRS is doing very well. The backlog of online first papers has been dramatically decreased, and a new impact factor above 2 recently released makes PiRS among the most highly cited journals in the field. She adds that according to Scimago, in 2018 the total citations grew from 258 to 323. PiRS is now in the best quartile for what concerns both Environmental Science and Geography, Planning and Development. Finally, she adds that the total number of submissions has grown from 265 to 288, with a rather substantial rejection rate around 76%.

### **10.RSPP Report 2019 (Tomaz Dentinho)**

On behalf of Tomaz Dentinho, Carlos Azzoni says that RSPP is improving, although the expected impact factor is slightly declining. He also adds that the board has plans to expand the editorial board to make it more gender balanced in line with the Association's membership.

André Torre urges the RSAI to further strengthen the efforts towards the inclusion of more women in key positions.

### **11.Awards**

Given time limits, item 11 is skipped and postponed for discussion to the Pittsburgh Council.

### **12.Diversity in RSAI**

Mark Partridge reports on the analyses he and Andrea Caragliu carried out over the summer to verify the extent to which women and different geographical origins of our members are effectively involved in the organization and management of RSAI matters. Statistics suggest that a higher-than-average share of women hold key positions (such as editorial board memberships, award committees, etc.), and the same applies to ERSA representatives with respect to other supranationals. However, the issue is important and he proposes the formation of a committee to regularly monitor the evolution of this matter.

Rachel Franklin argues that the problem has been on the table for quite some time and that she sees little progress. She also adds it would be important to start collecting information on the gender and age of RSAI members, and that more women should be coopted to RSAI activities, committees, and awards. Lastly, she also suggests to set up a quota system whereby for each award and committee a given share of positions is reserved for women.

Amit Batabyal also stresses he feels there exists also a racial bias in the life of the Association, which needs to be addressed.

Maria Abreu adds that all diversity dimensions should indeed be addressed, in order to guarantee maximum diversity in the Association activities. In this sense, Jouke Van Dijk advises to consider renewing the institutional framework of the RSAI, in order to create a more modern structure capable of dealing with these issues.



Rosella Nicolini suggests caution in setting quotas for women, since this would prompt the Council to potentially select people not up to the complexity of the task undertaken.

### **13.Constraints in the decision-making for selecting Committee members**

This item is not discussed because of the lack of time.

### **14.Activation of the Committee for selecting Nurturing Talent Initiatives proposals**

Andrea Caragliu notifies the Council that after a council decision made at the Cork council meeting in 2018 a selection committee, made up of the RSAI President, President Elect, Executive Director, and one representative for each supranational, was tasked the selection of nurturing talent initiatives submitted each year to the RSAI.

André Torre welcomes this decision and looks forward to the works of the Committee. Andrea Caragliu reminds the Council that the deadline for receiving nurturing talent applications is Nov. 4, 2019; hence, the Committee will have to make relatively quick decisions within roughly a week, so that they get discussed and approved by the RSAI Council during the Pittsburgh meeting.

### **15.AOB**

The Council has no other item to discuss.

### **16.Next meeting**

The RSAI Council is reconvening in Pittsburgh, PA, during the NARSC Congress (Nov. 13-16). A final date will be communicated by the Executive Director via email.

Having no other business to discuss, at 4.37 p.m. the Council meeting is dismissed.

## Annex 1: RSAI Council Members

### 2019 RSAI Council Members

	Name	Member	Period	
1	Mark Partridge	President	2019-2020	<a href="mailto:partridge.27@osu.edu">partridge.27@osu.edu</a>
2	Rachel Franklin	PRSCO President	2019-2020	<a href="mailto:rachel_franklin@brown.edu">rachel_franklin@brown.edu</a>
3	Lily Kiminami	PRSCO Representative	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:kiminami@agr.niigata-u.ac.jp">kiminami@agr.niigata-u.ac.jp</a>
4	Brian Kim	PRSCO Representative	2019-2021	<a href="mailto:briankim66@snu.ac.kr">briankim66@snu.ac.kr</a>
5	Neil Reid	NARSC Executive Director	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:neil.reid@utoledo.edu">neil.reid@utoledo.edu</a>
6	Peter Stenberg	NARSC Representative	2019-2021	<a href="mailto:nordacad13@gmail.com">nordacad13@gmail.com</a>
7	Sandy Dall'erba	NARSC Representative	2019-2021	<a href="mailto:dallerba@illinois.edu">dallerba@illinois.edu</a>
8	Andre Torre	ERSA President	2019-2022	<a href="mailto:andre.torre@wanadoo.fr">andre.torre@wanadoo.fr</a>
9	Francisco Carballo Cruz	ERSA Representative	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:fcaballo@eeg.uminho.pt">fcaballo@eeg.uminho.pt</a>
10	Jouke Van Dijk	ERSA Representative	2019	<a href="mailto:jouke.van.dijk@rug.nl">jouke.van.dijk@rug.nl</a>
11	Serena Erendira Serrano	LARSA President	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:sesohi@hotmail.com">sesohi@hotmail.com</a>
12	Jaime Bonet	LARSA Representative	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:jbonetmo@banrep.gov.co">jbonetmo@banrep.gov.co</a>
13	Eduardo Haddad	LARSA Representative, President Elect	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:ehaddad@usp.br">ehaddad@usp.br</a>
14	Amit Batabyal	Councillor at large	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:aabgsh@rit.edu">aabgsh@rit.edu</a>
15	Sumana Bandyopadhyay	Councillor at large	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:sumona_bm@yahoo.com">sumona_bm@yahoo.com</a>
16	Rosella Nicolini	Councillor at large	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:Rosella.nicolini@uab.cat">Rosella.nicolini@uab.cat</a>
17	Maria Abreu	Councillor at large	2019-2021	<a href="mailto:ma405@cam.ac.uk">ma405@cam.ac.uk</a>
18	Laurie Schintler	Councillor at large	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:lschintl@gmu.edu">lschintl@gmu.edu</a>
19	Andrea Caragliu	Executive Director	2019-2021	<a href="mailto:andrea.caragliu@polimi.it">andrea.caragliu@polimi.it</a>

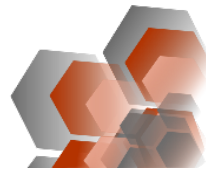
### LRPC Members

1	Peter Nijkamp	President	1991 – 1992	<a href="mailto:pnijkamp@feweb.vu.nl">pnijkamp@feweb.vu.nl</a>
2	Lay J. Gibson	President	1993-1994	<a href="mailto:ljgibson@ag.arizona.edu">ljgibson@ag.arizona.edu</a>
3	Kingsley E. Haynes	President	1995-1996	<a href="mailto:khaynes@gmu.edu">khaynes@gmu.edu</a>
4	Peter W. J. Batey	President	1997-1998	<a href="mailto:pwjbatey@liv.ac.uk">pwjbatey@liv.ac.uk</a>
5	H.Khono	President	1999-2000	
6	Geoffrey J.D.Hewings	President	2001-2002	<a href="mailto:hewings@uiuc.edu">hewings@uiuc.edu</a>
7	Antoine Bailly	President	2003-2004	<a href="mailto:antoine.bailly@unige.ch">antoine.bailly@unige.ch</a>
8	Robert J. Stimson	President	2005-2006	<a href="mailto:rstimson@unimelb.edu.au">rstimson@unimelb.edu.au</a>
9	Roger R. Stough	President	2007-2008	<a href="mailto:rstough@gmu.edu">rstough@gmu.edu</a>
10	Roberta Capello	President	2009-2010	<a href="mailto:roberta.capello@polimi.it">roberta.capello@polimi.it</a>
11	Yoshiro Higano	President	2011-2012	<a href="mailto:higano@jsrsai.jp">higano@jsrsai.jp</a>
12	Jean-Claude Thill	President	2013-2014	<a href="mailto:Jean-Claude.Thill@uncc.edu">Jean-Claude.Thill@uncc.edu</a>
13	Andres Rodriguez Pose	President	2015-2016	<a href="mailto:a.rodriguez-pose@lse.ac.uk">a.rodriguez-pose@lse.ac.uk</a>
14	Budy Resosudarmo	President	2017-2018	<a href="mailto:budy.resosudarmo@anu.edu.au">budy.resosudarmo@anu.edu.au</a>
15	Mark Partridge	President Elected	2017-2020	<a href="mailto:partridge.27@osu.edu">partridge.27@osu.edu</a>

### RSAI Ex-Officio Members

1	Roberta Capello	Editor in Chief of PIRS	<a href="mailto:roberta.capello@polimi.it">roberta.capello@polimi.it</a>
2	Tomaz Dentinho	Editor in Chief of RSPP	<a href="mailto:tomas.lc.dentinho@uac.pt">tomas.lc.dentinho@uac.pt</a>
3	Peter W. J. Batey	Archivist	<a href="mailto:pwjbatey@liv.ac.uk">pwjbatey@liv.ac.uk</a>
4	Martjin Smit	Newsletter Editor	<a href="mailto:M.J.Smit@uu.nl">M.J.Smit@uu.nl</a>
5	Graham Clarke	Newsletter Editor	<a href="mailto:G.P.Clarke@leeds.ac.uk">G.P.Clarke@leeds.ac.uk</a>
6	Hiroyuki Shibusawa	PRSCO Executive Director	<a href="mailto:hiro-shibu@tut.jp">hiro-shibu@tut.jp</a>

<b>7</b>	Serena Eréndira Serrano Oswald	Treasurer	<a href="mailto:sesohi@hotmail.com">sesohi@hotmail.com</a>
<b>8</b>	Elisabete Martins	Finance Director	<a href="mailto:Elisabete.martins@apdr.pt">Elisabete.martins@apdr.pt</a>



## Annex 1

### Apologies

As of Aug. 28, 2019 the Executive Director has received the following emails announcing they would not join the Council meeting:

- Prof. Neil Reid;
- Prof. Laurie Schintler;
- Prof. Serena Eréndira Serrano Oswald.

A skype connection will be available for members interested in joining the meeting from remote. You can get in touch reaching for the following Skype id: live:2df2ec59b4e20a75. Please do let us know at your earliest convenience if you plan to join via Skype.

# Minutes

---

RSAI MEETING SAN ANTONIO, USA, 2018

RSAI Long Range Planning Committee Meeting – Thursday, November 8, 8:00 AM-10:00 AM

RSAI Council Meeting – Friday, November 9, 10:30 AM-12:30 AM

---

## 1. Apologies (Annex 1)

Budy Resosudarmo welcome the members of the Council, the ex-officio members and the invited members that present themselves.

Council members present: Budy Resosudarmo (RSAI President); Mark Partridge (Vice President and Councillor at Large); Rachel Franklin, that replaced Fu-Chuang-Lai as PRSCO President; Brian Kim that replaced Armida Alisjahbana as PRSCO Representative; Neil Reid (NARSC President); Alessandra Faggian (NARSC Representative); Peter Stenberg (NARSC Representative); Jouke Van Dijk (ERSA President); Eduardo Haddad (LARSA representative); Amit Batabyal (Councillor at Large); Laurie Schindler (Councillor at Large); Rosella Nicolini (Councillor at Large) and Tomaz Dentinho (Executive Director).

Long Range Planning Committee Members present: Jean Claude Thill, Roberta Capello (Editor of PIRS) and Peter Batey (Archivist).

Ex-Officio members present: Hiroyuki Shibusawa (PRSCO Executive Director); Andrea Caragliu (Editor of RSAI Newsletter and Elected Executive Director).

Invited members: Dan Rickman (chair of the publication committee), Martjin Smit (nominated Newsletter Editor), Abdellatif Khattabi (President of the Moroccan Section and Chair of the World Congress 2020 in Marrakech).

Apologies from Council Members: Lily Kiminami (PRSCO Representative), Sumana Bandyopadhyay (Councillor at Large), Serena Serrano (LARSA President), Jaime Bonet (LARSA Representative), Francisco Carballo-Cruz (ERSA Representative and Treasurer), Andre Torre (ERSA Representative) and Fabio Mazzola (Councillor at Large). The attempt to contact absent members by skype did not worked.

M-I. The RSAI Council acknowledged the apologies.

## 2. Approval of the minutes of the Goa meeting (Annex 2)

Budy Resosudarmo informed the Council that RSAI secretariat distributed the Minutes to the members of the Council and asked the members to vote the Minutes of the Council of Cork.

M-II. The RSAI Council approved unanimously the Minutes of the Council of Cork (August 30, 2018)

## 3. The abandonment of the Section of Taiwan and the Prospects of the Regional Science Association of China (Annex 3)

Budy Resosudarmo informed the Council that, following the decision of the Council in Cork on 11 Sep 2018, on behalf of the RSAI Council sent a letter to the Chinese Regional Science Association (CRSA)-Taiwan requesting them to voluntarily drop the word “Taiwan” from their name. Budy Resosudarmo informed also that, on 13 Sep 2018, on behalf of the CRSA-Taiwan, Fu-Chuang Lai responded. The response stated that “CRSA-Taiwan regrets that RSAI has ever asked them this request, instead of approving CRSA-Taiwan’s request to restructure RSAI into an individual person-based membership organization, rather than section-based membership .... (hence) .....based on the resolution of the Council of the CRSA-Taiwan on July 25, 2018, CRSA-Taiwan hereby withdraws from the RSAI in order to keep our right to name ourselves, rather than having a name imposed on us by any other entities”. Budy Resosudarmo sought the Council’s approval to execute CRSA-Taiwan’s request to withdraw.

M-IIIa. The RSAI Council acknowledged the withdrawal of CRSA – Taiwan.

Budy Resosudarmo informed the Council that the Regional Science Association of China (RSAC) is expecting to reach 300 members in 2019 and has potentially extended to 1000 members within several years to come. Budy Resosudarmo also mentioned the need to try to put back Taiwan within RSAI and for that he suggested RSAI to do two-steps in achieving this goal. The first step is to better fit RSAC within RSAI's supra-regional system. For this, the RSAI Reconstruction Committee should soon meet discussing the way to include RSAC within RSAI regional system, including the possibilities to restructure the current supra-regional system. Since Fu-Chuan Lai is not the president of PRSCO anymore, he proposed to replace Fu-Chuan Lai with Rachel Franklin who is now the president of PRSCO and to add Brian Kim, the president of the Korean section, to become a member of the Reconstruction Committee as well.

The second step is to reinforce the initiatives of the Asian Regional Science Conferences that has been taking place for several years and has involved regional scientists from Korea, China, Taiwan and Japan.

M-IIIb. The RSAI Council approved the adjustment of the Restructuring Committee to include Mark Partridge (President), Budy Resosudarmo (Past President), Kingsley Haynes (Long Range Planning Committee), Rachel Franklin (PRSCO), Yoshiro Higano (Japan), Sumana Banerjee (India), Paul Snow (China) and Brian Kim (Korea).

Budy Resosudarmo informed the Council that the PRSCO Council planned to scale up the Nurturing Talent Workshop in Bangkok expected to be in June or July 2019 to become the 2019 PRSCO Summer Institute. He then suggested that the Council might want to have the first RSAI Council meeting for 2019 in the 2019 PRSCO Summer Institute in Bangkok and request the Reconstruction Committee to meet in this event as well.

M-IIIc. The RSAI Council approved the upscaling of the Nurturing Talent Workshop of Bangkok to become the PRSCO Summer Institute of 2019, the plan to have RSAI Council and Reconstruction Committee meetings in Bangkok during the PRSCO Summer Institute of 2019.

Mark Partridge mentioned that China typically requires a map of China that includes Taiwan and so we should keep Taiwan in the RSAI map. Amit Batabyal refer that China cannot impose rules on an International Organization. Tomaz Dentinho referred that, with the ongoing changes of our webpage, it is possible to create a map that does not highlight border-lines between countries that are in dispute. Budy Resosudarmo said that the options are: i) to erase the map; ii) to consult with the Chinese; and iii) to maintain the map as we usually do. Roberta Capello said that RSAI should be cautious in developing procedures to response to a request from any section.

M-IIId. The RSAI Council decided to maintain the map as usually and acknowledged the need to have procedures that could be accepted and respected by members, sections and supra nationals.

**4. Nurturing Talents and Building Bridges 2019 and Plan and Budget for 2019 (Annex 4)**

Tomaz Dentinho informed the Council that the program of Nurturing Talent 2019 received 13 applications requesting a total amount of 74,850 € and that according to the Budget Guidelines, Congress Margins allocation and the Nurturing Talent funds not used in 2018 there are 52500 € to allocate. Tomaz Dentinho highlighted that since all the projects are interesting and important, a distribution was designed based on the amount of money for each supra regional, the funds allocated to South Asia, the average support by project and the expected impact of the activity (Annex 4). Nevertheless following the discussion with the representatives of the supra-regionals there are two projects that deserve attention because there it is not clear whether there was some attempt to coordinate with the section and the supranational : i) The project of the Summer School for Split and ii) the project of the workshop proposed to Aguascalientes in Mexico.

Jouke Van Dijk said that ERSA likes to support young people and, following call for proposals, there is a winter course planned approved for Trento and a summer course approved for Katowice very much close to the proposal of Split. Jouke Van Dijk recalled that in 2017, RSAI approved the initiative of Split but ERSA pointed out

that the initiatives should be in coordination with the supranational and the section and therefore the initiative of Split should be in cooperation with ERSA eventually as the ERSA Winter Course of 2020.

Mark pointed out that the initiative of Split considered by the proposal used the funds allocated to RSAI initiatives by the Budget Guidelines. Tomaz Dentinho informed that in 2017 and 2018 there were initiatives in Aquila that ERSA representative in RSAI accepted. Alessandra Faggian informed that the initiatives in Aquila were in coordination with ERSA. Roberta Capello said that it is good to have all these initiative but we should be very careful in coordinating the activities with sections and supra-regional associations. Mark Partridge said that RSAI should avoid to be a club and that can be done by allowing external initiatives.

Budy Resosudarmo resumed by saying that (a) there should be coordination between promoters, sections, supraregionals and RSAI; (b) all initiatives are welcome but RSAI should promote and guarantee the coordination between supraregionals, sections and members; and (c) the selection should consider the recommendation of sections and supraregionals. Jouke Van Dijk said that applicants to Nurturing Talent should contact sections and supraregionals before applying to the RSAI Funds. Rachel Franklin said that RSAI should not fund initiatives that do not try to coordinate with sections and supraregionals.

On 22/11/2018, Abdellatif Khattabi submitted to RSAI a “two days’ workshop for young scientists on Innovation and creativity in territories of the developing world. The workshop will take place within the International Congress of Innovative Territories that will take place in Essaouira Morocco, from February 26 until March 1, 2019. Abdellatif Khattabi requested 3000 Euros to support the expenditures of travel and accommodation of young scientists from Morocco and informed that this will be a good occasion to promote the participation of young scientists from Morocco and Africa in the World Congress of 2020.

M-IVa. Regarding the Nurturing Talent Program – 2019, agree the following:

- a) To suggest Sutee Anantsuksomsri (project 11 of Annex 4) to upgrade the workshop proposed for Bangkok to a Summer Institute of PRSCO to develop in coordination with Sumana Banerjee that manages the RSAI funds that resulted from the World Congress of Goa allocated to South Asia. The Nurturing Talent support to this initiative is 5000 Euros.
- b) The initiatives of Vinko Mustra (project 4 of Annex 4) and Rafael Garduno (Project 5 of Annex 4) should contact their respective Sections and Supranationals to secure a fruitful coordination between members, Sections, Supranationals and RSAI.
- c) To approve the other initiatives with adjusted supports: Illinois (Project 1 – 4000 Euros); Katowice (Project 2 – 4000 Euros); Trento (Project 3 – 4000 Euros); Depok (Project 6 – 4000 Euros); Santa Cruz de la Sierra (Project 7- 3500 Euros); Tandojam (Project 8 – 5650 Euros); Huambo (Project 9 – 3500 Euros); Yerevan (Project 10 – 4000 Euros); Mumbay (Project 12 – 4500 Euros); and Colombo (Project 13 – 3350 Euros).
- d) To agree that the selection procedure for the Nurturing Talent Program as follows: 1) Deadlined to submit proposals should be a month before the Council meeting in NARSC conference; 2) All proposals should be send to supra-regional sections for inputs; 3) Two weeks before the Council meeting, all inputs from related sections and supra-regional sections should be submitted to the selection committee; and 4) The selection committee made a based on the quality of the proposals and inputs from sections and supra-regional sections.
- e) With on-line votes the Council agreed with a majority of 14 votes in favour and 6 abstentions to support the with 3000 Euros from RSAI reserves the workshop for young scientists on Innovation and creativity in territories of the developing world that will take place in Essaouira Morocco, from February 26 until March 1, 2019

Tomaz Dentinho presented the Budget Proposal for 2019 (Annex 4) and clarified that the expenditures of 2019 of 113181 € are supported by the revenues of 2019 of 91681 €, the remaining margin of the Goa Congress of 18500 € and 3000 € of Nurturing Talent Funds not spent in 2018.

M-IVb - The RSAI Council approved unanimously the Budget Proposal for 2019 (Annex 4).

**5. New Councillors at Large and Composition of the Council (Annex 5)**



Tomaz Dentinho told the Council that Maria Abreu won the election for Councillor at Large with 59% of the 603 votes expressed, replacing Fabio Mazzola that finishes his term in the end of 2018. Tomaz Dentinho said also that, after the election of Rachel Franklin and PRSCO President and the nomination of Brian Kim as PRSCO representative, the composition of the Council still lacks one representative from ERSA and one Councilor at Large that can be filled by the new President Elected in line with the RSAI Constitution. Jouke van Dijk informed the Council that ERSA would nominate its representative after the EOC meeting in Lyon planned for next February. Neil Reid informed after the meeting that Sandy Dall'erba replaces Alessandra Faggian as NARSC representative.

	Name	Member	Period
1	Mark Partridge	President	2019-2020
2		(at large) Elected and Vice	
3	Rachel Franklin	PRSCO President	2019-2020
4	Lily Kiminami	PRSCO Representative	2018-2020
5	Brian Kim	PRSCO Representative	2019-2021
6	Neil Reil	NARSC President	2018-2020
7	Peter Stenberg	NARSC Representative	2019-2021
8	Sandy Dall'erba	NARSC Representative	2019-2021
9	Andre Torre	ERSA President	2019-2022
10	Francisco Carballo Cruz	ERSA Representative	2017-2019
11		ERSA Representative	2019-2021
12	Erendira Serrano	LARSA President	2018-2020
13	Jaime Bonet	LARSA Representative	2017-2019
14	Eduardo Haddad	LARSA Representative	2017-2019
15	Amit Batabyal	Councillor at large	2018-2020
16	Sumana Bandyopadhyay	Councillor at large	2018-2020
17	Rosella Nicolini	Councillor at large	2018-2020
18	Maria Abreu	Councillor at large	2019-2021
19	Laurie Schintler	Councillor at large	2017-2019
20	Andrea Caragliu	Executive Director	2019-2021

M-V - The RSAI Council acknowledged the Composition of the Council for 2019 and congratulated the new members Rachel Franklin, Brian Kim, Maria Abreu, Sandy Dall'Erba and Andrea Caragliu. The Council also thanked the members that cessed their terms in service: Budy Resosudarmo, President; Fu Chuang Lai, PRSCO President; Alessandra Faggian, NARSC representative, Fabio Mazola, Councillor at Large; and Tomaz Dentinho, Executive Director.

## 6. World Congress 2020 (Annex 6)

Abdellatif Khattabi, President of the Moroccan Section and Chair of the Local Organizing Committee of the World Congress in 2020 thanked the invitation to participate in the Council Meeting of San Antonio. The World Congress of 2020 will be on 2-5 June 2020 in a five star with affordable cost hotel in Marrakech. Abdellatif Khattabi said that the theme of the Congress is "Smart Regions – Opportunities for Sustainable Development in the Digital Era" and soon important information will come in the Congress Webpage.

M-VI - The RSAI Council acknowledged the RSAI Congress 2020 updates.

## 7. Report of the Publication Committee (Annex 7).

Dan Rickman, chair of the Publication Committee, presented a report with three points: one, for the selection of the Editorial Team for Papers in Regional Science for the period 2019-2021; a second for a change in the selection process of editorial teams; and a third one on recommendations for Regional Science Policy and Practice.

Regarding the selection of the Editorial Team for PIRS Dan Rickman said that the call received two proposals, one from Sharmistha Bagchi-Sen from the University of Buffalo and another from Roberta Capello from the University of Milan. Dan Rickman informed that both were considered viable candidates but the committee unanimously recommends that Roberta Capello be elected to serve a s EIC of PIRS one more term. The reasons presented by Dan Rickman are threefold: i) Roberta Capello has done an excellent job as EIC; ii) Roberta Capello

is better known in the regional science community; and iii) The proposal presented by Roberta Capello contains a rebalance of the geographical and disciplinary composition of the editorial team respond to the reduction of submissions by North America.

M-VIIa- The RSAI Council approved unanimously the selection of Roberta Capello for one more term as editor in chief of Papers in Regional Science.

Regarding the selection process of editorial teams the Publication Committee proposed that, to avoid useless stress in the management of the journals, one year before the end of the term of the EIC of the journals, RSAI determines whether RSAI wishes the incumbent EIC to continue for another term and whether the incumbent EIC wishes to continue. The Publication Committee also recommends that the EIC serving period should be for a maximum of 10 years, which accommodate the three-year terms.

M-VIIb- The RSAI Council accepted the recommendation of the Publication Committee that for the substitution of EIC of RSAI journals, one year before the end of the term until the maximum of three terms, RSAI Council should determine whether RSAI wishes the incumbent EIC to continue for another term and whether the incumbent EIC wishes to continue.

Roberta Capello returned to the room, thanked the selection, remarked the third term for which he was selected would be the last and presented the names for the editorial team: John Winters from NARSC, regional economist; Eduardo Haddad from LARSA, regional economist and econometrician; Rosella Nicolini from the ERSA area, economist; and David Folch from NARSC, quantitative geographer. Roberta Capello said that one more person will join and requested the Council to approve the nomination by on-line votes.

On 20-11-2018 Roberta Capello sent to RSAI the proposal for the new editorial team of RSAI that included John Winters, Narsc, regional economist; Eduardo Haddad, LARSA, regional economist and econometrician; Rosella Nicolini, ERSA, economist; David Folch, Narsc, quantitative geographer; Sharmistha Bagchi-Sen, Nasrc, qualitative geographer. Roberta Capello wrote that this strengthened the US side, as she would like to move PIRS towards US more than in the past and, at the same time, guarantee a balance of different disciplines.

M-VIIc- The RSAI Council approved the new Editorial Team of Papers in Regional Science and agreed to vote on line for the inclusion of the last member of the Editorial Team. By on-line vote from November 26 until November 30 the Council approved by a majority of 14 votes and 6 abstentions the editorial team of PIRS for 2019-2021 composed by the following members. Roberta Capello, from ERSA, regional economist, John Winters from NARSC, regional economist; Eduardo Haddad from LARSA, regional economist and econometrician; Rosella Nicolini from the ERSA area, economist; and David Folch from NARSC, quantitative geographer

Regarding the journal Regional Science Policy and Practice Dan Rickman said that the Publication Committee that the team significantly improved the journal with increasing submission, readership and citations but the attempt to include the journal in the Web of Science was too soon. Dan Rickman also said that the Publication Committee suggests a special issue in economic development with invited authors and some strategic planning to avoid backlogs.

M-VIId- The RSAI Council acknowledged and thanked the comments and suggestions of Dan Rickman and the Publishing Committee on the journal Regional Science Policy and Practice.

Andrea Caragliu proposed Martijn Smit (Annex 7c) to substitute him as new editor of RSAI Newsletter and that will continue to work with Graham Clarke as co-editor. Jouke Van Dijk said that Martijn Smit is very good and very well organized.

M-VIIe- The RSAI Council approved unanimously the selection of Martijn Smit as co-editor with Graham Clarke of RSAI Newsletter.

Peter Batey informed the Council that twelve months ago he assumed the role of archivist replacing David Boyce. Peter referred to the annual report that he had distributed to Council members (Annex 8d) containing a brief introduction to the RSAI Archives and stating his aim to broaden the role of the archivist namely by

creating space for the history of regional science in the Handbook of Regional Science and in the topics of regional science conferences.

Peter's report made a specific proposal about the use of key words in describing the abstracts of papers presented at supra-regional regional science conferences. At present there is no reference to the history of regional science and this was likely to deter potential authors of history papers.

Mark Partridge thanked Peter Batey for the remarkable work he had done to raise the profile of the RSAI Archive. Budy Resosudarmo thanked Peter Batey for the service of the regional science community for many years.

M-VIII- The RSAI Council acknowledge unanimously the report of the Archivist and thanked Peter Batey for the remarkable thoughts and work done on the archives.

## **8. Awards**

Laurie Schindler informed the Council that the Dissertation Award Committee comprised of herself, Philip McCann, Kate Nesse, and Terry Clower. Laurie Schindler said that award received 16 very good applications from around the world including India and Turkey, and two of them had outstanding quality, one for the Czamanski Award and the other for the Dissertation Award:

- For the Czamanski Award, the choice goes to Viola von Berlepsch, who received the PhD in Economic Geography from London School of Economics, supervised by Prof. Andrés Rodríguez-Pose and Dr. Neil Lee with a thesis with the titled "The long-term economic impact of migration and its significance for US prosperity". According to the jury, it is a great piece scholarly work is a perfect reflection of your father's research philosophy, and would be an honor to his work. Further, in Phil McCann's words: "I knew Stan Czamanski and he would have been delighted with Viola Von Berlepsch's work."
- For the RSAI Dissertation Award the choice goes to Justin Delloye who received the PhD in Science (Geography) by the Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium supervised by Dominique Peeters and Isabelle Thomas with a thesis with the titled "Urban Morphodynamics: Reconciling Location Theory and Complex Systems"

M-VIII - The RSAI Council acknowledged the awards and thanked the work done by Laurie Schindler and the Award Committee.

## **9. Next Meetings**

Tomaz Dentinho presented the plan for the calendar of the next RSAI Council Meetings saying that usually there are three Council Meeting spread along the year.

	<b>RSAI</b>	<b>PRSCO</b>	<b>ERSA</b>	<b>LARSA</b>	<b>NARSC</b>
<b>2019</b>		Bangkok June-July	Lyon August		Pittsburgh November
<b>2020</b>	Marrakech June		Bolzano August		San Diego November

M-IX - The RSAI Council approved the calendar for 2019 and 2020 Council Meetings.

## **10. Nomination for the Committee for President Elected 2019, Vice President 2020 and President 2021-2022**

Budy Resosudarmo said that, according to the RSAI Constitution and By-laws, the Nomination Committee for President Elected 2019, Vice President 2020 and President 2021-2022 is composed by the Past President, the President, the representatives of the supra regional associations and two members from the Long Range Planning Committee. Budy Resosudarmo said that since all but the members of the Long Range Planning Committee are inherent, the members he proposes from the Long Range Planning Committee are Geoffrey Hewings and Kingsley Haynes.

M-X - The RSAI Council approved unanimously the members of the Nomination Committee for President Elected 2019: Mark Partridge, Budy Resosudarmo, Neil Reid, Andre Torre, Rachel Franklin, Eduardo Haddad, Geoffrey Hewings and Kingsley Haynes.

## **11. Other Issues**

Mark Partridge congratulated Budy Resosudarmo for the remarkable job done as President of the Regional Science Association International.

M-XIa - The RSAI Council acclaimed the Presidency of Budy Resosudarmo.

Budy Resosudarmo thanked the Council, congratulated Tomaz Dentinho for eight years as Executive Director of RSAI and welcome Andrea Caragliu as the new Executive Director of RSAI.

M-XIb - The RSAI Council acclaimed the Executive Directorate of Tomaz Dentinho and unanimously welcome Andrea Caragliu as new executive director of RSAI..

# RSAI Report and Accounts of 2018

Tomaz Ponce Dentinho  
Elisabete Martins  
May, 2019  
[rsai@apdr.pt](mailto:rsai@apdr.pt)



## Note from the Executive Director in 2018

Along 2018, there were three Council Meetings, one in Goa (India), one in Cork (Ireland) and one in San Antonio (USA) whose minutes are available through the RSAI webpage. There were the expected changes in the composition of RSAI Council with the election and substitution of three Councilor at Large.

Andrea Roberto Caragliu and Graham Clarke edited two issues of the RSAI Newsletter, published and distributed by RSAI in the Conferences of RSAI (Goa), ERSA (Cork) and NARSC (San Antonio).

With the support of Jean Claude Thill RSAI signed a new agreement with the publisher that increases the expected net revenue from the publisher from 44000 Euros to 50000 Euros and does not contain any clause for remaining with the publisher after 5 years.

Papers in Regional Science increased the number of downloads by 37.7 % overcoming 120000. The journal Regional Science Policy and Practice increased the number of downloads by 47.4% in 2018 almost reaching 18000.

RSAI awards acknowledged the best work of regional scientists; the program Nurturing Talent helped the implementation of Summer Courses in Split (Croatia), Depok (Indonesia), Aquila (Italy), Bratislava (Slovakia), West Virginia (USA) ; Ho Chi Minh City (Vietnam) and Lille (France). The program Building Bridges supported the participation of young scientists for the World Congress in Goa (India).

The number of members decreased from 4392 in 2017 to 4074 in 2018. This reduction was mainly due the adjustment of the members from NARSC that previously registered for two years and to the absence of payments of some sections. In 2018, the Regional Science Association of China was formally included in RSAI bringing 316 new members that paid the fee for 2019.

In 2018, the bank account in pounds was transferred to the bank account in euros. Evaluated in euros, the bank account evolved from 306 175,38 € in December 2017 to 355 212,14 € in December 2018. Membership enrollment was possible due to the strong support from the RSAI Sections and Supra-nationals and the advice of the Council and the Presidency.

In the RSAI Council of Cork, Andrea Caragliu from Politecnico de Milano, was elected Executive Director for the first term of 2019-2021. The transference of tasks between past and present Executive Directors went smoothly. I wish him all the best prospects for his terms in office. As long as Andrea Caragliu, the RSAI Council and the RSAI Assembly wants, RSAI headquarters stay in the Azores with Elisabete Martins as Financial Officer

Many thanks.

**Tomaz Ponce Dentinho**

**Executive Director of RSAI in 2018**

## CONTENT

Note from the Executive Director on 2018 .....	1
1. RSAI Council Members.....	2
2. RSAI Publications .....	3
3. RSAI Awards .....	3
4. Development of new sections.....	4
5. Universal Membership.....	4
6. RSAI Accounts of 2018 .....	4

## 1. RSAI Council Members

**Table 1. –RSAI Council Members in 2018**

	Name	Member	Period	Email
1	Budy Resosudarmo	President	2017-2018	<a href="mailto:budy.resosudarmo@anu.edu.au">budy.resosudarmo@anu.edu.au</a>
2	Mark Partridge	Vice President	2018	<a href="mailto:partridge.27@osu.edu">partridge.27@osu.edu</a>
3	Fu-Chuan-Lai	PRSCO President	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:uiuc lai@gate.sinica.edu.tw">uiuc lai@gate.sinica.edu.tw</a>
4	Lily Kiminami	PRSCO Representative	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:kiminami@agr.niigata-u.ac.jp">kiminami@agr.niigata-u.ac.jp</a>
5	Armida Alisjahbana	PRSCO Representative	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:armida.alisjahbana@unpad.ac.id">armida.alisjahbana@unpad.ac.id</a>
6	Neil Reil	NARSC President	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:neil.reid@utoledo.edu">neil.reid@utoledo.edu</a>
7	Peter Stenberg	NARSC Representative	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:nordacad13@gmail.com">nordacad13@gmail.com</a>
8	Alessandra Faggian	NARSC Representative	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:alessandra.faggian@gssi.it">alessandra.faggian@gssi.it</a>
9	Jouke Van Dijk	ERSA President	2015-2018	<a href="mailto:jouke.van.dijk@rug.nl">jouke.van.dijk@rug.nl</a>
10	Francisco Carballo Cruz	ERSA Representative	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:fcarballo@eeg.uminho.pt">fcarballo@eeg.uminho.pt</a>
11	Andre Torre	ERSA Representative	2014-2019	<a href="mailto:andre.torre@wanadoo.fr">andre.torre@wanadoo.fr</a>
12	Serena	LARSA President	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:sesohi@hotmail.com">sesohi@hotmail.com</a>
13	Jaime Bonet	LARSA Representative	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:ibonetmo@banrep.gov.co">ibonetmo@banrep.gov.co</a>
14	Eduardo Haddad	LARSA Representative	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:ehaddad@usp.br">ehaddad@usp.br</a>
15	Amit Batabyal	Councilor at large	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:aabgsh@rit.edu">aabgsh@rit.edu</a>
16	Sumana Bandyopadhyay	Councilor at large	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:cu.rsa2016@gmail.com">cu.rsa2016@gmail.com</a>
17	Rosella Nicolini	Councilor at large	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:Rosella.nicolini@uab.cat">Rosella.nicolini@uab.cat</a>
18	Fabio Mazzola	Councilor at large	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:fabio.mazzola@unipa.it">fabio.mazzola@unipa.it</a>
19	Laurie Schintler	Councilor at large	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:lschintl@gmu.edu">lschintl@gmu.edu</a>
20	Tomaz Dantinho	Executive Director	2011-2018	<a href="mailto:tomas.lc.dentinho@uac.pt">tomas.lc.dentinho@uac.pt</a>

**Table 2. –RSAI Council Members in 2017**

	Name	Member	Period	Email
1	Andres Rodriguez-Pose	Past President President Ersa Representative	2017 2015-2016 2013-2015	<a href="mailto:a.rodriguez-pose@lse.ac.uk">a.rodriguez-pose@lse.ac.uk</a>
2	Jacques Poot	President Vice – President Councilor at large	2017 2015-2016 2015-2017	<a href="mailto:jpoot@waikato.ac.nz">jpoot@waikato.ac.nz</a>
3	Patricio Aroca	PRSCO President	2016-2017	<a href="mailto:paroca@ucn.cl">paroca@ucn.cl</a>
4	Jichung Yang	PRSCO Representative	2013-2018	<a href="mailto:jcyang@snu.ac.kr">jcyang@snu.ac.kr</a>
5	Erendira Serrano	PRSCO Representative	2015-2017	<a href="mailto:sesohi@hotmail.com">sesohi@hotmail.com</a>
6	Neil Reid	NARSC President	2012-2016	<a href="mailto:neil.reid@utoledo.edu">neil.reid@utoledo.edu</a>
7	Peter Stenberg	NARSC Representative	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:stenberg@ers.usda.gov">stenberg@ers.usda.gov</a>
8	Alessandra Faggian	NARSC Representative	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:faggian.1@osu.edu">faggian.1@osu.edu</a>
9	Jouke Van Dijk	ERSA President	2015-2018	<a href="mailto:jouke.van.dijk@rug.nl">jouke.van.dijk@rug.nl</a>
10	Isabelle Thomas	Ersa Representative	2015-2017	<a href="mailto:isabelle@geog.ucl.ac.be">isabelle@geog.ucl.ac.be</a>
11	Andre Torre	Ersa Representative	2014-2017	<a href="mailto:andre.torre@wanadoo.fr">andre.torre@wanadoo.fr</a>
12	Carlos Azzoni	LACRSA	2017-2020	<a href="mailto:cazzoni@usp.br">cazzoni@usp.br</a>
13	Jaime Bonet	LACRSA Representative	2017-2020	<a href="mailto:ibonetmo@banrep.gov.co">ibonetmo@banrep.gov.co</a>
14	Eduardo Haddad	LACRSA Representative	2017-2020	<a href="mailto:ehaddad@usp.br">ehaddad@usp.br</a>
15	Emmanouil Tranos	Councilor at large	2015-2017	<a href="mailto:e.tranos@bham.ac.uk">e.tranos@bham.ac.uk</a>
16	Daniel Griffith	Councilor at large	2015-2017	<a href="mailto:dagriffith@utdallas.edu">dagriffith@utdallas.edu</a>
17	Tüzün Baycan	Councilor at large	2015-2017	<a href="mailto:tbaycan@itu.edu.tr">tbaycan@itu.edu.tr</a>
18	Fabio Mazzola	Councilor at large	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:fabio.mazzola@unipa.it">fabio.mazzola@unipa.it</a>
19	Laurie Schintler	Councilor at large	2017-2020	<a href="mailto:lschintl@gmu.edu">lschintl@gmu.edu</a>
20	Tomaz Dantinho	Executive Director Ersa Representative Councilor at large	2011-2018 2010-2012 2013-2015	<a href="mailto:Tomas.lc.dentinho@uac.pt">Tomas.lc.dentinho@uac.pt</a>



## 2. RSAI Publications

### ❖ RSAI Journals - 2018 Financial Statement

#### *Papers in Regional Science and Regional Science Policy and Practice*

The individual and combined 2018 financial statements for *Papers in Regional Science and Regional Science Policy and Practice* are shown overleaf, with 2017 figures included for comparison.

**Subscription Revenue:** Total subscription revenue was comparable with 2017's revenue at **£145,419**. This is exceptional because most titles experienced an attrition in 2018; the positive impact of currency exchange rates which cause an uplift in 2017 revenues for most titles were not repeated in 2018.

**Non-subscription Revenue:** Non-subscription revenue increased by 4% to **£28,097**, largely driven by growth in open access revenue (+19% to £7,686). This revenue stream can fluctuate from year to year however, so we cannot predict this to be indicative of a longer-term trend.

**Total Revenue:** Total revenue increased to **£173,516** in 2018 (+0.6%).

**Costs:** Although overall costs increased by 13% to **£73,653** as a result of publishing more articles related to the backlog clearing exercise for PIRS, Wiley absorbed the costs of the backlog clearance (67 articles out of 87 articles published in PIRS in 2018) as agreed.

**RSAI Share of Profit:** The profit to be shared increased from £45,807 to **£68,618**. RSAI's share of profit for the 2018 volume year is **£37,740**, with an additional **£8,501** to be paid towards editorial expenses. The final royalty and editorial expenses due to the RSAI is **£46,241**. We will pay the final royalty in Euros (**€54,065**) upon receipt of an invoice (exchange rate: 1GBP=1.16919EUR).

❖ **RSAI Newsletters** edited by Andrea Caragliu and Graham Clarke published two issues that were distributed in PRSCO, ERSA and RSAmericas Conferences of 2018.

## 3. RSAI Awards

❖ **The 2018 Kohno Prize** was awarded to Roberta Capello, Full professor of Regional Economics at Politecnico of Milan, Faculty of Building Engineering.

❖ The winner of the **Martin Beckmann Prize 2018** was the article "[Network proximity in the geography of research collaboration](#)" by [Laurent R. Bergé](#), published in Volume 94, Issue 4, November 2017, Pages: 785-815.

❖ The **Peter Nijkamp Research Encouragement Award 2017** was awarded to Dusan Paredes from Universidad Catolica del Norte, Chile and Anthony Howell from Peking University, China

- ❖ In 2017 the winner of the **RSAI dissertation prize** was [Justin Delloye](#) for his Thesis entitled “Urban Morphodynamics: Reconciling Location Theory and Complex”. He was supervised by Professor Dominique Peeters and Professor Isabelle Thomas from Université catholique de Louvain.
- ❖ [Viola von Berlepsch](#) is the winner of the **2018 Czamanski Dissertation Award** for her dissertation entitled “The long-term economic impact of migration and its significance for US prosperity”. She was supervised by Prof. Andrés Rodríguez-Pose and Prof. Neil Lee.
- ❖ **RSAI Fellows in 2018:** Janet E. Kohlhase, University of Houston, USA; Alan T. Murray, University of California at Santa Barbara, USA; Dan Rickman, Oklahoma State University, USA; and Andrés Rodríguez-Pose, London School of Economics, UK
- ❖ **RSAI Young Researchers Prize 2018:**  
 1st Place - Two winners: **Dpsita Dhar**, Jawaharal Nehru University - "*Migration and labor market: a continued case of occupational segregation and caste dominance*"; and **Alexander Lehner**, University of Bologna - "*450 years of Portuguese colonialism in India: missionaries, education, gender gaps*"  
 2nd Place - Two winners: **Deepak Sethia**, Indian Institute of Management - "*Regional distribution of federal transfers and expenditure in India*"; and **Raya Das**, Jawaharal Nehru University - "*Low repayment capacity and high indebtedness among agricultural households in India: sustainability of the sector as a source of livelihood*"
- ❖ **RSPP Annual Paper Award 2018:** Jinwon Bae and Sandy Dall'erba (2016) - [The economic impact of a new solar power plant in Arizona: Comparing the input-output results generated by JEDI vs. IMPLAN](#). Regional Science Policy & Practice 8 (1,2), 61-73

## 4. Development of new sections

- ❖ In November 2018, the Regional Science Association of China, was formally integrated of Regional Science Association International and the Regional Science Association of Bangladesh reassumed its activity.

## 5. Universal Membership

- ❖ In 2012 RSAI secretariat began to register directly the list of members and respective registration fees interacting with RSAI sections. There are 4074 RSAI members in 2018 from 4392 RSAI members in 2017, 4325 RSAI members in 2016, 4434 in 2015, 4390 in 2014, 4080 in 2013, 3955 in 2012, 3535 in 2011, 3550 in 2010 and 3207 in 2009.

## 6. RSAI Accounts of 2018

- ❖ In 2018 RSAI achieved a net surplus of 7 391,11€.

- ❖ There are sections that do not have enrolled members; there are sections that have relatively few members relative to the population of the respective areas of influence.
- ❖ The Costs with the program NURTURING NEW TALENT INITIATIVE was 27 112,37 €.
- ❖ Evaluated in euros, the bank account evolved from 306 175,38 € in December 2017 to 355 212,14 € in December 2018.

Bank account in Euros		
1	Balance brought forward from 2017 (01-01-2018)	218 421,88 €
2	Closing Balance carried forward (31-12-2018)	354 888,50 €
3=(2-1)	Margin of 2018	136 466,62 €

Conciliation of the accounts		
4=2	Cash and Deposits 2018 (31-12-2018)	354 888,50 €
5	Cash	323,64 €
7=(4+5)	Total	355 212,14 €

ACCOUNTS FROM January 2018 till December 2018			
Description	Revenues	Costs	NET PROFIT
<b>General</b>	- €	9 720,28 €	-9 720,28 €
ACCOUNTING	- €	3 786,55 €	-3 786,55 €
WEBSERVER, NEW WEBSITE AND CONGRESS SYSTEM	- €	640,00 €	- 640,00 €
RSAI SECRETARIATE	- €	5 000,00 €	-5 000,00 €
OTHERS	- €	293,73 €	- 293,73 €
<b>Wiley - Blackwell</b>	97 464,87 €	34 584,82 €	62 880,05 €
PIRS AND RSPP 2017 PROFIT SHARE	40 517,66 €	- €	40 517,66 €
PIRS ADVANCE ON EDITORIAL AND TRAVEL EXPENSES 2018	18 536,97 €	- €	18 536,97 €
RSPP ADVANCE ON EDITORIAL AND TRAVEL EXPENSES 2018	7 944,42 €	- €	7 944,42 €
PAYMENT JOHN WILEY & SONS, LTD - YEAR 2017 - RSAI MEMBERSHIP	- €	25 372,11 €	- 25 372,11 €
Wiley to support Conference	2 492,35 €	247,37 €	2 244,98 €
New contract with JOHN WILEY & SONS (lawyer and Bonus)	27 973,47 €	8 965,34 €	19 008,13 €
<b>Editorial</b>	- €	21 939,81 €	- 21 939,81 €
RSAI NEWSLETTER PAYMENT (Editor and printing)	- €	1 937,21 €	-1 937,21 €
PIRS EDITORIAL OFFICE ANUAL EXPENSES	- €	10 000,00 €	- 10 000,00 €
PIRS EDITORIAL AND TRAVEL EXPENSES PAYMENT FOR EDITOR	- €	5 002,60 €	-5 002,60 €
RSPP EDITORIAL AND TRAVEL EXPENSES PAYMENT FOR EDITOR	- €	5 000,00 €	-5 000,00 €
<b>RSAI Awards</b>	- €	30 644,73 €	- 30 644,73 €
NURTURING NEW TALENT INITIATIVE	- €	27 112,37 €	- 27 112,37 €
BUILDING BRIDGES PROGRAM (free fees on the RSAI WORLD CONGRESS 2018)	- €	- €	- €
OTHER AWARDS	- €	3 532,36 €	-3 532,36 €
<b>Memberships</b>	31 670,45 €	8,20 €	31 662,25 €
INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIPS (2018)	981,88 €	- €	981,88 €
MEMBERSHIP ARSC SECTION (PAY ON 2017)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP AUSTRALIA/NEW ZEALAND SECTION (2017 and 2018)	1 330,00 €	- €	1 330,00 €
MEMBERSHIP BALTIC SECTION (2017 and 2018)	500,00 €	- €	500,00 €
MEMBERSHIP BRAZIL SECTION (2017 and 2018)	2 090,00 €	- €	2 090,00 €
MEMBERSHIP CHILEAN SECTION (PAY ON 2019)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP CHINA SECTION (2019)	1 540,00 €	- €	1 540,00 €
MEMBERSHIP COLOMBIAN SECTION (2018)	175,00 €	4,10 €	170,90 €
MEMBERSHIP CROATIA SECTION (2017)	320,00 €	- €	320,00 €
MEMBERSHIP DUTCH SECTION (2018)	1 100,00 €	- €	1 100,00 €
MEMBERSHIP ECUADOR SECTION (PAY ON 2019)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP FRENCH SECTION (2018)	2 310,00 €	- €	2 310,00 €
MEMBERSHIP GERMAN SECTION (2018)	2 560,00 €	- €	2 560,00 €
MEMBERSHIP GREEK SECTION (2016, 2017 and 2018)	1 600,00 €	- €	1 600,00 €
MEMBERSHIP HUNGARIAN SECTION (2018)	630,00 €	- €	630,00 €
MEMBERSHIP INDIAN SECTION (Deducted from RSAI world congress 2018)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP INDONESIAN SECTION (2018)	232,37 €	- €	232,37 €
MEMBERSHIP ISRAEL SECTION (2018)	225,00 €	4,10 €	220,90 €
MEMBERSHIP ITALIAN SECTION (2018)	2 670,00 €	- €	2 670,00 €
MEMBERSHIP JAPANESE SECTION (2018)	5 330,00 €	- €	5 330,00 €
MEMBERSHIP KOREAN SECTION (PAY ON 2019)	- €	- €	- €

MEMBERSHIP MOROCCO SECTION (2018 and 2019)	130,00 €	- €	130,00 €
MEMBERSHIP MEXICAN SECTION (2017 and 2018))	1 111,20 €	- €	1 111,20 €
MEMBERSHIP NARSC SECTION (PAY ON 2019)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP NORDIC SECTION (DO NOT PAY SINCE 2016)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP POLISH SECTION (2018)	690,00 €	- €	690,00 €
MEMBERSHIP PORTUGUESE SECTION (2018)	980,00 €	- €	980,00 €
MEMBERSHIP ROMANIAN SECTION (2018)	420,00 €	- €	420,00 €
MEMBERSHIP SLOVAKIA SECTION (2018)	580,00 €	- €	580,00 €
MEMBERSHIP SPANISH SECTION (2018)	3 400,00 €	- €	3 400,00 €
MEMBERSHIP THAILAND SECTION (2018)	15,00 €	- €	15,00 €
MEMBERSHIP TURKISH SECTION (PAY ON 2019)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP UK & IRELAND SECTION (2018)	750,00 €	- €	750,00 €
<b>Events</b>	<b>73 664,78 €</b>	<b>56 541,41 €</b>	<b>17 123,37 €</b>
RSAI WORLD CONGRESS 2018	71 040,21 €	52 705,18 €	18 335,03 €
RSAI WORLD CONGRESS 2020	- €	1 216,70 €	-1 216,70 €
Support Roger Stough	2 624,57 €	2 619,53 €	5,04 €
<b>Transfer from account in pounds</b>	<b>87 105,77 €</b>	<b>- €</b>	<b>87 105,77 €</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>289 905,87 €</b>	<b>153 439,25 €</b>	<b>136 466,62 €</b>

# Regional Science Association International

Tax Pay 509754090 509754090

Currenc EUR EUR

## Income Statement at December 2018

Conta		Revenues and Expenditures	Notas	2018	2017
Pos	Neg				
71/72		Sales and services*		161 078,21	117 703,45
75		Operating subsidies			
785+792	685	Gains / Losses allocated to subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures		0,00	0,00
73		Inventory variation in production		0,00	0,00
74		Work for the entity itself		0,00	0,00
	61	Cost of goods sold and materials consumed		0,00	0,00
	62	Supplies and services		-89 942,16	-27 750,68
	63	Personnel expenses		0,00	0,00
7622	652	Impairment of inventories (losses / reversals)		0,00	0,00
7621	651	Impairment of receivables (losses / reversals)		0,00	0,00
763	67	Provisions (increases / decreases)		0,00	0,00
623;7627/8	653;657/8	Impairment of Investments non-depreciable / amortizable (losses / reversals)		0,00	0,00
77	66	Increases / Decreases in fair value			
78...+791		Other income and gains		9 563,57	26 467,16
	69-685+69..	Other expenses and losses		-73 308,51	-47 511,90
		Profit before depreciation, financial costs and taxes		7 391,11	68 908,03
761	64	Expenditures / reversals of depreciation and amortization		0,00	0,00
7624/6	654/6	Impairment of depreciable / amortizable assets (losses / reversals)		0,00	0,00
		Operational results (before financial costs and taxes)		7 391,11	68 908,03
7915		Interest and similar income		0,00	0,00
	6911/21/81	Interest and similar expenses paid		0,00	0,00
		Profit before Taxes		7 391,11	68 908,03
	812	Taxes on profits		0,00	0,00
		Net profit for the exercise		7 391,11	68 908,03

# Regional Science Association International

Taxpayer 509754090

Currency EUR

## Balance Sheet on december

2018

Items	Notes	2018	2017
<b>Assets</b>			
Non-current assets			
Intangible fixed assets			
Other financial assets			
Subtotal		0,00	0,00
Currents Assets			
Clients		44 676,50	
State and other governmental entities		2 057,00	2 057,00
Other revenues to receive		12 002,79	55 472,85
Cashier and Bank Deposits		355 212,14	306 175,38
Subtotal		413 948,43	363 705,23
Total do activo		413 948,43	363 705,23
<b>CAPITAL PROPRIO E PASSIVO</b>			
Equities			
Capital (Funds)		176 588,39	176 588,39
Other reserves		177 914,43	109 006,40
Adjustments on financial assets			5 409,91
Subtotal		354 502,82	291 004,70
Net profit of the exercise		7 391,11	68 908,03
Total Equity		361 893,93	359 912,73
Liabilities			
Non-current liabilities			
Subtotal		0,00	
Current Liability		4970,00	502,5
Other revenues to receive		47 084,50	3 290,00
Subtotal		52 054,50	3 792,50
Total Liabilities		52 054,50	3 792,50
Total equity plus liabilities		413 948,43	363 705,23



## **Anexo ao Balanço e Demonstração de Resultados**

**31 de Dezembro de 2018**

### **1. IDENTIFICAÇÃO DA ENTIDADE**

#### **1.1 – Designação da entidade:**

RSAI- REGIONAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONAL

#### **1.2 - Sede:**

Universidade dos Açores – Rua Capitão D'Ávila – Gab. n.º 155-156

#### **1.3 - NIPC:**

509754090

#### **1.4 – Natureza da actividade:**

A Regional Science Association International – RSAI, tem como actividade associativa (CAE 94995), Outras Actividades Associativas n.e..

Os principais objetivos da Associação são a promoção do intercâmbio de ideias e de estudos sobre a região, incluindo a utilização de ferramentas, métodos e modelos teóricos, especificamente concebidos para a análise regional, bem como conceitos, procedimentos e técnicas de análise das várias ciências sociais e outros. Estes objetivos são apoiados através da convivência e discussão entre os seus membros e com académicos em áreas afins pelo incentivo à publicação de estudos académicos e pela realização de serviços para auxiliar o progresso dos seus membros e no domínio da ciência regional.

A associação é gerida pelo presidente, não sendo participada por qualquer entidade mãe ou filha e teve ao seu serviço durante o ano alguns colaboradores pontuais.

### **2- Referencial Contabilístico**

#### **2.1 – Referência contabilística de preparação das demonstrações financeiras**

As presentes Demonstrações Financeiras foram preparadas de harmonia com as normas do Sistema de Normalização Contabilística para as entidades do setor não lucrativo, regulado pelos seguintes diplomas legais:

- Decreto-Lei n.º 36-A/2011 (Regime da normalização contabilística para as entidades do sector não lucrativo);
- Aviso n.º 6726-B/2011, de 7 de Setembro (Estrutura Conceptual);
- Portaria 105/2011 (Modelos de Demonstrações Financeiras);
- Portaria 106/2011 (Código de Contas).

### 3 - Principais Políticas Contabilísticas

#### 3- Bases de apresentação

As demonstrações financeiras anexas foram preparadas no pressuposto da continuidade das operações e registos contabilísticos da empresa mantidos de acordo com as Normas Contabilísticas e de Relato Financeiro.

#### 3.1- Bases de Mensuração

**3.1.1 Ativos Tangíveis:** Não possui.

**3.1.2- Ativos Intangíveis:** Encontram-se registados ao modelo do custo, deduzidos das depreciações acumuladas;

**3.1.3- Locações:** Não Aplicável.

**3.1.4- Provisões:** Não Aplicável.

**3.1.5- Impostos sobre o rendimento:** Sendo a RSAI uma Associação sem fins lucrativos, encontra-se isenta do Imposto sobre o Rendimento, apenas pagará as tributações autónomas.

**3.1.6- Rédito:** Decorrente da atividade da associação é registado pelo seu justo valor entre as partes contratantes. Nas vendas e prestações de serviços o justo valor reflete eventuais descontos concedidos e não inclui impostos liquidados nas faturas;

**3.1.7- Custo Empréstimos obtidos:** Não Aplicável.

**3.1.8- Dívidas de Terceiros:** Estão registadas de acordo com eventos ocorridos no decorrer da atividade operacional, tendo sido deduzidas possíveis perdas por imparidade acumuladas por forma a apurar o seu valor líquido. As vendas e prestações de serviços são realizadas em condições normais de crédito, e os correspondentes saldos de **clientes/ associados** não incluem juros debitados ao cliente. Quando o crédito apresenta um prazo superior ao das condições normais de crédito, as contas de clientes/associados são mensuradas ao custo.

No final de cada período de relato são analisadas as contas de clientes/associados de forma a avaliar se existe alguma evidência objetiva de que não são recuperáveis. Se assim for é de imediato reconhecida a respetiva perda por imparidade. As perdas por imparidade são registadas em sequência de eventos ocorridos que indiquem, objetivamente e de forma quantificável, que a totalidade ou parte do saldo em dívida não será recebido. Para tal, a entidade tem em consideração informação que demonstre que o cliente/associados está em incumprimento das suas responsabilidades, bem como informação histórica dos saldos vencidos e não recebidos.

Dadas as suas características institucionais não se pode linearmente afirmar que uma entidade como a RSAI tenha clientes, pelo menos no sentido mais vulgarmente concedido ao termo. Poderemos sim falar em clientes associados aliando tal conceito, no caso particular, a público-alvo a que nos dirigimos.

**3.1.9- Dívidas a Terceiros:** estão registadas pelo modelo do custo. As dívidas a fornecedores ou a outros terceiros foram registadas pelo seu valor nominal. Felizmente a RSAI conseguiu honrar todos os seus compromissos dado que não vencem juros e o efeito do desconto é considerado imaterial.

**3.1.10- Inventários:** Não aplicável.

**3.1.11- Caixa e Depósitos Bancários:** Os montantes incluídos nestas rubricas são mobilizáveis, no entanto, existe um depósito no valor de 86.886,63 €, sujeito ao risco das diferenças de câmbios, uma vez que, encontra-se em libras, tendo sofrido uma desvalorização cambial durante o exercício decorrente no valor de 3.271,27 €, e uma desvalorização de 15.014,65 € durante o exercício fiscal anterior, encontrando-se registadas nas rubricas, 6861 – Diferenças de câmbios desfavoráveis e 6881 – Correções relativas a períodos anteriores, uma vez que, não foi tido em conta esta desvalorização nas contas do ano 2016.

**3.1.12- Subsídios do Governo:** Não aplicável.

### 3.2- Bases de Reconhecimento

#### 3.2.1- Ativos Intangíveis

	Goodwill	Proj. Desenvolvimento	Programas computador	Propriedade Industrial	O.A.Intangíveis
QT. ESCRITURADA BRUTA INIC			2.878,20		
DEPRECI ACUMUL INICIAIS			2.878,20		
QUANT ESCRITURADA LQ INIC	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00
ADIÇÕES					
OUTRAS					
TOTAL DAS ADIÇÕES	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00
DIMUNUIÇÕES					
AMORTIZAÇÕES					
PERDAS POR IMPARIDADE					
ALIENAÇÕES					
ABATES					
TOTAL DAS DIMINUIÇÕES	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00
QUANT ESCRITURADA LIQUIDA FINAL	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00

## **.2.2- Locações**

Não aplicável.

## **3.2.3- Provisões**

Não aplicável.

## **3.2.4- Rédito**

A maior parte dos réditos desta instituição acentua na Prestação de Serviços de formações e assessoria técnica e são mensurados da seguinte forma:

Quando o desfecho de uma transação que envolva a prestação de serviços possa ser fiavelmente estimado, o rédito associado com a transação é reconhecido com referência à fase de acabamento da transação à data do balanço. O desfecho de uma transação pode ser fiavelmente estimado quando todas as condições seguintes forem satisfeitas:

- a) A quantia de rédito possa ser fiavelmente mensurada;
- b) Seja provável que os benefícios económicos associados à transação fluam para a entidade;
- c) A fase de acabamento da transação à data do balanço possa ser fiavelmente mensurada;
- d) Os custos incorridos com a transação e os custos para concluir a transação possam ser fiavelmente mensurados.

Constituem, igualmente, receitas da associação, embora com menos expressão, os valores provenientes de quotizações pagas pelos associados, anualmente.

## **3.2.5- Custo Empréstimos Obtidos**

Não aplicável

## **3.2.6- Dívidas de Terceiros**

Em 31 de Dezembro, a rubrica clientes apresentava as seguintes maturidades:

	2018	2017
< 60 DIAS	44.676,50	
60 - 90 DIAS		
90 - 120 DIAS		
>120		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>44.676,50</b>	<b>0,00</b>



### 3.2.7- Dívidas a Terceiros

Em 31 de Dezembro, a rubrica fornecedores apresentava as seguintes maturidades:

	2018	2017
< 60 DIAS		
60 - 90 DIAS		
90 - 120 DIAS		
>120		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0,00</b>	<b>0,00</b>

### 3.2.8- Inventários

	2018	2017
MERCADORIA		

### 3.2.9- Caixa e Depósitos Bancários

	2018	2017
CAIXA	323,64	323,64
DEPÓSITOS BANCÁRIOS CORRENTES	354.888,50	218.965,11
DEPÓSITOS BANCÁRIOS Ñ CORRENTES		86.886,63
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>355.212,14</b>	<b>306.175,38</b>

### 3.2.10 – Estado e Outros Entes Públicos

	2018	2017
IMPOSTO IRC (IMPOSTO DO PERÍODO)		
IMPOSTO IRS		
IMPOSTO IVA	2.057,00	2.057,00
CONTRIBUIÇÃO SEGURANÇA SOCIAL		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2.057,00</b>	<b>2.057,00</b>

### 3.2.11 – Fornecimento e serviços externos

	2018	2017
TRABALHO ESPECIALIZADO	53.292,13	19.439,69
HONORÁRIOS	10.820,26	
PUBLICIDADE E PROPAGANDA		
FERRAMENTAS E UTENSÍLIOS DE DESGASTE RÁPIDO		548,15
LIVROS E DOCUMENTAÇÃO TÉCNICA	922,50	540,00
MATERIAL DE ESCRITÓRIO	5,97	
ELECTRICIDADE		
COMBUSTÍVEIS		
ÁGUA		
ARTIGOS PARA OFERTA		
DESLOCAÇÕES E ESTADAS	21.152,65	5.754,11
COMUNICAÇÃO	13,15	25,70
DESPESAS DE REPRESENTAÇÃO		140,00
OUTROS	2.776,10	1.303,03
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>88.982,76</b>	<b>27.750,68</b>

### 3.2.12- Gastos com o pessoal; Não aplicável

	2018	2017
NÚMERO MÉDIO DE EMPREGADOS	0	0
NÚMERO DE EMPREGADOS NO FIM DO PERÍODO	0	0

### 3.2.13- Outros Gastos e Perdas

	2018	2017
IMPOSTOS INDIRECTOS	15,59	5,56
DESCONTOS P/ PAGAMENTO CONCEDIDOS		
PERDAS EM INSTRUMENTOS FINANCEIROS		3.271,27
INSUF. ESTIMATIVA P/ IMPOSTOS		
DESPESAS NÃO DEV. DOCUMENTADAS	1.607,43	
CORREÇÕES RELATIVAS A PERÍODOS ANTERIORES	34.183,11	15.014,65
SUBSIDIOS / APOIOS CONCEDIDOS	37.482,38	28.560,42
QUOTIZAÇÕES / INSCRIÇÕES		660,00
OUTROS	20,00	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>73.308,51</b>	<b>47.511,90</b>

### 3.2.14- Outros Rendimentos e Ganhos

	2018	2017
EXCESSO PREVISÃO ENCARGO C/ FÉRIAS		
GANHOS EM INSTRUMENTOS FINANCEIROS	219,14	
GANHOS NOS RESTANTES ACTIVOS FINANCEIROS		
CORREÇÕES RELATIVAS A PERÍODOS ANTERIORES	1.290,00	26.467,16
OUTROS	2.644,52	60,63
SUBSIDIOS À EXPLORAÇÃO		
ALIENAÇÕES		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4.153,66</b>	<b>26.527,79</b>

No ano de 2018, o resultado líquido foi positivo no valor de 7.391,11 €, propomos que o resultado apresentado seja transferido para a conta de Resultados Transitados / Reservas.

ANGRA DO HEROÍSMO, 31 de MARÇO de 2018

O TOC



A GERÊNCIA

# RSAI Report and Accounts of 2018

Tomaz Ponce Dentinho

Elisabete Martins

May, 2019

[rsai@apdr.pt](mailto:rsai@apdr.pt)

**RSAI**  THE REGIONAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONAL





## Note from the Executive Director on 2018



Along 2018, there were three Council Meetings, one in Goa (India), one in Cork (Ireland) and one in San Antonio (USA) whose minutes are available through the RSAI webpage.. There were the expected changes in the composition of RSAI Council with the election and substitution of three Councilor at Large.

Roberto Caragliu and Graham Clarke edited two issues of the RSAI Newsletter, published and distributed by RSAI in the Conferences of RSAI (Goa), ERSA (Cork) and NARSC (San

Antonio).

With the support of Jean Claude Thill RSAI signed a new agreement with the publisher that increases the expected net revenue from the publisher from 44000 Euros to 50000 Euros and does not contain any clause for remaining with the publisher after 5 years.

Papers in Regional Science increased the number of downloads by 37.7 % overcoming 120000. The journal Regional Science Policy and Practice increased the number of downloads by 47.4% in 2018 almost reaching 18000.

RSAI awards acknowledged the best work of regional scientists; the program Nurturing Talent helped the implementation of Summer Courses in Split (Croatia), Depok (Indonesia), Aquila (Italy), Bratislava (Slovakia), West Virginia (USA) ; Ho Chi Minh City (Vietnam) and Lille (France). The program Building Bridges supported the participation of young scientists for the World Congress in Goa (India).

There was an increase in the number of members from 4390 in 2014, 4434 in 2015 and 4325 in 2016, 4392 in 2017 and 4074 in 2018. The reduction was mainly due the adjustment of the members from NARSC that previously registered for two years and to the absence of payments of some sections. In 2018, the Regional Science Association of China was formally included in RSAI bringing 316 new members that paid the fee for 2019.

In 2018, the bank account in pounds was transferred to the bank account in euros. Evaluated in euros, the bank account evolved from 306 175,38 € in December 2017 to 355 212,14 € in December 2018. Membership enrollment was possible due to the strong support from the RSAI Sections and Supra-nationals and the advice of the Council and the Presidency.

Many thanks.

**Tomaz Ponce Dentinho**

**Executive Director of RSAI**

## CONTENT

Note from the Executive Director on 2018 .....	1
1. RSAI Council Members .....	2
2. RSAI Publications .....	3
3. RSAI Awards.....	3
4. Development of new sections.....	4
5. Universal Membership .....	4
6. RSAI Accounts of 2018.....	4

May 2019

## 1. RSAI Council Members

Table 1. –RSAI Council Members in 2018

	Name	Member	Period	Email
1	Budy Resosudarmo	President	2017-2018	<a href="mailto:budy.resosudarmo@anu.edu.au">budy.resosudarmo@anu.edu.au</a>
2	Mark Partridge	Vice President	2018	<a href="mailto:partridge.27@osu.edu">partridge.27@osu.edu</a>
3	Fu-Chuan-Lai	PRSCO President	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:uiucclai@gate.sinica.edu.tw">uiucclai@gate.sinica.edu.tw</a>
4	Lily Kiminami	PRSCO Representative	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:kiminami@agr.niigata-u.ac.jp">kiminami@agr.niigata-u.ac.jp</a>
5	Armida Alisjahbana	PRSCO Representative	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:armida.alisjahbana@unpad.ac.id">armida.alisjahbana@unpad.ac.id</a>
6	Neil Reil	NARSC President	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:neil.reid@utoledo.edu">neil.reid@utoledo.edu</a>
7	Peter Stenberg	NARSC Representative	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:nordacad13@gmail.com">nordacad13@gmail.com</a>
8	Alessandra Faggian	NARSC Representative	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:alessandra.faggian@gssi.it">alessandra.faggian@gssi.it</a>
9	Jouke Van Dijk	ERSA President	2015-2018	<a href="mailto:jouke.van.dijk@rug.nl">jouke.van.dijk@rug.nl</a>
10	Francisco Carballo Cruz	ERSA Representative	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:fcaballo@eeg.uminho.pt">fcaballo@eeg.uminho.pt</a>
11	Andre Torre	ERSA Representative	2014-2019	<a href="mailto:andre.torre@wanadoo.fr">andre.torre@wanadoo.fr</a>
12	Serena	LARSA President	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:sesohi@hotmail.com">sesohi@hotmail.com</a>
13	Jaime Bonet	LARSA Representative	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:jbonetmo@banrep.gov.co">jbonetmo@banrep.gov.co</a>
14	Eduardo Haddad	LARSA Representative	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:ehaddad@usp.br">ehaddad@usp.br</a>
15	Amit Batabyal	Councilor at large	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:aabgsh@rit.edu">aabgsh@rit.edu</a>
16	Sumana Bandyopadhyay	Councilor at large	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:cu.rsa2016@gmail.com">cu.rsa2016@gmail.com</a>
17	Rosella Nicolini	Councilor at large	2018-2020	<a href="mailto:Rosella.nicolini@uab.cat">Rosella.nicolini@uab.cat</a>
18	Fabio Mazzola	Councilor at large	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:fabio.mazzola@unipa.it">fabio.mazzola@unipa.it</a>
19	Laurie Schintler	Councilor at large	2017-2019	<a href="mailto:lschintl@gmu.edu">lschintl@gmu.edu</a>
20	Tomaz Dentinho	Executive Director	2011-2018	<a href="mailto:tomas.lc.dentinho@uac.pt">tomas.lc.dentinho@uac.pt</a>

Table 2. –RSAI Council Members in 2017

	Name	Member	Period	Email
1	Andres Rodriguez-Pose	Past President President Ersa Representative	2017 2015-2016 2013-2015	<a href="mailto:a.rodriguez-pose@lse.ac.uk">a.rodriguez-pose@lse.ac.uk</a>
2	Jacques Poot	President Vice – President Councilor at large	2017 2015-2016 2015-2017	<a href="mailto:jpoot@waikato.ac.nz">jpoot@waikato.ac.nz</a>
3	Patricio Aroca	PRSCO President	2016-2017	<a href="mailto:pareca@ucn.cl">pareca@ucn.cl</a>
4	Jichung Yang	PRSCO Representative	2013-2018	<a href="mailto:jcyang@snu.ac.kr">jcyang@snu.ac.kr</a>
5	Erendira Serrano	PRSCO Representative	2015-2017	<a href="mailto:sesohi@hotmail.com">sesohi@hotmail.com</a>
6	Neil Reid	NARSC President	2012-2016	<a href="mailto:neil.reid@utoledo.edu">neil.reid@utoledo.edu</a>
7	Peter Stenberg	NARSC Representative	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:stenberg@ers.usda.gov">stenberg@ers.usda.gov</a>
8	Alessandra Faggian	NARSC Representative	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:faggian.1@osu.edu">faggian.1@osu.edu</a>
9	Jouke Van Dijk	ERSA President	2015-2018	<a href="mailto:jouke.van.dijk@rug.nl">jouke.van.dijk@rug.nl</a>
10	Isabelle Thomas	Ersa Representative	2015-2017	<a href="mailto:isabelle@geog.ucl.ac.be">isabelle@geog.ucl.ac.be</a>
11	Andre Torre	Ersa Representative	2014-2017	<a href="mailto:andre.torre@wanadoo.fr">andre.torre@wanadoo.fr</a>
12	Carlos Azzoni	LACRSA	2017-2020	<a href="mailto:cazzoni@usp.br">cazzoni@usp.br</a>
13	Jaime Bonet	LACRSA Representative	2017-2020	<a href="mailto:jbonetmo@banrep.gov.co">jbonetmo@banrep.gov.co</a>
14	Eduardo Haddad	LACRSA Representative	2017-2020	<a href="mailto:ehaddad@usp.br">ehaddad@usp.br</a>
15	Emmanouil Tranos	Councilor at large	2015-2017	<a href="mailto:e.tranos@bham.ac.uk">e.tranos@bham.ac.uk</a>
16	Daniel Griffith	Councilor at large	2015-2017	<a href="mailto:dagriffith@utdallas.edu">dagriffith@utdallas.edu</a>
17	Tüzin Baycan	Councilor at large	2015-2017	<a href="mailto:tbaycan@itu.edu.tr">tbaycan@itu.edu.tr</a>
18	Fabio Mazzola	Councilor at large	2016-2018	<a href="mailto:fabio.mazzola@unipa.it">fabio.mazzola@unipa.it</a>
19	Laurie Schintler	Councilor at large	2017-2020	<a href="mailto:lschintl@gmu.edu">lschintl@gmu.edu</a>
20	Tomaz Dentinho	Executive Director Ersa Representative Councilor at large	2011-2018 2010-2012 2013-2015	<a href="mailto:Tomas.lc.dentinho@uac.pt">Tomas.lc.dentinho@uac.pt</a>



## 2. RSAI Publications

### ✦ RSAI Journals - 2018 Financial Statement

#### *Papers in Regional Science and Regional Science Policy and Practice*

The individual and combined 2018 financial statements for *Papers in Regional Science and Regional Science Policy and Practice* are shown overleaf, with 2017 figures included for comparison.

**Subscription Revenue:** Total subscription revenue was comparable with 2017's revenue at **£145,419**. This is exceptional because most titles experienced an attrition in 2018; the positive impact of currency exchange rates which cause an uplift in 2017 revenues for most titles were not repeated in 2018.

**Non-subscription Revenue:** Non-subscription revenue increased by 4% to **£28,097**, largely driven by growth in open access revenue (+19% to £7,686). This revenue stream can fluctuate from year to year however, so we cannot predict this to be indicative of a longer-term trend.

**Total Revenue:** Total revenue increased to **£173,516** in 2018 (+0.6%).

**Costs:** Although overall costs increased by 13% to **£73,653** as a result of publishing more articles related to the backlog clearing exercise for PIRS, Wiley absorbed the costs of the backlog clearance (67 articles out of 87 articles published in PIRS in 2018) as agreed.

**RSAI Share of Profit:** The profit to be shared increased from £45,807 to **£68,618**. RAI's share of profit for the 2018 volume year is **£37,740**, with an additional **£8,501** to be paid towards editorial expenses. The final royalty and editorial expenses due to the RAI is **£46,241**. We will pay the final royalty in Euros (**€54,065**) upon receipt of an invoice (exchange rate: 1GBP=1.16919EUR).

- ✦ **RSAI Newsletters** edited by Andrea Caragliu and Graham Clarke published two issues that were distributed in PRSCO, ERSAs and RSAs Americas Conferences of 2018.

## 3. RAI Awards

- ✦ **The 2018 Kohno Prize** was awarded to Roberta Capello, Full professor of Regional Economics at Politecnico of Milan, Faculty of Building Engineering.
- ✦ The winner of the **Martin Beckmann Prize 2018** was the article "[Network proximity in the geography of research collaboration](#)" by [Laurent R. Bergé](#), published in Volume 94, Issue 4, November 2017, Pages: 785-815.
- ✦ The **Peter Nijkamp Research Encouragement Award 2017** was awarded to Dusan Paredes from Universidad Catolica del Norte, Chile and Anthony Howell from Peking University, China

May 2019

- ✦ In 2017 the winner of the **RSAI dissertation prize** was Justin Delloye for his Thesis entitled "Urban Morphodynamics: Reconciling Location Theory and Complex". He was supervised by Professor Dominique Peeters and Professor Isabelle Thomas from Université catholique de Louvain.
- ✦ Viola von Berlepsch is the winner of the **2018 Czamanski Dissertation Award** for her dissertation entitled "The long-term economic impact of migration and its significance for US prosperity". She was supervised by Prof. Andrés Rodríguez-Pose and Prof. Neil Lee.
- ✦ **RSAI Fellows in 2018:** Janet E. Kohlhase, University of Houston, USA; Alan T. Murray, University of California at Santa Barbara, USA; Dan Rickman, Oklahoma State University, USA; and Andrés Rodríguez-Pose, London School of Economics, UK
- ✦ **RSAI Young Researchers Prize 2018:**

1st Place - Two winners: **Dpsita Dhar**, Jawaharal Nehru University - "*Migration and labor market: a continued case of occupational segregation and caste dominance*"; and **Alexander Lehner**, University of Bologna - "*450 years of Portuguese colonialism in India: missionaries, education, gender gaps*"

2nd Place - Two winners: **Deepak Sethia**, Indian Institute of Management - "*Regional distribution of federal transfers and expenditure in India*"; and **Raya Das**, Jawaharal Nehru University - "*Low repayment capacity and high indebtedness among agricultural households in India: sustainability of the sector as a source of livelihood*"
- ✦ **RSPAP Annual Paper Award 2018:** Jinwon Bae and Sandy Dall'Erba (2016) - The economic impact of a new solar power plant in Arizona: Comparing the input-output results generated by JEDI vs. IMPLAN. Regional Science Policy & Practice 8 (1,2), 61-73

#### 4. Development of new sections

- ✦ In November 2018, the Regional Science Association of China, was formally integrated of Regional Science Association International and the Regional Science Association of Bangladesh reassumed its activity.

#### 5. Universal Membership

- ✦ In 2012 RSAI secretariat began to register directly the list of members and respective registration fees interacting with RSAI sections. There are 4074 RSAI members in 2018 from 4392 RSAI members in 2017, 4325 RSAI members in 2016, 4434 in 2015, 4390 in 2014, 4080 in 2013, 3955 in 2012, 3535 in 2011, 3550 in 2010 and 3207 in 2009.

#### 6. RSAI Accounts of 2018

- ✦ In 2018 RSAI achieved a net surplus of 7 391,11€.

May 2019

- ✦ There are sections that do not have enrolled members; there are sections that have relatively few members relative to the population of the respective areas of influence.
- ✦ The Costs with the program NURTURING NEW TALENT INITIATIVE was 27 112,37 €.
- ✦ Evaluated in euros, the bank account evolved from 306 175,38 € in December 2017 to 355 212,14 € in December 2018.



Bank account in Euros		
1	Balance brought forward from 2017 (01-01-2018)	218 421,88 €
2	Closing Balance carried forward (31-12-2018)	354 888,50 €
3=(2-1)	Margin of 2018	136 466,62 €

Conciliation of the accounts		
4=2	Cash and Deposits 2018 (31-12-2018)	354 888,50 €
5	Cash	323,64 €
7=(4+5)	Total	355 212,14 €

ACCOUNTS FROM January 2018 till December 2018			
Description	Revenues	Costs	NET PROFIT
<b>General</b>	- €	<b>9 720,28 €</b>	<b>-9 720,28 €</b>
ACCOUNTING	- €	3 786,55 €	-3 786,55 €
WEBSERVER, NEW WEBSITE AND CONGRESS SYSTEM	- €	640,00 €	- 640,00 €
RSAI SECRETARIATE	- €	5 000,00 €	-5 000,00 €
OTHERS	- €	293,73 €	- 293,73 €
<b>Wiley - Blackwell</b>	<b>97 464,87 €</b>	<b>34 584,82 €</b>	<b>62 880,05 €</b>
PIRS AND RSPP 2017 PROFIT SHARE	40 517,66 €	- €	40 517,66 €
PIRS ADVANCE ON EDITORIAL AND TRAVEL EXPENSES 2018	18 536,97 €	- €	18 536,97 €
RSPP ADVANCE ON EDITORIAL AND TRAVEL EXPENSES 2018	7 944,42 €	- €	7 944,42 €
PAYMENT JOHN WILEY & SONS, LTD - YEAR 2017 - RSAI MEMBERSHIP	- €	25 372,11 €	- 25 372,11 €
Wiley to support Conference	2 492,35 €	247,37 €	2 244,98 €
New contract with JOHN WILEY & SONS (lawyer and Bonus)	27 973,47 €	8 965,34 €	19 008,13 €
<b>Editorial</b>	- €	<b>21 939,81 €</b>	<b>- 21 939,81 €</b>
RSAl NEWSLETTER PAYMENT (Editor and printing)	- €	1 937,21 €	-1 937,21 €
PIRS EDITORIAL OFFICE ANUAL EXPENSES	- €	10 000,00 €	- 10 000,00 €
PIRS EDITORIAL AND TRAVEL EXPENSES PAYMENT FOR EDITOR	- €	5 002,60 €	-5 002,60 €
RSPP EDITORIAL AND TRAVEL EXPENSES PAYMENT FOR EDITOR	- €	5 000,00 €	-5 000,00 €
<b>RSAl Awards</b>	- €	<b>30 644,73 €</b>	<b>- 30 644,73 €</b>
NURTURING NEW TALENT INITIATIVE	- €	27 112,37 €	- 27 112,37 €
BUILDING BRIDGES PROGRAM (free fees on the RSAI WORLD CONGRESS 2018)	- €	- €	- €
OTHER AWARDS	- €	3 532,36 €	-3 532,36 €
<b>Memberships</b>	<b>31 670,45 €</b>	<b>8,20 €</b>	<b>31 662,25 €</b>
INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIPS (2018)	981,88 €	- €	981,88 €
MEMBERSHIP ARSC SECTION (PAY ON 2017)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP AUSTRALIA/NEW ZEALAND SECTION (2017 and 2018)	1 330,00 €	- €	1 330,00 €
MEMBERSHIP BALTIC SECTION (2017 and 2018)	500,00 €	- €	500,00 €
MEMBERSHIP BRAZIL SECTION (2017 and 2018)	2 090,00 €	- €	2 090,00 €
MEMBERSHIP CHILEAN SECTION (PAY ON 2019)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP CHINA SECTION (2019)	1 540,00 €	- €	1 540,00 €
MEMBERSHIP COLOMBIAN SECTION (2018)	175,00 €	4,10 €	170,90 €
MEMBERSHIP CROATIA SECTION (2017)	320,00 €	- €	320,00 €
MEMBERSHIP DUTCH SECTION (2018)	1 100,00 €	- €	1 100,00 €
MEMBERSHIP ECUADOR SECTION (PAY ON 2019)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP FRENCH SECTION (2018)	2 310,00 €	- €	2 310,00 €
MEMBERSHIP GERMAN SECTION (2018)	2 560,00 €	- €	2 560,00 €
MEMBERSHIP GREEK SECTION (2016, 2017 and 2018)	1 600,00 €	- €	1 600,00 €
MEMBERSHIP HUNGARIAN SECTION (2018)	630,00 €	- €	630,00 €
MEMBERSHIP INDIAN SECTION (Deducted from RSAI world congress 2018)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP INDONESIAN SECTION (2018)	232,37 €	- €	232,37 €
MEMBERSHIP ISRAEL SECTION (2018)	225,00 €	4,10 €	220,90 €
MEMBERSHIP ITALIAN SECTION (2018)	2 670,00 €	- €	2 670,00 €
MEMBERSHIP JAPANESE SECTION (2018)	5 330,00 €	- €	5 330,00 €
MEMBERSHIP KOREAN SECTION (PAY ON 2019)	- €	- €	- €

May 2019

# Report and Accounts of 2018 7

MEMBERSHIP MOROCCO SECTION (2018 and 2019)	130,00 €	- €	130,00 €
MEMBERSHIP MEXICAN SECTION (2017 and 2018))	1 111,20 €	- €	1 111,20 €
MEMBERSHIP NARSC SECTION (PAY ON 2019)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP NORDIC SECTION (DO NOT PAY SINCE 2016)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP POLISH SECTION (2018)	690,00 €	- €	690,00 €
MEMBERSHIP PORTUGUESE SECTION (2018)	980,00 €	- €	980,00 €
MEMBERSHIP ROMANIAN SECTION (2018)	420,00 €	- €	420,00 €
MEMBERSHIP SLOVAKIA SECTION (2018)	580,00 €	- €	580,00 €
MEMBERSHIP SPANISH SECTION (2018)	3 400,00 €	- €	3 400,00 €
MEMBERSHIP THAILAND SECTION (2018)	15,00 €	- €	15,00 €
MEMBERSHIP TURKISH SECTION (PAY ON 2019)	- €	- €	- €
MEMBERSHIP UK & IRELAND SECTION (2018)	750,00 €	- €	750,00 €
<b>Events</b>	<b>73 664,78 €</b>	<b>56 541,41 €</b>	<b>17 123,37 €</b>
RSAI WORLD CONGRESS 2018	71 040,21 €	52 705,18 €	18 335,03 €
RSAI WORLD CONGRESS 2020	- €	1 216,70 €	-1 216,70 €
Support Roger Stough	2 624,57 €	2 619,53 €	5,04 €
<b>Transfer from account in pounds</b>	<b>87 105,77 €</b>	<b>- €</b>	<b>87 105,77 €</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>289 905,87 €</b>	<b>153 439,25 €</b>	<b>136 466,62 €</b>

May 2019



## STATUTORY AUDITOR'S REPORT

### REPORT ON THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### Qualified Opinion

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of Regional Science Association International - RSAI, registered in Portugal with the fiscal tax number 509754090, which comprise the balance sheet as at 12/31/2018 (showing a total of 413.948,43 € and a total of equity funds of 361.893,93 €, including a net profit of 7.391,11 €), the income statement by nature, the notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the management report RSAI Report and Accounts of 2018.

In my opinion, except for the effects of the situations described in the section below "Basis for the qualified opinion", the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view, in all material respects, of the financial position of the Entity as at 12/31/2018, and of its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards for Non-Profit Entities adopted in Portugal under the Portuguese Accounting System.

1

#### Basis for the qualified opinion

As real or contingent expenditures, the cash value of 323.64 € was not supported, the amount paid to lawyers outside of Portugal generated contingencies of 1,613.39 €, the expense attributable to 2018 of annual PIRS subscriptions of €24,895.77 was not accounted for in the period although invoiced only in May 2019, and in the revenues it was not accounted 54,065 € of the PIRS and RSPP royalty final income for the year 2018 despite the fact that it was only debited in April 2019, and consequently the net effect of these situations was undervaluing the profit of the period, and also the equity, in 27,232.20 €.

I conducted my audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and further technical and ethical standards and guidelines as issued by Ordem dos Revisores Oficiais de Contas (the Portuguese Institute of Statutory Auditors). My responsibility under those standards is further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section below. I am independent of the Entity in accordance with the Ordem dos Revisores Oficiais de Contas code of ethics.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my qualified opinion.

#### Emphasis

Without affecting the opinion set forth in the above Qualified Opinion, I draw attention to the following situation:

-the matters of the Basis for Qualified Opinion of the precedent Certification of Accounts of the year 2017, one related with payments by registered participants for the RSAI World Congress in Thailand in 2014, that didn't take place was substantially resolved by the time elapsed and the opportunity to compensate with the later RSAI World Congress in Goa in 2018, and the other related with a Value Added Tax credit was also regularized in the year 2018.

#### Responsibilities of management and the supervisory board by the financial statements

The management is responsible for:

- the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position, financial performance in accordance with the Accounting and Financial Reporting Standard for Non-Profit Entities adopted in Portugal under the Portuguese Accounting System;
- the preparation of the management report in accordance with applicable laws and regulations;
- designing and maintaining an appropriate internal control system to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error;
- the adoption of accounting policies and principles appropriate in the circumstances; and
- assessing the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern, and disclosing, as applicable, the matters that may cast significant doubt about the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern.

The supervisory body is responsible for overseeing the Entity's financial reporting process.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

My responsibility is to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes my opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered materials if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, I exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. I also:

- identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient



and appropriate to provide a basis for my opinion. The risk of not detecting material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control;

- obtain an understanding of the internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Entity's internal control;

- evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management;

- conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern. If I conclude that a material uncertainty exists, I am required to draw attention in my auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify my opinion. My conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of my auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Entity to cease to continue as a going concern;

- evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation;

- communicate with those charged with governance, including the supervisory body, regarding among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings including any significant deficiencies in internal control that I identify during the audit.

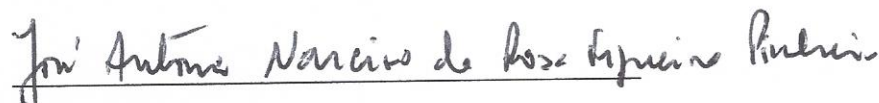
My responsibility also includes verification that the information contained in the management's report and accounts of 2018 is consistent with the financial statements.

#### **Report on other legal and regulatory requirements**

##### **About the management's report & accounts of 2018**

In my opinion, the management's report & accounts of 2018 was prepared in accordance with the applicable legal and regulatory requirements and the information contained therein is consistent with the audited financial statements and, having regard to my knowledge and assessment over the Entity, I have not identified any material misstatements, but I must emphasize that the presentation of the accounts in the management's report & accounts of 2018 is in cash flow statement, and not in income statement with the specialization of the economic year.

Angra do Heroísmo, July 31, 2019



José António Narciso da Rosa Figueira Pinheiro (Auditor number 1107)

---

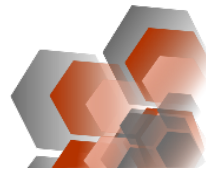
José António Narciso da Rosa Figueira Pinheiro

Office: Rua de São João, 9, 1º

9700-182 Angra do Heroísmo

Phones: + 351 295215667/8 - 917285097, Fax: 295215663

Economist/Auditor, registered in Ordem de Revisores Oficiais de Contas, with the number 1107



## Annex 4

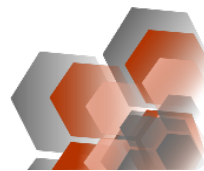
### Election of RSAI President Elected 2019/Vice President 2020/President 2021-2022

The Presidential search committee chaired by Mark Partridge was composed of Prof. Mark Partridge, Prof. Budy Resosudarmo, Prof. André Torre, Prof. Rachel Franklin, Prof. Patricio Aroca, Prof. Neil Reid, Prof. Geoffrey Hewings, and Prof. Kingsley Haynes, consistent with the constitutional guidelines. We met electronically and shared many emails. We made efforts to enlarge the pool of LACRSA to include a wide diversity of applicants. In the end, we had two nominees:

1. Prof. Rafael Garduño-Rivera, Universidad Panamericana
2. Prof. Eduardo Haddad, University of San Paulo.

The applications submitted by Prof. Garduño-Rivera and Prof. Haddad are included in this Annex.

The committee is very impressed with Professor Haddad and unanimously recommended him as their choice.



## Annex 5

### Nomination of the RSAI Treasurer

According to By-law 6 of the RSAI Constitution:

*“The Treasurer will be jointly responsible with the Executive Director for the finances of the RSAI. The tasks of the Treasurer include periodically overseeing the finances of the RSAI and reporting to Council and to the Council’s standing Finance Committee about the financial situation of the Association.*

*The Treasure should be independent from the President and the Executive Director and will have access to all accounts of the Association, its budgets, and financial documents. S/he will participate in the steering of the Association’s financial policies and will serve as a non-voting member of the Financial Committee.*

*The Executive Director may be assisted by a Financial Officer with capacity to run daily bank account operations and book-keeping. The Financial Officer and the Executive Director will provide the Treasurer with access to the Association’s accounts, as well as all the necessary financial information in order to allow him or her to report to Council”.*

Prof. Francisco Carballo has notified the President and the Executive Director of his willingness to step down from his position as Treasurer of the RSAI.

The President and Executive Director discussed this matter and after considering the balance of supranationals and genders in our responsibility roles, we suggest Prof. Serena Eréndira Serrano Oswald, current LARSCA President, to serve as Treasurer.

This Annex also includes a statement of interest in this position and a short CV of Prof. Serrano.



Cuernavaca, August 21st, 2019.

Dear RSAI Council members,

I am writing to you all in order to present my candidacy, submit my statement of interest, and ask for your support in order to become RSAI Treasurer. I believe it is an exciting time to be part of the RSAI team, combining both experience and renovation of the board.

In terms of my academic credentials, I have a multidisciplinary training in at least eight countries, covering most disciplines in the Social Sciences and in Psychology –both social and clinical. I am an active RSAI member since 2003. Regarding my direct experience, over the years I have participated in Executive Committee and Council positions at national (Mexican Regional Science Association, Centro Tepoztlán, Tierra Jóven, Benguna Bee) and international academic associations (LARSA-RSAI, Latin American Peace Research Council, International Studies Association). Within the RSAI, I started helping out with logistics and overseeing finances and monies at the Mexican regional science association AMECIDER. Over time, I stated participating academically and as member of the Executive Committee. Thus, I was invited to become international representative of AMECIDER at the PRSCO and RSAI Councils. I have been the first woman and the first person under sixty to be elected as President of the Mexican Regional Science Association (AMECIDER), and with time and hard work I have also been appointed as the first President of the Latin American and Caribbean Regional Science Association (LARSA).

Overall, I have been involved with RSAI section activities for over three decades. This has enabled me to grow both personally and professionally. My interest is to serve with professionalism, dedication and commitment the RSAI Board, and the RSAI community and membership.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or comments about my candidacy for this position ([sesohi@hotmail.com](mailto:sesohi@hotmail.com) ).

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Serena Eréndira Serrano Oswald', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Serena Eréndira Serrano Oswald



## Serena Eréndira Serrano Oswald (México)

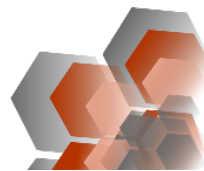


**Serena Eréndira Serrano Oswald** (México) is tenured professor at the Regional Multidisciplinary Research Centre (CRIM), National Autonomous University of Mexico (UNAM). She holds a PhD in *Social Anthropology* (UNAM, Mexico), doctoral studies in *Psychology* (CRISOL Institute), an MSc in *Social Psychology* (LSE, UK), an MFT in *Systemic Family Therapy* (CRISOL Institute, Mexico) and a BA Hons in *Political Studies and History* (SOAS, UK). She has a Postdoctoral training in *Sociology and Gender* (UNAM, Mexico), a professional diploma in *Translation and Interpreting* (Institute of Linguists, UK), and postgraduate trainings in *Teaching and Clinical Supervision* (CRISOL Institute, Mexico), *Child and Adolescent Therapy* (Gestalt Institute, Mexico), *Person-Centred Therapy* (Gestalt Institute, Mexico) and *Gestalt Psychotherapy*; and specialized training in *Gender, Psychopathology and Couples Therapy* (CRISOL, Mexico). She is currently specialising in *Gender Public Policies* (FLACSO Brazil) and the *Human Biography* (Argentina). She holds 7 diploma courses and over 70 ongoing training courses. She has taught 77 courses in social sciences and psychology, both at undergraduate and postgraduate level in public and private institutions. She has helped organise forty congresses at international

and national level, and has participated over 300 times in national and international congresses in thirty countries. With over sixty peer-reviewed publications, she has participated in nineteen research projects. She has worked as researcher, consultant, therapist, and community facilitator, as well as in women-related projects for the pharmaceutical industry. Certified by the National Council of Researchers (SNI I) and UNAM's PRIDE (level C), she is founder of *Benguna Bee Foundation* and is General Secretary of the Latin American Peace Research Council (CLAIP-IPRA). She is currently President of the Latin American and Caribbean Regional Science Association (LARSA-RSAI), and outgoing president of the Mexican Association of Regional Development (AMECIDER). Her areas of interest are the intersection of social sciences and psychology, specifically focusing on gender and social representations in relation to migration, culture, peace and security studies, the environment and regional development.

Email: [sesohi@hotmail.com](mailto:sesohi@hotmail.com)





## Annex 6

### Nomination of the Candidates for Councillor at Large 2020-2022

On July 19, 2019 the following announcement has been posted on the RSAI web site:

“Dear RSAI members,

By RSAI Constitution, nominations for Councilors-at-large “shall be made by the Council after solicitation of suggestions from the members of the Association”. At the end of 2019, the position held by Prof. Laurie Schintler (GMU) will expire; we therefore inform that the proposals for one councilor-at-large can be sent to [rsai@apdr.pt](mailto:rsai@apdr.pt) within September 1, 2019. Candidatures will have to include a professional CV and a photo.

The election of one councilor-at-large for the period 2020-2022 will take place electronically by RSAI members during the month of September 2019.

Best regards,

Andrea Caragliu

RSAI Executive Director”

At the date of this council meeting, three candidatures, from Prof. Rafael Garduño-Rivera, from Prof. Daniela-Luminita Constantin, and from Prof. Yang Kaizhong, have been received. The CVs attached to these candidatures are also included in this Annex.

# Rafael Garduño-Rivera

Research Professor, School of Business and Economics  
Universidad Panamericana  
Av. Josemaría Escrivá de Balaguer 101, Rústicos Calpulli,  
20290 Aguascalientes, Ags., México

Citizenship: Mexican  
[rgardunor@up.edu.mx](mailto:rgardunor@up.edu.mx)  
[Google-Scholar](#); [Research-Gate](#)  
Tel: +52 (449) 994 5153

## Education

<b>Ph.D. in Agricultural and Applied Economics</b> , University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	2012
Dissertation Title: NAFTA's distributional effect on Mexico: Three Essays in Regional Economics	
<b>M.Sc. in Local Economic Development</b> , London School of Economics and Political Science	2000
<b>M.A. in Finance</b> , Graduate School of Business (EGADE), Monterrey Inst. of Tech. (ITESM)	1998
<b>MBA Exchange Program</b> , University of Toronto & University of Texas at Austin	1997
<b>B.A. in Business Administration</b> , ITESM, Placed 3 <sup>th</sup> in a graduate class of 13 students	1996

## Research Fields

Regional Economics, Trade, and International Development

## Methods

Spatial Econometrics; Gravitational & Hedonic Models; Stochastic frontier & Panel Data analysis

## Professional Experience

Research Professor, 2018- Present. School of Business and Economics, Universidad Panamericana

Research Professor, 2011- May, 2019. Economics Division, Center for Research and Teaching in Economics (CIDE)

Economic Consultant, Summer 2010. Regional Agricultural Trade and Productivity Project, World Bank and Nile Basin Initiative, Ethiopia

Project Manager, 2005. London Consulting Group, Latin America

Deputy Financial Comptroller, 2001-2005. Multinational Force and Observers, Egypt & Israel

Senior Financial Consultant, 1998-1999 & 2001. London Consulting Group, Latin America

Financial Auditor, 1997. Blue Bird de Mexico, Inc., Monterrey, Mexico

Financial Analyst, 1996. PRIME International Analysts, Inc., Monterrey, Mexico

## Research Grants

*Estudio de la Competitividad: Regiones, Economía y Sociedad* (Role PI). Fondo Sectorial CONACYT-INEGI October-2012 to April 2014. (\$318,165 USD)

*Drug Policy Monitor (Drug Policy Program)*. (Role Co-I; PI: Alejandro Madrazo Lajous) Open Society Institute (OSI) 2012-2013. (\$631,052.97 USD overall; OSI \$150,000 USD)

*Estudio de lo Regional: Territorio, Sociedad y Economía* (Role PI; Co-I: Gabriel Puron). CIDE's Multidisciplinary Project. 2012-2013. (\$14,583 USD)

*Drug-Violence-Driven Migration flows in Mexico*. (Role Co-I; PI: Kathy Baylis) CONACYT-University of Illinois Cooperative Grant. 2012-2013. (\$8,000 USD)

Tinker Field Research Grant, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Internal Migration in Mexico, 2009

## Journal Articles

---

- Dapena, A. D., Vázquez, E. F., **Garduño-Rivera, R.**, & Morollón, F. R. (2019) "Economic integration and regional convergence: effects of NAFTA on local convergence in Mexico, 1980-2008". Forthcoming at Applied Economics
- Arends-Kuenning, M., Baylis, K., & **Garduño-Rivera, R.** (2019). The effect of NAFTA on internal migration in Mexico: a regional economic analysis. *Applied Economics*, 51(10), 1052-1068.
- Álvarez-Pinilla, A.; **R. Garduño-Rivera**; and H. Nuñez. (2017). Mexico's North-South Divide. The Regional Distribution of State Inefficiency, 1988-2008. *Papers in Regional Science*. Vol. 96, Issue 4. Online ISSN: 1435-5957
- Nuñez, H., D. Paredes and **R. Garduño-Rivera**. (2017). Is crime in Mexico a disamenity? Evidence from a hedonic valuation approach. *Annals of Regional Science (ARSC)*. Vol. 59, Number 1. Pgs. 171-187.
- Garduño-Rivera, R.** and Guadarrama, S. (2017). Influencia del consumo en la felicidad. *Realidad, Datos y Espacio-Revista Internacional de Estadística y Geografía*. Vol. VIII Number 1. Enero-abril. Pgs. 14-49. ISSN 2007-2961.
- Dapena, A. D., Vázquez, E. F., **Garduño-Rivera, R. G.**, & Morollón, F. R. (2017). Does trade imply convergence? analyzing the effect of NAFTA on the local convergence in Mexico. *El Trimestre Económico*, 84(333), 103-120.
- Garduño-Rivera, R.** (2014). La apertura comercial y su efecto en la distribución regional de México. *El Trimestre Económico*, 81(322), 413-439.
- Unger, K., **Garduño, R.**, & Ibarra, J. E. (2014). Especializaciones reveladas y ventajas competitivas en el Bajío mexicano. *EconoQuantum*, 11(2), 41-74.
- Garduño-Rivera, R.** (2013). Factors that Influence Women's Economic Participation in Mexico. *Economía Mexicana*. Nueva Época, 2.
- Garduño-Rivera R.**, J.E. Ibarra and R. Dávila. (2013). La medición de la competitividad en México: ventajas y desventajas de los indicadores. *Realidad, Datos y Espacio-Revista Internacional de Estadística y Geografía*. Volume 4, issue 3, september-december 2013. ISSN 2007-2961. Pages 28-53. e-ISSN 2395-8537
- Baylis, K., **R. Garduño-Rivera** and G. Piras. (2012). The distributional effects of NAFTA in Mexico: evidence from a panel of municipalities. *Regional Science and Urban Economics*. Volume 42, Issues 1-2, January 2012, Pages 286-302. ISSN: 0166-0462

## Book Chapters

---

- Fernandez-Vazquez, E., & **Garduño-Rivera, R.** (2012). Ecological inference with Entropy Econometrics: using the Mexican Census as a benchmark. In *Defining the Spatial Scale in Modern Regional Analysis* (pp. 93-106). Springer Berlin.

## Working Papers

---

- Blankespoor, B., Bougna, T., **Garduno-Rivera, R.**, & Selod, H. (2017). Roads and the geography of economic activities in Mexico. The World Bank.
- Álvarez-Pinilla, A.; **R. Garduño-Rivera**; and H. Nuñez. "Technical Efficiency in Mexico". Documentos de Trabajo CIDE. 2015, # 588.
- Nuñez, H. and **R. Garduño-Rivera**. "Análisis Económico de la oferta de drogas ilícitas y la política contra el narcotráfico en México (2004-009)". Cuaderno de Trabajo del Programa de Política de Drogas del CIDE. #2, June 2014.
- Garduño-Rivera, R.** and H. Nuñez. "Evaluación Económica del efecto regional de las drogas ilícitas en México". Cuaderno de Trabajo del Programa de Política de Drogas del CIDE. #6, June 2014.
- Garduño-Rivera, R.** "El Modelo Gain-Sharing como Participación Económica en las Organizaciones Mexicanas: CYDSA, Un Caso Mexicano Exitoso". Documentos de Trabajo CIDE. 2012, # 534
- Garduño-Rivera R.** and K. Baylis "Effect of Tariff Liberalization on Mexico's Income Distribution in the presence of Migration". Documentos de Trabajo CIDE. 2011, # 511.



## Work in Progress

---

Blankespoor, B.; T. Boungha; **R. Garduño-Rivera** and H. Selod. "Roads and the Geography of Economic Activities in Mexico".

**Garduño-Rivera, R.** and H. Nuñez, "Total Factor Productivity for Mexican cities using stochastic frontier models"

**Garduño-Rivera, R.** "Analysis of Mexico's Urbanization Trends and Economic Performance of Mexican Cities". Mexico Urbanization Review. World Bank.

Fernández-Vázquez, E., **R. Garduño-Rivera** and H. Nuñez. "Filling the gaps: estimating municipal data in Mexico from aggregate information".

García-Alonso, L. and **R. Garduño-Rivera**. "Analysis of the inland distribution of maritime traffic: an application of the gravity model".

## Selected Presentations

---

Blankespoor, B.; T. Boungha; **R. Garduño-Rivera** and H. Selod. "Roads and the Geography of Economic Activities in Mexico". Annual meeting WRSA, Napa, CA. Feb. 2019

**Garduño-Rivera, R.** & H. Nuñez, (2018) "Total Factor Productivity for Mexican cities using stochastic frontier models. ". *Annual Meeting of the NARSC*, San Antonio, TX, Nov. 2018

Dapena, A., E. Fernández-Vázquez, **R. Garduño-Rivera**, F. Rubiera-Morollón. (2015) "Does trade imply convergence?" *Annual Meeting of the ERSA*, Lisbon, Portugal, August 2015

García-Alonso, L. and **R. Garduño-Rivera**. (2014). "Analysis of the inland distribution of maritime traffic: an application of the gravity model". *Annual Meeting of the NARSC*, Washington, D.C., Nov. 2014

**Garduño-Rivera, R.** (2013) "Regional Economic Analysis of Internal Migration in Mexico" *Paper Presented at the 52nd Annual Meeting of the WRSA*, Santa Barbara, CA, Feb. 2013

**Garduño-Rivera, R.** (2008) "The Effect of Trade on Regional Distribution in Mexico" *Paper Presented at the Southern Regional Science Association Meeting*, San Antonio, TX, April 2009

Baylis, K., **R. Garduño-Rivera** and G. Piras (2008) "The distributional effects of NAFTA in Mexico: evidence from a panel of municipalities" *Paper Presented at the 55th Annual North American Meeting of the Regional Science Association International*, New York, NY, November 2008

## Teaching Experience

---

Professor, Universidad Panamericana, Aguascalientes. Courses: International Economics & Microeconomics (undergraduate), International Environment and Economic theory for decision-making (graduate), august 2018-present.

Professor, Center for Research and Teaching in Economics (CIDE). Courses: Microeconomics I, Microeconomics II, International Economics (undergraduate, August 2011 – present), Sustainable Development Economics (graduate, January 2016-present), Spatial Econometrics (summer course, 2015 to present)

Teaching Assistant, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Courses: The World Food Economy (ACE 251), Dept. of Agricultural & Consumer Economics (August 2009 – May 2011).

Lecturer, University of Maryland University College, European Division. Courses: Principles of Macroeconomics (Fall 2003 and Fall 2004).

## Selected Honors and Awards

---

Member of the National Research System (SNI), Mexico's Consejo Nacional de Ciencia y Tecnología (CONACYT), Level II, since 2018.

Member of the National Research System (SNI), Mexico's Consejo Nacional de Ciencia y Tecnología (CONACYT), Level I, 2014-2017.

List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Fall 2010

"Honorable Mention" in the 24th Charles M. Tiebout Prize competition, Western Regional Science Association, 2010  
First prize in the Illinois Economics Association Annual Graduate Student Paper Competition, 2008  
Scholarship from the National Council of Science and Technology (CONACyT), 2005-2009  
Scholarship 'Fondo para el Desarrollo de Recursos Humanos' (FIDERH), Banco de México, 1999-2000 & 2006-2009  
Scholarship 'Fundación Mexicana para la Educación, la Tecnología y la Ciencia' (FUNED), 1999-2000

## Service

---

President of the Agricultural Economics Graduate Student Association, 2008-2009  
Secretary, Alumni and Friends of LSE, Downstate Illinois Chapter, since 2008  
General Coordinator, Master's Student Body, EGADE, ITESM, 1996-1997  
Reviewer for Spatial Economic Analysis; *Journal of Economic Studies*; *El Trimestre Económico*; *Revista Internacional de Estadística y Geografía*; *Nósis*, *Economía: Teoría y Práctica*; *Gestión y Política Pública*

## Memberships in professional organizations

---

Western Regional Science Association (WRSA), 2007- present  
Regional Science Association International (RSAI), 2007- present  
Sociedad Chilena de Estudios Regionales (SOCHER), 2011-present  
Asociación Española de Ciencia Regional, 2012-present  
Agricultural and Applied Economics Association (AAEA), 2006-present  
The Southern Regional Science Association (SRSA), 2007-present  
North American Regional Science Council (NARSC), 2007-present

## Computer Skills

---

Stata, R, Mathematica, Geoda, ArcGIS, LaTeX, SAP (FI & CO modules)

## Languages

---

Spanish (native), English (fluent) & Italian (conversational)

## References

---

Mary P Arends-Kuenning, Associate Professor, Agricultural and Consumer Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1301 W. Gregory Drive, 408, Urbana, IL 61801, Tel: +1 (217) 333-0753, Email: marends@illinois.edu  
Kathy Baylis, Assistant Professor, Agricultural and Consumer Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1301 W. Gregory Drive, 302B, Urbana, IL 61801, Tel: +1 (217) 244-6653, Email: baylis@illinois.edu  
Geoffrey J.D. Hewings, Emeritus Director, Regional Economics and Applications Laboratory, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 410 David Kinley Hall, 1407 W. Gregory, Urbana, Illinois 61801, Tel: +1 (217) 333-4740, Email: hewings@illinois.edu  
Andrés Rodríguez-Pose, Professor of Economic Geography, Department of Geography and Environment, London School of Economics, Houghton St, London WC2A 2AE, UK Tel: +44-(0)20-7955 7971, Email: A.Rodriguez-Pose@lse.ac.uk  
Alex Winter-Nelson, Professor and Director of Graduate Studies, Agricultural and Consumer Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1301 W. Gregory Drive, 418, Urbana, IL 61801, Tel: +1 (217) 244-1381, Email: alexwn@illinois.edu

**Prof.Dr. Daniela-Luminita CONSTANTIN**  
**Bucharest University of Economic Studies**

**Emails:** daniela.constantin@amp.ase.ro  
dconstan@hotmail.com



## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

### **FORMAL EDUCATION**

**Faculty of Economic Cybernetics and Statistics, Bucharest University of Economic Studies,**  
1976 – 1980 (overall grade 9.98 from maximum 10 – top of graduates)

**PhD in Economics (Economic Cybernetics field) from the Bucharest University of Economic Studies (1991)**

### **ACADEMIC POSITIONS AND APPOINTMENTS**

Government appointment at the Bucharest University of Economic Studies, Department of Economic Forecasting (1980)

Positions within this university: **University Assistant**, 1980-1991; **University Lecturer**, 1991-1994; **Senior Lecturer**, 1994-1998; **Full Professor**, 1998- current

### **CURRENT PROFESSIONAL POSITION AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

**Full Professor**, Disciplines: Regional and Urban Economics, Regional Analysis and Policy, Regional Forecasting, Cohesion Policy and Structural Funds Management

**PhD Supervisor** (since July 2000) and **Post-Doc Supervisor** in Regional Development Economics (since September 2010)

**Director of the Research Centre for Macroeconomic and Regional Forecasting**, Bucharest University of Economic Studies (since January 2007)

**Member of the Doctoral Studies Council** of the Bucharest University of Economic Studies (since September 2012)

**Member of the Scientific Council** of the Bucharest University of Economic Studies (since 2007)

**Vice-Dean** with International Relations and Research, Faculty of Administration and Public Management, 2010-2012; 2016 - 2018

### **INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE – RESEARCH STAGES AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

● **FULBRIGHT Senior Scholar** at the George Mason University – School of Policy, Governance and International Affairs, October 2014 - February 2015

- **FULBRIGHT Senior Scholar** at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and **Guest Lecturer** at the New School for Social Research of New York, Washington University of St. Louis – Missouri, Alabama A&M University, University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire, February –June 1998, USA
- **JSPS (Japan Society for Promotion of Science) Scholar** at the Kagawa University in Takamatsu, September 2004, Japan
- **DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) Senior Research Fellow** at the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (former Technical University of Karlsruhe) – July-August 2011; Technical University of Karlsruhe, August 2007; Technical University of Karlsruhe, July-August 2002; Technical University of Karlsruhe and University of Freiburg, June-August 1997; University of Heidelberg, Technical University of Karlsruhe, University of Freiburg, Germany, June-August 1993
- **Scholar of the Romanian Academy** at the Vienna University of Economics, December 2003 and May 2005
- **TEMPUS Scholar** at the University of Social Sciences, Institute of Political Studies, Toulouse, France, September-October 2000
- **TEMPUS Visiting Fellow** (grant for developing the first book of Regional Economics published in Romania), Free University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands, February-March 1997
- **TEMPUS Visiting Fellow** at the University of Reading, Great Britain, January-March 1994
- **17<sup>th</sup> European Advanced Studies Institute in Regional Science** at Split, Croatia, July 2004
- **ERSA 13<sup>th</sup> European Advanced Studies Institute – Regional Science Summer Institute 2000** – July 2000, Technical University of Istanbul, Turkey
- **12<sup>th</sup> European Summer Institute in Regional Science** – July 1999, University of Faro, Portugal
- **11<sup>th</sup> European Advanced Studies Institute in Regional Science** – August 1998, University of Armed Forces of Munich, Germany
- **International Summer Study Programme – Organisational Behaviour and Urban Systems** – July 1992, University of Economics, Vienna, Austria

## POSITIONS IN REGIONAL SCIENCE ORGANISATIONS

- **President of the Romanian Regional Science Association (RRSA)** from 2001 (Founder President) up to present; RRSA has been one of the national sections of the European Regional Science Association (ERSA) since 2002
- **Member of the ERSA Council** (since 2002)
- **Member of the European Organising Committee (EOC) of the ERSA** (elected for 2016-2020); **member of the ERSA President Search Committee**, 2018
- **Co-President of the Organising Committee of the World Congress of the Regional Science Association International**, Timisoara, Romania, 2012
- **President / Co-President of the organising committee of 11 international conferences of the Romanian Regional Science Association** (2001 – 2017)
- **Member of the Scientific Committee of the ERSA Congress** – Volos, Greece, 2006; Paris, 2007; Lodz, Poland, 2009; Jönköping, Sweden, 2010; St. Petersburg, 2014; Lisbon, 2015; Vienna, 2016; Groningen, 2017; Lyon, 2019
- **Member of the Scientific Committee of the World Congress of the Regional Science Association International** – Timisoara, 2012; Bangkok, 2014; Istanbul, 2016; Marrakech, 2020
- **Member of the Scientific Committee of the 6<sup>th</sup> Central European Conference in Regional Science** - Banska-Bystrica, Slovakia, 2017
- **Member of the Scientific Committee of the Joint International Conference of the French-Speaking Association of Regional Science (ASRDLF) and Romanian Regional Science Association**– Iasi, Romania, 2019

## AWARDS AND HONOURS

- **Researcher of the Year 2018**, Bucharest University of Economic Studies
- **Fulbright Certificate of Completion**, 1998, 2015
- **The 1998 Prize of the Jerry Johnson Foundation**, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, U.S.
- **The “Excellent Lecture” Certificate**, University of Alabama at Normal – Huntsville, U.S., 1998
- **The DAAD Certificate** 1993, 1997, 2002, 2007, 2011
- **Doctor Honoris Causa** of the “Dunarea de Jos” University of Galati, Romania, 2010
- **The Opera Omnia Award** for the entire scientific activity, Bucharest University of Economic Studies, 2006
- **The Virgil Madgearu Prize** for excellence in full professorship (as academic position), Bucharest University of Economic Studies, 2006
- **The Jubileum Silver Medal “90 years of Education in Economics”**, Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj, 2010
- **The National Research Council Prize** for top scientific article authorship, 2015
- **The National Research Council Prize** for top scientific article authorship, 2017
- **The Opera Omnia Award** for excellence in top scientific article authorship, Bucharest University of Economic Studies, 2014
- **The Opera Omnia Award** for excellence in top scientific articles authorship, Bucharest University of Economic Studies, 2017
- **The Opera Omnia Award** for excellence in top scientific article authorship, Bucharest University of Economic Studies, 2018
- **The Georgescu-Roegen Prize** for outstanding scientific research results, Bucharest University of Economic Studies, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005
- **The Excellence Award of the Romanian Regional Science Association**, 2011
- **The Honorary Award of the Romanian Statistics Society**, 2011
- **The Excellence Award of the Romanian Statistics Society**, 2014
- **Letter of Gratitude** from the Local Organising Committee of the 54<sup>th</sup> ERSA Congress, St. Petersburg, August 2014
- **Judges Commendation Status and Diploma** in the IPMA Achievement Award – Community Service Projects for the project “Municipal Real Property Management in South Eastern Cities (PROMISE) – International Project Management Association, 2013
- included in **ERSA Faces, 2018**

## INVITED VISITS AND APPOINTMENTS

- **University of Seville**, Spain – Faculty of Economics, February 2019 (research visit)
- **University of Lyon**, France - Laboratory of Transport, Urban Planning and Economics, January 2019 (research visit)
- **University of Oxford**, UK – Department of Statistics, October-November 2018 (research visit)
- **University of Reading**, UK – Faculty of Economics, July 2013 (research visit)
- **Lublin University of Technology**, Poland (lectures on Regional Development and European Integration at the Faculty of Management – ERASMUS programme, 2014)
- **Vienna University of Economics and Business**, Austria – The Institute for Geography and GIScience (MA/Doctoral Students Seminar – November, 2008; December, 2009)
- **University of Armed Forces of Munich**, Germany – Fakultät für Wirtschafts-und Organisationswissenschaften, March 2006 (research visit)
- **“I. Mincu” University of Architecture of Bucharest**, Romania (Master programme in Regional Development and Physical Planning – 2003-2011)
- **“Al.I. Cuza” University of Iasi**, Romania (Centre for European Studies – Master programme in Regional Development and European Affairs – 2005-2010)

- **Craiova University**, Romania (Master programme in Regional Development – 2011-2013)
- **“Angel Kanchev” University of Rousse**, Bulgaria (Bulgarian-Romanian Inter-University Europe Centre – Master Programme in European Studies and Public Administration, 2010-current)

**Member of PhD and Habilitation assessment committees in Romania** - at the Bucharest University of Economic Studies, “Babes-Bolyai” University of Cluj, West University of Timisoara, “Al.I.Cuza” University of Iasi, National Institute for Economic Research (the Romanian Academy), **in France** - Université de Bourgogne, Dijon, and **Germany**- University of Armed Forces of Munich

## **EXTERNAL SERVICE, ADVISORSHIP**

- **Member of the Monitoring Committee of the Regional Operational Programme 2014-2020** (2015 – current)
- **Member of the Advising Committee for Territorial Cohesion – Ministry of Regional Development** (2012 - 2014)
- **Member of the Academic Group for Romania’s Regionalisation – Ministry of Regional Development** (2013)
- **Member of the Inter-Institutional Council of the National Development Plan**, 2004-2006 and 2007 – 2013
- **Member of the Advising Committee for Romania’s Regional Operational Programme Elaboration** (2006-2007)
- **Member of the Management Committee of Romania’s Regional Operational Programme Evaluation** (2008 - 2013)
- **Expert – evaluator** for the National Research Council, Ministry of Education – national R&D programmes, EC - Phare projects in Romania
- **Foreign expert** – panel evaluator for the Academy of Finland – Environmental and Societal Sciences Section – March-May 2009 and 2010
- **Panel Survey Expert** - Thomson Reuters for Times Higher Education’s World University Rankings – 2010, 2013

## **MEMBER OF JOURNAL ADVISORY AND EDITORIAL BOARDS AND REFEREE**

- **Director and member of the International Advisory Board of the *Romanian Journal of Regional Science***
- **Member of the Editorial Board of *Regions* – Journal of the ERSA**
- **Member of the Editorial Board of *Regional Science Policy and Practice*, Wiley – Journal of the RSAI**
- **Guest Editor – Special Issue, *International Journal of Environmental Technology and Management*, Inderscience, Vol. 11, Issue 1/2/3, 2009 (with P.Nijkamp)**
- **Member of the International Advisory Board of *Eastern Journal of European Studies*, *Journal of Economic and Social Statistics*, *Journal of Academic Research in Economics*, *Public Administration and Regional Studies***
- **Journal Referee for *Papers in Regional Science* - Wiley-Blackwell, *European Planning Studies* - Taylor & Francis, *Regional Science Policy and Practice*, Wiley, *International Journal of Services Technology and Management* - Inderscience, *Journal of Economic and Social Geography* - *Tijdschrift voor economische en sociale geografie* (TESG) - Wiley-Blackwell, *Environment and Planning C: Government and Policy* - Pion Ltd., *Journal of Enterprise Transformation* - Taylor and Francis, *Urban Studies* – Sage, *Land Use Policy* – Elsevier, *Journal of Urban and Regional Analysis*- University of Bucharest and University of Glasgow, *Timisoara Journal of Economics and Business* – West University of Timisoara**

## KEYNOTE SPEAKER / INVITED LECTURES, SEMINARS, TALKS

- **6<sup>th</sup> Central European Conference in Regional Science** “Engines of Regional and Urban Development”, **Banska-Bystrica, Slovakia**, 20-22 September, 2017
- **ERSA Lecture Series with DG Regio – November 2015** (Discussant)
- **13<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Hungarian Regional Science Association**, “Regional Processes of Central and Eastern Europe, 1990-2015”, **Eger, Hungary**, 19-20 November 2015
- **11<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Administration and Public Management** “Strategic Management for Local Communities”, Bucharest University of Economic Studies, **Bucharest, Romania**, 30 October, 2015
- **Invited Presentation at the Osher Long Life Learning Institute at George Mason University**, 27 January, 2015, **Reston, Virginia, United States**
- **International Meeting** “Towards Operationalising UNESCO Recommendations on Historic Urban Landscape”, University of Naples “Federico II”, **Naples, Italy**, 2-3 March, 2015
- **9<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Administration and Public Management** “Governance and Management in a Globalised Context”, Bucharest University of Economic Studies, **Bucharest, Romania**, 17 June, 2013
- **International Meeting** “The Wealth of Nations-The Wealth of Cities. Promoting dynamic local economic development”, University of Naples “Federico II”, **Naples, Italy**, 6-7 September, 2012
- **7<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Administration and Public Management** “State Reform: Public Administration and Regional Development”, Bucharest University of Economic Studies, **Bucharest, Romania**, 21 June, 2011
- **2nd International Conference** "Exploration, Education and Progress in the 3rd Millenium", "Dunarea de Jos" University, **Galati, Romania**, 23 April, 2010
- **Guest Lecture at the MA/Doctoral Students Seminar** of the Institute for Economic Geography and GIScience, University of Economics and Business Administration, **Vienna, Austria**, 26 October, 2009
- **Strategy and Policy Studies Conference**, European Institute of Romania, **Bucharest, Romania**, 9 May, 2009
- **Guest Lecture at the MA/Doctoral Students Seminar** of the Institute for Economic Geography and GIScience, University of Economics and Business Administration, **Vienna, Austria**, 25 November, 2008
- **International Conference** “Pro-Innovation Networks and Regional Management”, Polytechnika Lubelska, **Naleczow, Poland**, 29-30 May, 2008
- **International Symposium** “Sustainable Development Strategies”, North University of **Baia Mare, Romania**, October 2008
- **Specialised Lecture at the DAAD Alumni Meeting** – The Embassy of Germany in Bucharest and the DAAD Centre in Bucharest, 18 September, 2007
- **Plenary Round Table** “Challenges in Regional Science”, 46<sup>th</sup> Congress of the European Regional Science Association, **Volos, Greece**, 31 August, 2006
- **International Meeting** “Cultural Heritage, Local Resources and Sustainable Tourism”, University of Naples “Federico II”, **Naples, Italy**, 28-29 April, 2006
- **Presentation at the Scientific Seminar** of Fakultät für Wirtschafts-und Organisationswissenschaften, **University of Armed Forces of Munich**, Germany, March 2006
- **FP6 – funded Conference on Territorial Intelligence**, “1 December 1918” University of **Alba Iulia, Romania**, 20-22 September, 2006
- **Pre-Accession Impact Studies II Conference**, European Institute of Romania, **Bucharest, Romania**, October 2004
- **Presentation at the Scientific Seminar** of the Faculty of Economics, Kagawa University, **Takamatsu, Japan**, September 2004

- **High Level Scientific Conference Supported by the European Commission** “European Integration, Regional Convergence, Location of Industrial Activity and Labour Market Adjustment”, “Al.I.Cuza” University, **Iasi, Romania**, 9-13 October, 2002
- **Annual Jerry Johnson Lecture Invitee**, University Of Wisconsin – Eau Claire, U.S., Department of Economics, 28 April, 1998
- **Plenary Session with Fulbright Scholars from Central and Eastern Europe**, A&M University, **Normal, Alabama, U.S.**, School of Business, Department of Economics and Finance, 21 April, 1998
- **Presentation at the Scientific Seminar** of the Department of Economics, Washington University in **St. Louis, Missouri, U.S.**, 15 April, 1998

## **MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

- **Romanian Regional Science Association (Founder Member and President since 2001)**
- **European Regional Science Association (ERSA) – member of the ERSA Council** (since 2002) **and of the European Organising Committee (EOC) of the ERSA** (elected for 2016-2020)
- **Regional Science Association International (RSAI) – since 1996**
- **Western Regional Science Association (USA) (1996, 2008, 2017)**
- **Regional Studies Association (2006, 2010, 2019)**
- **International Human Dimension Programme on Global Environmental Change – IHDP**
- **Romanian US Alumni Association**
- **Fulbright Alumni – Romania**
- **SOFDAAD (The Association of Former DAAD Scholars) – Romania**
- **General Association of Romanian Economists**
- **Romanian Society of Statistics**

## **AREAS OF SPECIALISATION**

Regional and Urban Economics, Regional Policy, EU Structural Assistance, Regional Competition and Competitiveness, Regional Clusters, Regional and City Resilience, Regional Labour Markets, External and Internal Migration, SMEs and Territorial Networking, Environmental Sustainability, Tourism and Regional Development, Services of General Interest, Local Economic Development

## **FOREIGN LANGUAGES**

**English, French** – proficient user

**German, Italian, Spanish** – basic user

## **SCIENTIFIC AND ACADEMIC PAPERS AND WORKS**

- **61 books, edited volumes, textbooks, workbooks, of which 30 by foreign publishers** (e.g. Springer Verlag, Edward Elgar, Kluwer Elsevier, Ashgate Aldershot, Routledge, Vienna University Press, BWV-Berliner Wissenschafts-Verlag, Nomos – Baden-Baden, Polish Academic Publishers)
- **over 170 articles published in Romania and abroad** (refereed journals, indexed in international databases: Web of Science-Clarivate Analytics, SCOPUS, RePEc-IDEAS, EconPapers, EBSCO, DOAJ, etc.)



- **76 research projects, of which 33 with foreign partners** (for EU-FP5, FP6, FP7, Horizon 2020, EC-PHARE, EC-DG Regio, EU-SEE Territorial Cooperation, ESPON, COST, World Bank-GDN-CERGE, NATO, UNESCO, IHDP-GECHS, Danish Environmental Protection Agency)
- **over 200 papers presented at international meetings** (in **Europe** (France, Germany, UK, The Netherlands, Switzerland, Finland, Sweden, Belgium, Italy, Greece, Croatia, Hungary, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Bulgaria, Serbia, Austria, Spain, Portugal, Poland, Denmark, Ireland, Iceland, Turkey, Romania), **North America** (US, Canada), **South America** (Brazil), **Central America** (Costa Rica), **Oceania** (Australia, New Zealand), **Asia** (Japan, China, Taiwan)) and **over 80 chaired sessions** at these conferences

## PUBLICATIONS

### BOOKS AND COLLECTIVE VOLUMES (Selective List)

**D.L.Constantin**, C. Serbanica, C. Mitrut, B. Ileanu, “Poverty in Romania: Regional Variations”, in N. Hatti, D. Rauhut (Eds), *Poverty, Politics and the Poverty of Politics*, BR Publishing Co., 2018, pp. 177-191

L.Pocatilu, **D.L.Constantin**, L.M.Moga, “Facts and Prospects of Open Government Data Use. A Case Study in Romania”, in C.Certoma, M.Dyer, L.Pocatilu, F. Rizzi (Eds), *Citizen Empowerment and Innovation in Data-Rich World*, Springer Verlag, 2017, pp. 195-208

**D.L.Constantin**, R.M. Grosu, C. Herteliu, A. Dardala, “Regional disparities and equal access to healthcare: A case study of Romania”, in H. Fassmann, D. Rauhut, E. Marques da Costa, A. Humer (Eds), *Services of General Interest and Territorial Cohesion. European Perspectives and National Insights*, Vienna University Press - V&R Unipress, Göttingen, 2015, pp. 209-220

**D.L.Constantin**, “The Municipal Real Properties and the New Public Management: Lessons for Central and Eastern Europe from the Developed Countries’ Experience”, in R.Funck, W.Rothengatter (Eds), *Man, Environment, Space and Time – Economic Interactions in Four Dimensions*, Nomos, Baden-Baden, 2014, pp. 147-159

**D.L.Constantin**, L.N. Radu, “Clusters, regional performance and corresponding policies. Some considerations in the case of Romania”, in E. Bojar, K. Pylak (Eds), *Innovativeness and Entrepreneurship. Clusters, Management. Good Practices in the World*, Politechnika Lubelska, 2014

A.M. Schoenberg, **D.L.Constantin**, “Urban shrinkage in Romania: scope and determinants”, in H.W. Richardson, C.W. Nam (Eds), *Shrinking Cities. A Global Perspective*, Routledge, 2014, pp. 105-119

A.Dachin, **D.L.Constantin**, Z.Goschin, “The Influence of the Urban-Rural Gap on the R&D and Innovation Potential in Romania”, in T. de Noronha Vaz, E. van Leeuwen, P. Nijkamp (Eds), *Towns in a Rural World*, Ashgate, 2013, pp. 231-252

**D.L. Constantin**, Z. Goschin, P.McCann, “Globalisation, the CEECs and European Policy”, in Amnon Frenkel, Peter Nijkamp, Philip McCann (Eds), *Societies in Motion. Innovation, Migration and Regional Transformation*, New Horizons in Regional Science Series, Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd., Cheltenham, UK, Northampton, MA, USA, 2012, pp. 220-247

Z. Goschin, **D.L. Constantin**, “Adaptability and Change – National and Regional Dimensions in the Romanian Economy”, in G.Gozelak, C.C.Goh, K. Fazekas (Eds), *Adaptability and Change: The Regional Dimensions in Central and Eastern Europe*, Wydawnictwo Naukowe Scholar Publishing House, Poland, 2012, pp. 299-315

**D.L.Constantin**, C.B. Pauna, C. Bodea (Eds), *Clusters in Less Developed Regions. A Spotlight on the Eastern Romania*, VDM Verlag Dr. Müller, Saarbrücken, 2011

**D.L.Constantin**, Z. Goschin, G. Dragan , “Implications of EU Structural Assistance to New Member States on Regional Disparities: The Question of Absorption Capacity”, in R. Stimson, R.R. Stough, P. Nijkamp (Eds), *Endogenous Regional Growth*, Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd., Cheltenham, UK, Northampton, MA, USA, 2010, pp. 182-203

**D.L. Constantin**, *Regional Economics: Theories, Models, Policies*, Bucharest University of Economic Studies Publishing House, Bucharest, 2010 (in Romanian)

Z. Goschin, **D.L. Constantin**, „The geography of the financial crisis and policy response in Romania”, in G. Gorzelak and Ch. Goh (Eds), *Financial Crisis in Central and Eastern Europe - from Similarity to Diversity*, Wydawnictwo Naukowe Scholar Publishing House, Poland, 2010, pp. 161-191

M. Constantinescu, **D.L. Constantin**, *Regional disequilibria dynamics in the process of European integration: models, strategies, policies*, Bucharest University of Economic Studies Publishing House, Bucharest, 2010 (in Romanian)

**D.L. Constantin**, C. Mitruț, “Cultural Tourism, Sustainability and Regional Development: Experiences from Romania”, in L. Fusco-Girard and P. Nijkamp (Eds), *Cultural Tourism and Sustainable Local Development*, Ashgate Publishing Ltd., Farnham, UK, Burlington, USA, 2009, pp. 149-166

**D.L. Constantin**, V. Vasile, D. Preda, L. Nicolescu, “International Economic Integration and Migration: The Case of Romania”, in J. Poot, B. Waldorf, L. Van Wissen (Eds), *Migration and Human Capital*, Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd., Cheltenham, UK, Northampton, MA, USA, 2008, pp. 225-247

Zizi Goschin, **D.L. Constantin**, Cornelia Pârlog, “The Dynamics and territorial Distribution of Human Resources and Infrastructure-related Issues in Romania”, in Xiao Feng und Alina M. Popescu (Hrsg.) *Infrastrukturprobleme bei Bevölkerungsrückgang*, BWV-Berliner Wissenschafts-Verlag, 2007

**D.L. Constantin** (coordinator), *Economic and Social Cohesion and Regional Policy. The Contribution of the EU Funds to Programme Financing*, Bucharest University of Economic Studies Publishing House, Bucharest, 2007

M.Pascaru, **D.L. Constantin** (Eds), *The Impact of Romania's Accession to the EU on Regional Structures*, Aeternitas Publishing House, Alba Iulia, 2007 ( 3 volumes)

**D.L. Constantin**, “Challenges to Romania's Regional Policy in the Perspective of Accession to the European Union”, in S. Hardy, L. Bibby-Larsen and F. Freeland (compiled by), *Shaping EU Regional Policy: Economic, Social and Political Pressures*, RSA Publications, U.K., 2006

**D.L. Constantin**, “SMEs and Territorial Networks: The Emerging Framework in Romania”, in P. Nijkamp, R.L. Moomaw, I. Traistaru-Siedschlag (Eds), *Entrepreneurship, Investment and Spatial Dynamics. Lessons and Implications for an Enlarged EU*, Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd., Cheltenham, UK, Northampton, MA, USA, 2006, pp. 165-181

G. Oprescu, **D.L. Constantin**, F. Ilie, D. Pîslaru, *Analysis of Absorption Capacity of the EU Funds in Romania*. Study No.1, Pre-Accession Impact Studies – PAIS III Series, The European Institute of Romania, 2006

**D.L. Constantin**, “Transition and Regional Competition in Romania”, in P. Friedrich (Ed.), *Regional Competition Under Transformation Conditions*, Universitaet der Bundeswehr – Verlag, Muenchen, 2005 pp. 107-130

**D.L. Constantin**, *Basic Regional Economics*, Bucharest University of Economic Studies Publishing House, Bucharest, 2004 (in Romanian)

**D.L. Constantin** (coordinator), *Migration Phenomenon in Romania in the Perspective of Accession to the European Union* Study No.5, Pre-Accession Impact Studies – PAIS II Series, The European Institute of Romania, 2004

D. Ailenei, **D.L. Constantin**, D. Jula (Eds), *Regional Development and Competitive Advantages*, Oscar Print, Bucharest, 2004

C. Pârlog, **D.L. Constantin** (Eds), *Regional Development and European Integration*, Oscar Print, Bucharest, 2003

**D.L. Constantin**, “An Institutional and Cultural Perspective on Romanian Regional Development Policy”, in M. Fischer, G. Atalik (Eds), *Regional Development Reconsidered*, Springer Verlag, Berlin – Heidelberg – New York, 2002, pp.197-219

**D.L. Constantin** (Ed.), *Current Issues of Regional Development in Romania*, Oscar Print, Bucharest, 2002

**D.L. Constantin**, “Regional Competition in Romania from the perspective of integration in the EU’s Structures”, in E. Bojar (Ed.), *Competition and coexistence in the process of the European integration*, Polish Scientific Publishers PWN, Warszawa, 2000, pp.63-99

**D.L. Constantin**, “Transition and Environmental Protection in Romania”, in *Smerovani k udrzitelnemu rozvoji (Towards Sustainable Development)*, Univerzity Palackeho v Olomouci, Olomouc, 2000, pp. 147-162

**D.L. Constantin**, “Institutional and Behavioural Challenges to Environmental Preservation Strategy in the New Romania”, in S. Lonergan (Ed.), *Environmental Change, Adaptation and Security*, NATO Series, Kluwer Publishers, Dordrecht, Boston, London, 1999, pp.317-353

**D. L. Constantin**, *Regional Economics*, Oscar Print, Bucharest, 1998 (in Romanian)

**D. L. Constantin**, *Regional and Urban Analysis and Forecasting*, Oscar Print, Bucharest, 1998 (in Romanian)

**D.L. Constantin**, “Environmental Protection and Capacity Building in Romania”, in M.S. Andersen (Ed.), *Environmental Policy and Role of Foreign Assistance in Central and Eastern Europe*, KPMG, Copenhagen, 1998, pp. 45-79

C. Partenie, D. Jula, **D.L. Constantin**, C. Pârlog, “Institutions and Regional Labour Markets in Romania”, in L. van der Laan, S. Ruesga (Ed.) *Institutions and Regional Labour Markets in Europe*, Ashgate – Gower, Aldershot, 1998, pp.275-297

## **REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES (Selective List)**

**D.L. Constantin**, R.R. Stough, “Integrated Urban Planning and Planned Communities. The Case of Reston, VA, USA.”, *Romanian Journal of Regional Science*, Vol. 12, No.1, June 2018, pp. 1-17

C. Serbanica, **D.L.Constantin**, “EU Cohesion Policy and Innovation Support in Central and Eastern Europe. A Critical Review”, *CESifo Forum*, Vol. 19, No. 1, March, 2018, pp. 24-31

**D.L.Constantin**, C. Mitrut, R.M. Grosu, M. Profiroiu, A.I.Iosif , “Municipal real properties and the challenges of new public management: a spotlight on Romania”, *International Review of Administrative Sciences*, Volume 84, Issue 1, March 2018, pp. 42-62

**D.L.Constantin**, A.E. Reveiu, “A Spatial Analysis of Tourism Infrastructure in Romania: Spotlight on Accommodation and Food Service Companies”, *Region*, Vol. 5, No.1, 2018, pp.1-16

C. Serbanica, **D.L. Constantin**, "Sustainable cities in central and eastern European countries. Moving towards smart specialization", *Habitat International*, Vol. 68, October 2017, pp. 55-63

**D.L.Constantin**, Z. Goschin, C. Mitrut, C. Bodea, B. Ileanu, "Successful Restructuring Features for Regional Economies in the EU New Member States. An Emphasis on the Alba County of Romania", *Revista Portuguesa de Estudos Regionais*, 1º Quadrimestre, Nº 41, 2016, pp. 21-34

**D.L.Constantin**, "Regional Science Research in Romania Through the Lens of the First Ten Conferences of the Romanian Regional Science Association", *Revista Brasileira de Gestão e Desenvolvimento Regional*, Vol. 11, No. 4 (Special Issue), 2016, pp. 37-50

**D.L.Constantin** – "Handbook of Regional Science by Manfred Fischer and Peter Nijkamp (Eds), Springer, 2014 - Review", *Papers in Regional Science*, Vol.94, No.1, March 2015

N. Moroianu-Dumitrescu, **D.L.Constantin**, C. Herteliu, A. Novac – "Empirical Weighted Modelling on Inter-County Inequalities Evolution and for Testing Economic Convergence in Romania", *The USV Annals of Economics and Public Administration*, Vol. 15, Special Issue, 2015, pp. 170-192

B.V. Ileanu, **D.L.Constantin**, C. Herteliu, T. Andrei – "The Model of Cross-Border Cooperation in the Romanian-Bulgarian Neighbourhood Area Between Desire and Realization", *The USV Annals of Economics and Public Administration*, Vol. 15, Issue 1 (21), 2015, pp. 120-126

T. Andrei, C. Mitruț, **D.L.Constantin**, B. Oancea, "Great Expectations for Tourism and Regional Development in Romania: Why Are Not They Met?", *Regional Science Inquiry Journal*, Vol. 7, No. 1, 2015, pp. 83-98

**D.L. Constantin**, M.Profiroiu, M.Dragusin, C.Mitrut, A.E.Iosif, R.M. Grosu, "Issues Regarding the Effective Municipal Real Property Management: The Question of Classification Criteria with A Case Study in Romania", *International Journal of Global Environmental Issues*, Vol. 13, Nos 2/3/4/2014, pp. 308-325

C.M. Serbanica, **D.L.Constantin**, G. Dragan – "University-Industry Knowledge Transfer and Network Patterns in Romania: Does Knowledge Supply Fit SMEs' Regional Profiles?", *European Planning Studies*, Vol. 22, Issue 1, 2014, pp. 292-310

**D.L. Constantin** – "International Handbook of the Economics of Migration by Amelie F. Constant and Klaus F. Zimmermann (Eds), Edward Elgar, 2013 - Review", *Papers in Regional Science*, Vol.93, No.1, March 2014, pp.219-220

**D.L.Constantin**, R.M. Grosu, A.E. Iosif – „Exploring Territorial Capital, Global Competition and Territorial Cohesion Policy: A SWOT Analysis of Services of General Interest”, *Romanian Journal of Regional Science*, Vol. 7, Special Issue - June 2013, pp. 124-141

E.M. Da Costa, P. Palma, D. Rauhut, A. Humer, **D. Constantin**, X. Velasco, Echeverria – "What Indicators to Use when Measuring Services of General Interest?", *Europa XXI*, IGIPZ – Polish Academy of Sciences, Vol.23/2013, pp.7-28

**D.L.Constantin**, R.M. Petrescu, A.E. Iosif – "The Municipal Real Properties and the Challenge of a Better City Management in East European Countries: A Focus on Romania", *The Harmony of Civilisations and Prosperity for All – Challenges and Opportunities: New Thinking in New Reality - Proceedings of Beijing Forum 2012*, Peking University, Beijing, 2012, pp. 86-104

Z.Goschin, A. Dachin, **D.L.Constantin**, D.Ailenei, "The absorption capacity of European funds for rural development in Romania: estimates of the factor influence", *International Journal of Foresight and Innovation Policy*, Vol.8, No.2/3, 2012, pp. 272-290

**D.L. Constantin** – “Responses to Global Trends Affecting East-European Regions. The Case of Bucharest-Ilfov Region in Romania”, *Regional Science Policy and Practice*, John Wiley & Sons Inc., Vol. 4, No.1, March 2012, pp.47-64

**D.L. Constantin**, S.Stattev, S. Raleva, Z. Goschin, B. Ileanu, „Multi-Criteria Analysis as a Tool for Municipal Property Management”, *Romanian Journal of Regional Science*, Vol.6, No.1, Summer 2012, pp. 22-40

**D.L.Constantin**, Z. Goschin, A.I. Iacob, “The Economic, Social and Territorial Cohesion Between EU’s Objectives and National Regional Policies: A Romanian Perspective”, *Transformations in Business and Economics*, Vol. 10, No. 2B (23B), 2011, pp. 514-526

**D.L.Constantin**, C.B. Pauna, M. Dragusin, Z. Goschin, C. Bodea, “The Question of Clusters in Lagging Regions: Do They Really Make the Difference? A Case Study in Romania”, *Environment and Planning C: Government and Policy*, Vol. 29, Issue 5, 2011, pp. 889-910

**D.L.Constantin**, Z. Goschin, A.R. Danciu – The Romanian Economy from Transition to Crisis: Retrospects and Prospects, *World Journal of Social Sciences*, Vol.1, No.3, July 2011

C. Mitruț, Gh. Zaman, Z. Goschin, **D.L. Constantin**, “A Composite Index for R&D Absorption Capacity. Spatial Configuration in Romania”, *Economic Computation and Economic Cybernetics Studies and Research*, No. 1/2010, Vol. 44, pp. 5-20

T. Andrei, **D.L. Constantin**, C. Mitrut, “Regional Specialisation and Industrial Concentration in Romania’s Transition Period From the Election Cycles Perspective”, *Environment and Planning C: Government and Policy*, Vol. 27, Issue 4, 2009, pp. 713-731

P.Nijkamp, **D.L.Constantin**, “ Assessment and Modelling of Environmental Resources and Risks – Special Issue Editorial”, *International Journal of Environmental Technology and Management*, Inderscience, Vol. 11, Issue 1/2/3, 2009, pp.1-6

**D.L. Constantin**, C. Mitruț, “Quantitative and Qualitative Dimensions of Tourism’s Contribution to Regional Development in Romania. The Case of Cultural Tourism”, *Economic Computation and Economic Cybernetics Studies and Research*, No. 1-2/2009, Vol. 42, pp. 131-142

**D.L. Constantin**, “Spatial Analysis and Geocomputation by Manfred Fischer - Review”, *Romanian Journal of Regional Science*, Vol.3, No.1, Summer 2009, p.120-122

Profiroiu, M., Ionescu, V.R., **Constantin, D.L.**, Marchis, G., „Between Do’s and Don’ts in the Catching Up Process. Lessons for Romania from EU-15 Countries”, *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, No. 26E/June 2009, pp.139-155

Z. Goschin, **D.L.Constantin**, M.Roman, B. Ileanu, “Regional Specialisation and Geographic Concentration of Industries in Romania”, *South-Eastern Europe Journal of Economics*, University of Macedonia Press, Thessaloniki, Vol.7, No.1/2009, pp. 61-76

**Constantin, D.L.**, Mitruț, C., “Tourism, cultural resources and regional competitiveness: A case study in Romania”, *International Journal of Services Technology and Management*, Inderscience, Vol. 10, Issue 1 – 2008, pp.48-60

**D.L. Constantin**, L.N. Radu, “Location and Networking: Neural Network –Based Models and Geographic Information Systems”, *Economic Computation and Economic Cybernetics Studies and Research*, No. 1-2/2008, Vol. 42, pp. 131-142

**D.L. Constantin**, Z. Goschin, M. Drăgușin, “Ethnic entrepreneurship as an integration factor in civil society. A spotlight on Turkish entrepreneurs in Romania”, *Journal for the Study of Religions and Ideologies* , Vol. 7, No. 20, Summer - June 2008, pp.49-79

Z. Goschin, **D.L. Constantin**, M. Roman, B. Ileanu, “The current state and dynamics of regional disparities in Romania”, *Romanian Journal of Regional Science*, Vol.2, No.2, Winter 2008, pp.80-105, ISSN 1843-8520

**D.L. Constantin**, “The Past and the Future of Regional Science” – in “Challenges in Regional Science – Notes and Debates Series”, with H. Coccossis, P. Nijkamp, R. Capello, P. Cheshire, R. Stough, in *Scienze Regionali - Italian Journal of Regional Science*, Vol.6, No.2/2007, pp.147-151

**D.L. Constantin**, “Urban Economics and Real estate. Theory and Policy by J.F. McDonald and D.P. McMillen- Review”, in *Scienze Regionali - Italian Journal of Regional Science*, Vol. 6, No.3/2007, pp.139-141

C. Mitrut, **D.L. Constantin**, “Current Issues Concerning Regional Policy and SMEs in Romania”, *South-Eastern Journal of Economics*, University of Macedonia Press, Thessaloniki, Vol. 4, No.2, Fall 2006, pp. 209-222

Z. Goschin, **D.L.Constantin**, “Romania’s development towards the knowledge economy: the ICT dimension”, *Economic Informatics*, Vol. XI, No. 1(41) / 2007, pp. 128-137

**D.L.Constantin**, “Recent Advances in Territorial Competition and Competitiveness Analysis”, *Romanian Journal of European Affairs*, Vol.6, No. 3/2006, pp. 71-81

L. Nicolescu, **D.L. Constantin**, „Romania’s External Migration in the Context of Accession to the EU: Mechanisms, Institutions and Social-Cultural Issues”, *The Romanian Journal of European Studies*, No. 4/2005, pp. 55-64

**D.L.Constantin**, “Measuring Regional Competitiveness: Exploratory Approach in the International Arena”, in *Analysis and Economic Forecasting*, No. 3(1)/2006, pp. 72-79

**D.L. Constantin**, “Innovation, Territorial Networks and K-Economy”, *Economy Informatics*, No.1-4 /2005, pp.117-122

**D.L. Constantin**, “Integration of CEECs into the European and Global Network Economy”, *Journal of Economic Forecasting* No. 1/2005, p. 48-57 ISSN 1222-5436

**D.L. Constantin**, Z. Goschin, C. Pârlog, “Interregional migration in Romania after 1990”, *Journal of Economic Forecasting* No. 2 /2005, pp.5-25

**D. L. Constantin**, SMEs, Regional Development and Networking: The Emerging Framework in Romania », *Journal of European Affairs* No. 4/2002, pp.27-44

## **RESEARCH PROJECTS (Selective List)**

**Integrative Mechanisms for Addressing Spatial Justice and Territorial Inequalities in Europe (IMAJINE)**, Horizon 2020, LP: Aberystwyth University, UK, REV-INEQUAL-07-2016, GA Nr. 726950, 2017-2021, (coordinator of PP2 - Bucharest University of Economic Studies (BUES))

**Advancing ground-breaking research in regional growth and development theories, through a resilience approach: towards a convergent, balanced and sustainable European Union – ReGrowEU** - supported by a grant of the Romanian Ministry of Research and Innovation, CNCS - UEFISCDI, LP:

Al.I.Cuza University of Iasi, project number PN-III-P4-ID-PCCF-2016-0166, within PNCDI III, 2018-2021 (coordinator of PP1 – BUES)

**European Cooperation for Statistics of Network Data Science, COST CA 15109** (Management Committee member) (2016 – 2020)

**Growth – Innovation – Competitiveness: Fostering Cohesion in Central and Eastern Europe (GRINCOH)**, FP7 Research Programme, LP: University of Warsaw, SSH.2011.2.2-1, 2012-2015 (coordinator of PP8-BUES)

**Indicators and Perspectives for Services of General Interest in Territorial Cohesion and Development (SeGI)**, LP: Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, ESPON project, No. 094/2011, 2011-2013, (coordinator of PP9-BUES)

**People Friendly Cities in a Data Rich World, COST TU1204** (Management Committee member) (2013 – 2016)

**EP Study – Visions and Options for Cohesion Policy**, University of Strathclyde, UK, for European Parliament (national expert), 2011

**The Objective of Economic and Social Cohesion in the Economic Policies of Member States**, University of Strathclyde, UK, for European Commission, DG REGIO, 2010 (national coordinator)

**Municipal Properties Management in South-Eastern European Cities (PROMISE)**, South-East Europe Transnational Programme, 2009-2012, LP: University of Volos, Greece (coordinator of PP2-BUES)

**Web-based data collection – methodological challenges, solutions and implementations (WEBDATANET)**, COST IS004 (Management Committee member (substitute)) (2011 – 2013)

**Geography of Crisis in Central and East European Countries**, coordinator: University of Warsaw for the World Bank, 2009-2010 (national expert)

**Can Cluster Policies and Foreign Direct Investments Offer Viable Solutions to Underdeveloped Regions? Lessons That Can Be learnt By Romania's Easter Border Regions From Successful Experiences Of Other Transition Countries**, CERGE GDN-RRC - IX, 2009 (project coordinator)

**Global trends: threats and opportunities for regional economies. Case study: Bucuresti-Ilfov region for the DG-Regio project Regions benefiting from globalisation and increased trade** (Preparatory studies for the Fifth Cohesion Report), Politecnico of Milan, Bocconi University, IGEAT-ULB Brussels, 2009-2011 (national expert)

**Adapting the Young Professionals Scheme to the needs of the civil service reform - the Young Professionals Scheme, Cycle 4, EU Phare - RO, Expert**, 2009

**European perspectives on asylum and migration, SPOS Project – Strategy and Policy Studies**, European Institute of Romania, 2008 (project coordinator)

**Development and Comparison of Sustainability Indicators (DECOIN)**, EU FP6-2005-SSP-5A, Project Coordinator: Turku School of Economics, Finland Futures Research Centre (FFRC) (member of Advisory Board - 2007)

**The social-economic analysis of regional disparities in Romania. Study for underlying the national spatial plan**, project funded by the Ministry of Development, Public Works and Housing, Bucharest, 2007 (project director)



**Diminishing Regional Disparities as a Basic Condition for the Economic and Social Cohesion. The Quality of European Integration**, project funded by the National Plan for Research and Development, 2007-2009 (team member)

**The Involvement of Romanian Universities in Urban Restructuring and Regional Development**, project funded by the National Plan for Research and Development, 2007-2009 (team member)

**The Economic Convergence and Knowledge Impact in the Context of European Integration**, Excellency research project funded by Romania's Ministry of Education and Research, 2006-2008 (team member)

**Ex-ante evaluation of the Operational Programme for Economic Competitiveness**. Romania 2006, European Commission and PANTEIA Consortium, October 2006 (national expert)

**Improving the Living Conditions via the Large Housing Estates Rehabilitation. An Inter-Disciplinary Approach**, project funded by Romania's National Council for Scientific Research, 2005-2007 (project director)

**Increasing Romania's Capacity of Absorbing Structural Funds**, PHARE- Pre-Accession Impact Studies – PAIS III series, EU - European Institute in Bucharest, 2005 (team member)

**Transatlantic Thematic Network on Sustainable Transport in Europe and Links and Liaisons with America-STELLA**, EU FP5, 2002-2004 (team member)

**Migration Phenomenon in Romania in the Perspective of Accession to the European Union**, PHARE - Pre-Accession Impact Studies – PAIS II series, EU - European Institute in Bucharest, 2003 – 2004, (PAIS II) (project director)

**Innovationspotenziale zentraleuropäischer Länder. Analyse und Vergleich ausgewählter Forschungs- und Technologieindikatoren**, Forschungsbericht über eine Studie im Auftrag des Bundesministeriums für Verkehr, Innovation und Technologie, Österreich, 2005 (collaborator)

**Convergence vs Divergence in Romania's Regional Development in the Context of European Integration Process**, Romanian Academy - funded project No. 156/ 2003-2004 (team member)

**Improving the Methodology of Elaboration of The National Development Plan**, project funded by the National Council for Academic Scientific No. 900 /2002 (team member)

**Economic Restructuring and Unemployment Seasonality in Romania: Cybernetic Models for Analysis and Forecasting**, project funded by the National Council for Academic Scientific No. 749/2001 (team member)

**Expanding networks and institutional capacity to address the human dimension of environmental change with a specific focus on environment and security(NES)** -International Human Dimensions Programme on Global Environmental Change (IHDP) and Global Environmental Change and Human Security (GECHS) - EU Network on Environment and Security (ENRICH) 1999 – 2000 (team member)

**National Case Studies on Human Development Programme in Central and East European Countries** - International Human Dimension Programme (IHDP), 1999 (national expert)

**Evaluation of the Danish environmental Support Fund: 1991-1997**, Danish Environmental Protection Agency and Denmark's Government, 1998 (national expert)

# Yang Kaizhong

## Table of contents

<b>1. Basic information .....</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>2. Education background .....</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>3. Employment.....</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>4. Other social positions.....</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>5. Major awards and honors .....</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>6. Publications .....</b>	<b>4</b>
6.1 Peer-reviewed articles.....	4
6.2 Monographs and edited books.....	13
6.3 Articles in proceedings: .....	15
6.4 Articles in newspapers .....	16
<b>7. Major research projects.....</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>8. Major academic activities.....</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>9. Media interviews .....</b>	<b>19</b>

## 1. Basic information

---

Yang Kaizhong, male, Han nationality, born on January 30, 1962, Changde, Hunan Province, Ph.D of economics, the National Second-level Professor, supervisor of doctoral students, expert enjoying special allowances from the State Council, winner of the China Youth Science and Technology Award, a winner of the “May 4th Medal“ of Beijing, the Outstanding Scholar of Beijing in science, technology and management personnel, and recipient of Cross-century Outstanding Talent Foundation of the Ministry of Education.

Contact details: Tel: 62750598 Mobile: 13501174789 Email: ykz@pku.edu.cn

## 2. Education background

---

1986.3-1988.12 Ph.D. in Economics, Graduate School, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences. He received a Ph.D. in Economics from Mr. Sun Shangqing, a famous economist and former director of the Development Research Center of the State Council.

1983.9-1985.12 Master's Degree in Physical Geography, Department of Geography, Peking University. He received a Master's Degree in Science under supervision of the famous geographers Lin Chao and Chen Chuankang.

1979.9-1983.7 Bachelor Degree in Science, Department of Geography, Hunan Normal University

### 3. Employment

---

March 2019 to present: Deputy Director of Institute of Urban and Environmental Studies, Chinese Academy of Social Science

May 2017 to March: Vice-President of Capital University of Economics and Trade

Sep 1992 to present: Professor, Peking University: from July 2002 to June 2002, Professor and Doctoral Supervisor of the School of Government Management of Peking University; from July 1996 to June 2002, Full Professor and Doctoral Supervisor of the School of Urban and Environmental Sciences of Peking University; from May 1995 to July 1996, Full Professor and Doctoral Supervisor of the School of Economics of Peking University; and from September 1992 to May 1995, Full Professor of the Department of Urban and Environmental Sciences of Peking University.

December 2013 to May 2017: Deputy Director and Secretary-General of the School Affairs Committee of Peking University

January 2003 to July 2011: Secretary-General of Peking University (2010.7-) and Deputy Secretary-General of Peking University (2003.1-2010.7). In the meantime, he was also the executive president of the Capital Development Research Institute of Peking University and the Chairman of the Academic Committee of the School of Government Management.

December 2005 to March 2014: Deputy Director of Beijing Development and Reform Commission, and Director of Beijing Institute for Economic and Social Development

June 2002 to January 2003: Executive Vice-Dean of Research Institute for Capital Development of Peking University, Vice-Dean, School of Government Management, Peking University, and Chairman of Academic Committee.

July 1996 to June 2002, Director of the Department of Urban and Environmental Sciences, Peking University (which is now the School of Urban and Environmental Sciences), Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Academic Committee of Geography-Remote Sensing, Peking University. From March 1997 to December 2001, he was also the director of the Institute for Remote Sensing and Geographic Information Systems of Peking University and the executive vice president of the Capital Development Institute of Peking University from March 1999 to June 2002.

December 1990 to September 1992: Associate Professor, Department of Urban and Environmental Sciences, Peking University

December 1988 to November 1990: Postdoctoral Researcher, Peking University

December 1985 to April 1986: Internship Fellow, Institute of Geography, Chinese Academy of Sciences

### 4. Other social positions

---

2017 to present, the sponsor and member of the China 50-People Regional Economic Forum

December 2016 to present, the Standing Director of the Second Council of the Chinese Society for Research and Promotion of Ecological Civilization

2015 to 2020: Member of the National Committee of Climate Experts.

2015 to present: Expert Member of China Tourism Think Tank

2014 to present: Standing Committee Member of Beijing Federation of Social Sciences

2003 to present: Consultant to the Joint Conference of the Natural and Social Sciences in Beijing,

October 1992 to present: he successively takes the positions of Secretary-General, Vice-President and

President of the Regional Science Association of China.  
 2010 to present: Deputy Director of Beijing Expert Fellowship  
 August 2014 to present: the first batch of members of China Urban 100 Forum  
 December 2004 to present: Member of Shanxi Provincial Government Decision Advisory Committee  
 August 2004 to present: Consultant of Fujian Provincial People's Government  
 March 2001 to present: Member of the Expert Advisory Panel of the Beijing Municipal Government  
 (after June 2011 it was named the Advisory Committee of the Beijing Municipal People's Government)  
 December 2001 to present: Consultant in Science and Technology of Chengdu  
 June 2013 to present: Special invited member of the Seventh Decision-making Advisory Committee of the Wuhan Municipal People's Government  
 December 2013: Member of Expert Committee on the Compilation of National Health Service System Planning Outline (2015-2020)  
 2010. Chief Expert of the committee for the Planning Outline of the Capital Medium-and Long-term Talents Development  
 June 2010 to September 2017: Director general and Vice-president of China Regional Economic Society  
 October 2005 to October 2015: Expert for the National Eleventh and Twelfth Five-Year Plan  
 2004 to 2006: Member of editorial committee for the National Outline for Medium-and Long-term Scientific and Technological Development (2006-2020)  
 2005.4 Members of evaluation panel for the China Economist Awards  
 December 1999 to February 2003: Member of Technical Committee for the Second National Tourism Standardization  
 August 1999 to January 2005: Member of the Second Expert Committee of the National Remote Sensing Center  
 1999 to 2004 Vice-Chairman of the Chinese Association of Administrative Districts and Region Naming  
 June 1991 to December 1995: Deputy Secretary-General of China Geographic Society  
 Member of the Sixth Scientific and Technological Committee of the State Land Administration  
 Member of the International Advisory Board (India) of the Mahatma Gandhi International Training Centre for Conflict Management  
 Vice-chairman of the first and second session of the Asian Society for Urban and Regional Studies

## 5. Major awards and honors

---

2019: 15th Beijing Philosophy and Social Science Excellent Achievement Award, Second Prize, Beijing Philosophy and Social Sciences Excellent Achievements Award Committee  
 2012: winner of Fifth China Economic Theory Innovation Award (Contributor of Regional Structure Theory), awarded by the Committee of China Economic Theory Innovation  
 2012: Sixth Outstanding Achievement Award for Scientific Research in Colleges and Universities (Humanities and Social Sciences), awarded by Ministry of Education  
 2005: the First-place Prize on China Development Research, awarded by China Development Foundation (Development Research Center of the State Council)  
 2003: Beijing Expert Award in Science, Technology and Management for Outstanding Contribution, awarded by Beijing Municipal Government  
 2002: the Second Prize for Scientific and Technological Progress, awarded by Beijing Municipal Government  
 2001: the Second-place Prize for Scientific and Technological Progress, awarded by Beijing Municipal Government  
 2001: Beijing "May 4th Medal", awarded by Beijing Committee of the Communist Youth League  
 2000: Expert with Special Allowances from the State Council, funded by the State Council

1999: the expert directory of central government that has directly contact each other, listed by the Organizing Department of the CPC.

1999: Advanced Workers in Training Talents of National Basic Science, sponsored by Ministry of Education and Committee for National Natural Science Foundation

1998: China Youth Talent in Science and Technology, awarded by Central Organization Department, the Personnel Department and China Science and Technology Commission

1998: the Cross-Century Excellent Talents Funded by Ministry of Education

1998: the Second-place Prize for Scientific and Technological Progress in Beijing

1997: Excellent Theoretical Researcher on China's Reform, awarded by editorial and judging panel for China's reform progress

1996: the National Second Prize for Scientific and Technological Progress (key member)

1990: the Second-place Prize for Excellent Scientific and Technological Papers by Young Researchers, awarded by Beijing Association of Science and Technology.

1990: the Youth Award in Science and Technology awarded by China Geographic Society.

## 6. Publications

---

More than 320 articles have been published in Chinese and English by authoritative journals including Chinese Social Sciences, Economic Research, Management World, Theory and Practice of Systems Engineering, Environment and Planning B, Economics Quarterly, China Industrial Economy, Soft Science of China, Acta Geographica Sinica, Urban Planning and so on; and more than 20 books has been published by Macmillan Publishing Company and so on. In 2019 he was invited by Springer Nature to serve as the Editor-in-Chief of a new book series "Urbanizing China."

### 6.1 Peer-reviewed articles

Yang Kaizhong, Dong Yaning. Transport Costs, Heterogeneous Enterprise Migration and Regional Balanced Development. Systems Engineering Theory and Practice, 2019, forthcoming

Zhang Ji, Yang Kaizhong (Correspondent Author), Lu Jun et al. New Economic Geographic Model Based on Relative Utility Function. Economics Quarterly, 2018, v.17; No.69 (3): 282-303.

Dong Yaning, Yang Kaizhong (Correspondent Author), Yang Shu. The economic geography growth model with endogenous dynamic of transport costs. Systems Engineering Theory and Practice, 2018, 38 (2): 351-360.

Yang Kaizhong. Facing the New Era, Creating a Modern New Capital Circle. The Front, 2018 (3).

Yang Kaizhong. Constructing a "Beautiful Living Circle". Leadership Science, 2017 (23).

Yang Kaizhong. Several Important Relations in Planning and Construction of the Xiongan New Area. Economic Dynamics, 2017 (7): 8-10.

Liu Anguo, Wang Meiyuan, Yang Kaizhong, Research on Location sSelection, Industrial Transfer and Coordination of Regional Environmental and Financial Policies. Guizhou Social Science, 2017 (5): 84-94.

Sun J, Wu S, Yang K. An Eco-systemic Framework for Business Sustainability. Business Horizons, 2017, 61(1).

Yang Kaizhong, Dong Yaning, Xue Ling, Liu Anguo, Yang Shu. Review and Prospect of New Economic Geography. Guangxi Social Science, 2016 (5).

Yang Kaizhong. The basic characteristics of the new pattern of regional coordinated development. China's National Conditions and Strength, 2016 (5).

Yang Kaizhong. Promoting the Green Rise of Hebei Province: Key Supports for the Cooperative Development of Beijing, Tianjin and Hebei. Comparison of Economic and Social Systems, 2016 (3): 10-13.

Liu Anguo, Ma Ruijuan, Wang Meiyuan, Yang Kaizhong. A New Economic Geographic Explanation of

- Urban and Regional Development Differences in China: Empirical evidence based on remuneration assumption with varied return to scale. *Inquiry into Economic Issues*, 2016 (10): 88-96.
- Liu Anguo, Zhang Kesen, Wang Meiyang, Yang Kaizhong. Regional Differences in Energy Conservation and Emission Reduction Performance of Enterprises and Coordination of Inter-regional Regulation: Case of manufacturing industry in five provinces of North China. *Guangxi Social Science*, 2016 (11): 94-100.
- Jiazhe S, Kaizhong Yang. The Wicked Problem of Climate Change: A New Approach Based on Social Mess and Fragmentation. *Sustainability*, 2016, 8(12):1312-.
- Yang Kaizhong. Grasping the Key to the Cooperative Development of Education in Beijing, Tianjin and Hebei. *Higher Education in China*, 2015 (23)
- Yang Kaizhong. Policy Suggestions on Planning and Building a New Administrative Town. *People's Forum, Academic Frontier*, 2015 (11): 76-85.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Strategic Choice of Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei Cooperative Development. *Journal of Beijing United University (Humanities and Social Sciences Edition)*, 2015, 13 (4): 27-32.
- Yang Kaizhong, Rong Qiuyan. A Initial Study of the Economic Factors of Local Government Bankruptcy in the United States. *Guangxi Social Science*, 2015 (4): 144-150.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Great Strategy of Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei and the Future Conception of the Capital: Some basic issues of adjusting and dissolving Beijing's urban functions. *People's Forum, Academic Frontier*, 2015 (2): 72-83.
- Liu Anguo, Zhang Kesen, Yang Kaizhong. Economic Spatial Optimization and Regional Coordinated Development under Environmental Externalities: An extended new economic geography model. *Inquiry into Economic Issues*, 2015 (12): 91-99.
- Yang Kaizhong. Reflections on Deepening the Reform of Academic Committees in Universities. *Higher Education in China*, 2014 (8): 21-24.
- Yang Kaizhong. Creating the Best Good Area for National Regional Governance Modernization: Research and suggestions on the mechanism of Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei cooperative development. *National Governance*, 2014 (19).
- Yang Kaizhong. Planning for the Cross-regional Integration without Boundary for Promoting Coordinated Development of Beijing, Tianjin and Hebei. *Guangxi Social Science*, 2014 (8).
- Yang Kaizhong. The Reform Orientation of New Urbanization. *China's National Conditions and Strength*, 2014 (10).
- Yang Kaizhong, Zhang Ziyi, Liu Yi. A Comparative Study of Water-bearing Ecological Footprint Differences between the Capital Circle and the Yangtze River Delta. *Urban Problems*, 2014 (6): 28-36.
- Zhao Hui, Yang Kaizhong, Wei Haitao. The Urban Job-resident Spatial Reconstruction and Evolution of Traffic Mode in Beijing. *Urban Planning*, 2013 (8).
- Yang Kaizhong. The Core of New Urbanization Is to Improve Quality. *State Land Today*, 2013 (2).
- Shen Tian, Lao Xin, Yang Kaizhong. Economic Density: A New Perspective of Regional Economic Research. *Economic Dynamics*, 2012 (7): 15-19.
- Liang Han, Jiang Ling, Yang Kaizhong. Review and Prospect of Urban Grade System Evolution Theory. *Research on Technology, Economy and Management*, 2012 (10): 78-81.
- Liu Weiwei, Yang Kaizhong. Source of Manufacturing Agglomeration Economy: An empirical study based on enterprise data. *Technoeconomics & Management Research*, 2012 (4): 121-124.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Next 30 Years of Zhixin District. *China Report*, 2012 (10)
- Wu Aizhi, Yang Kaizhong, Li Guoping. A Review of Regional Economic Disparities in China. *Economic Geography*, 2011, 31 (5): 705-711.
- Jiang Kai, Yang Kaizhong. Problems and Countermeasures in Trade and Logistics Industry in underdeveloped areas. *China Business and Trade*, 2011 (17).
- Sun Li, Lan Zongmin and Yang Kaizhong. Research on the Development Orientation of Underdeveloped Coastal Cities - Taking Rizhao as an Example. *Special Economic Zone*, 2011 (6): 274-277.
- Liu Anguo, Yang Wei and Yang Kaizhong. Direction Selection of Water Supply and Drainage Management

- System in Beijing, Urban Problems, Issue 07, 2011
- Jiang Kai and Yang Kaizhong. A Literature Review on Industrial Transfer from Multiple Perspectives. Development and Research, 2011 (3): 34-37.
- Liu Anguo, Jiang Meiyong and Yang Kaizhong, The Reference of World Urban Solid Waste Management to Beijing, Beijing Social Sciences, Issue 04, 2011
- Liu Anguo, Jiang Meiyong, Yang Kaizhong, Shi Jibao. A Study of the Effectiveness and Regional Differences of Environmental Policy and Environmental Technological Innovation: A case of treatment of industrial wastewater discharge in China. Journal of Capital University of Economics and Trade, 2011, 13 (4): 25-33.
- Liang Han, Jiang Ling and Yang Kaizhong. A New Economic Geography Model for Integrating Local Government Competition, Theory and Practice of System Engineering, Issue 01, 2011
- Liang Han, Yang Kaizhong, Jiang Ling. Regional Differences in The Supporting Role of High-quality Human Resources in Regional Economy of China, Soft Science, Issue 03, 2011
- Yang Kaizhong. Theory and Practice of World Urban Construction with Chinese Characteristics. Scientific Chinese, 2011 (9): 22-25.
- Anguo L, Ge G, Kaizhong Yang. Returns to Scale in the Production of Selected Manufacturing Sectors in China. Energy Procedia, 2011(5):604-612. (EI)
- Wu Qungang and Yang Kaizhong. Reflections on the Development of Regional Integration in Beijing, Tianjin and Hebei, Urban Problems, Issue 01, 2010
- Yang Kaizhong, Jiang Ling. China's Economic Zoning Transition and Frontier Topic. China Administration, 2010 (5): 79-82.
- Yang Kaizhong. Explore and Try-out the Professional Manager System of Urban Management. China's Circulation Economy, 2009, 23 (7): 57-59.
- Yang Kaizhong. Real Estate Industry As a Pillar Industry Adapts to the National Conditions. People's Forum, 2009 (7): 20-21.
- Yang Kaizhong. "Human" Reform: Key Points of the New Round of Reform. People's Forum, 2009 (3): 52-53.
- Sun Dapeng, Yang Kaizhong, Zhu Zhenkun. Research on Decision Model of Service Outsourcing in Manufacturing Enterprises. Research and Development Management, 2009, 21 (2): 64-72.
- Wang Bingsong, Yang Kaizhong. Mechanisms and Approaches of Urban-rural Coordinated Development: A case study of Chongqing. Urban Problems, 2009 (4): 61-64.
- Chen Liangwen, Yang Kaizhong, Shen Tiyan. Differences in Economic Agglomeration Density and Labor Productivity: An empirical study with data on Beijing from a micro perspective. Economics Quarterly, 2009, 8 (1): 99-114.
- Tao R, Yang K, Liu M. State Capacity, Local Fiscal Autonomy, and Urban—Rural Income Disparity in China. China Information, 2009, 23(3):355-381.
- Yang Kaizhong. Concepts, Branches and Schools of Regional Economics. Economic Dynamics, 2008 (1): 55-60.
- Yang Kaizhong, Chen Liangwen. An Empirical Study of Evolution of Regional Urban System in China. Urban Problems, 2008 (3): 6-12.
- Yang Kaizhong. Several Key Issues in the Development of Capital Economic Zone of China. Social Science Forum (Academic Research Volume), 2008 (2): 149-152.
- Yang Kaizhong. An Introduction to the Frontiers of Regional Scientific Research in China—Comments on Principles of Regional Economics. Open Report, 2008 (4): 63-68.
- Wang Bingsong, Yang Kaizhong. Discussion on the Organizational Mechanism of Construction Workers Training under the Labor Subcontracting System. Construction Economy, 2008 (11): 14-17.
- Liu Anguo, Yang Kaizhong. "Jones Criticism" on the Development of Endogenous Growth Theory. Journal of Capital University of Economics and Trade, 2008, 10 (4).
- Sun Dapeng, Yang Kaizhong, Zhu Zhenkun. Study of Outsourcing Strategy Selection of Manufacturing Enterprises. Industrial Technology Economy, 2008, 27 (12): 38-41.
- Chen Liangwen, Yang Kaizhong. Agglomeration and Decentralization: Integration of New Economic



- Geography Model with Urban Internal Spatial Structure and External Economics of Scale. *Economics: Quarterly*, 2008, 7(1): 53-70.
- Chen Liangwen, Yang Kaizhong. Industrial Agglomeration, Market Structure and Productivity: An empirical study with a panel of manufacturing industry in China. *Scientia Geographica Sinica*, 2008, 28 (3): 325-330.
- Feng Zhijun, Yang Kaizhong, Zhou Rong. A Classification of Main Functional Areas and Regional Economic Development [C] China Sustainable Development Forum. 2008.
- Chen Liangwen, Yang Kaizhong, Wu Bo. An Empirical Study of the Evolution of China's Urban System. *Jiangsu Social Science*, 2007 (1): 81-88.
- Chen Liangwen, Yang Kaizhong. Productivity, Urban Scale and Economic Density: An empirical study of the urban economic agglomeration effect. *Guizhou Social Science*, 2007 (2): 113-119.
- Chen Liangwen, Yang Kaizhong. Reasons for the Change of Regional Economic Differences in China: A Perspective of Factor Flow and Agglomeration Economy. *Contemporary Economic Science*, 2007, 29 (3): 35-42.
- Xu Ying, Yang Kaizhong, Shen Tiyan. Research on the Transition of Agglomeration Economy under the Rapid economic growth in China. *Exploration of Economic Issues*, 2007 (7): 1-7.
- Xu Ying & Yang Kaizhong. Government Functions in the Development of Convention and Exhibition Industry. *Urban Problems*, 2007 (1): 82-86.
- Xu Ying, Yang Kaizhong. An empirical study of the driving force transition of China's economic growth. *Jiangsu Social Science*, 2007 (5): 58-63.
- Yang Kaizhong, Beijing Population Overload Situation and Countermeasure, *Population Research*, 2007, 31 (1) (Yang Kaizhong. Beijing Population Overload Situation and Countermeasure [C] Capital Population and Development Forum. 2009.)
- Yang Kaizhong. On Regional Cooperation in Beijing and Surroundings. *Friends of Leadership*, 2007 (1).
- Yang Kaizhong. The Development and Opening of Tianjin Binhai New Area Must Rely on Cooperation between Beijing, Tianjin and Hebei. *Friends of Leadership*, 2007 (2)
- Cai Hong, Yang Kaizhong. The Strategic Conception of Tourism Market Planning in Qinghai-Tibet Region. *Journal of Capital University of Economics and Trade*, 2007, 9(2): 22-30.
- Weng Jin, Yang Kaizhong. The Spatial Structure of Tourism System: A Spatial Model of Monopoly Competition with Asymmetric Characteristics. *Systems Engineering Theory and Practice*, 2007, 27 (2): 76-82.
- Yang Xiao, Yang Kaizhong. A Study of Regional Differences under the Impact of China Monetary Policy. *Financial Research*, 2007, 33 (2): 4-15.
- Jiang Ling, Yang Kaizhong. Research on the Method of Dividing China's Standard Economic Zones. *Hubei Social Science*, 2007 (6): 72-76.
- Jiang Ling, Yang Kaizhong. The Economic Regionalization of Japan's Metropolitan Area and Its Enlightenment to China. *Longitudinal and horizontal Southeast Asia*, 2007 (2): 113-117.
- Shen Tiyan, Luo Lie, Yang Kaizhong. Spatial-temporal Dynamics Simulation of Urban Growth. *Systems Engineering Theory and Practice*, 2007, 27 (1): 10-17.
- Shen Tiyan, Luo Lie, Li Xun, Zhu Rongfu and Yang Kaizhong. A LRM-based Simulation of Future Urban Growth in Beijing. *Journal of Peking University (Natural Science Edition)*, 2007, 43 (6): 776-783.
- Peng Chaohui, Yang Kaizhong. A Spatial Equilibrium Model for Evolution of Regional Economic Differences. *Contemporary Economic Science*, 2006, 28 (1): 81-86.
- Chen Liangwen, Yang Kaizhong, Wu Huo. A Localized Economy and Urbanized Economy: An empirical study of manufacturing data in Chinese Provinces. *Exploration of Economic Issues*, 2006 (11): 18-25.
- Chen Liangwen, Yang Kaizhong. The Six Models of Agglomeration Economy: A Literature review. *Economic Science*, 2006 (6)
- Yang Kaizhong. The Transformation of the Yangtze River Delta Should Promote Seven Major Transformations. *Zhejiang Today*, 2006 (4).
- Xu Feng, Yang Kaizhong. A Study of Building Modern Urban Recreational Business District: Taking

- Wuhan as an Example. *Journal of Tourism*, 2006, 21 (3): 24-29.
- Yang K, Xu YANG. Regional differences in the development of Chinese small and medium - sized enterprises. *Journal of Small Business and Enterprise Development*, 2006, 13(2):174-184.
- Yang Kaizhong, Xie Xie, Liu Anguo. A Spatial Model of Monopolistic Competition with Limited Number of Firms and Different Transaction Costs. *Systems Engineering*, 2005, 23 (6).
- Liu Anguo, Yang Kaizhong, Xie Xie. A Comparative Study of New Economic Geography and Traditional Economic Geography. *Progress in Geosciences*, 2005, 20 (10).
- Xie Xie, Yang Kaizhong, Liu Anguo. The New Economic Geography and Location Selection Model of Complex Science. *Economic Geography*, 2005, 25 (4): 442-444.
- Li Wenliang, Weng Jin, Yang Kaizhong. A Comparative Study of Tourism System Models. *Journal of Tourism*, 2005, 20 (2).
- Xie Xie, Yang Kaizhong. The Policy Implications of the New Economic Geography Model and Its Implications for China. *Geography and Geographic Information Science*, 2005, 21 (3).
- Xue Ling, Yang Kaizhong. A Business Layout Based on Spatial Interaction Model: A case study of Haidian District of Beijing. *Geographical Research*, 2005, 24 (2): 265-273.
- Yang Kaizhong. On Strategies Foundation for the Rise of Central China. *China Finance*, 2005 (5): 16-18.
- Xie Xie, Yang Kaizhong. The Theoretical Cornerstone of the Birth of New Economic Geography. *Contemporary Economic Science*, 2004, 26 (4): 53-57.
- Wei Wenying, Yang Kaizhong. The Basic Premise of Regional Marketing: Region and Its Characteristics. *Reform and Strategy*, 2005 (1): 4-6.
- Yang Kaizhong. On Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei Regional Development. *Front Line*, 2004 (12): 39-40.
- Yang Kaizhong. On the Way of Resource-saving Development. *Frontline*, 2004 (11): 35-37.
- Weng Jin, Li Wenliang, Yang Kaizhong. The Theory of French School of Regulation and Its Application in Regional Economics. *Contemporary Finance and Economics*, 2004 (10): 75-77.
- Weng Jin, Yang Kaizhong. Research on Knowledge Business Development Strategy of Zhongguancun. *Business Research*, 2004 (15): 80-83.
- Li Qiang, Yang Kaizhong. Changes of Modern Western Urban Planning Model, Urban Problems, Issues 5, 2004
- Wang Caifeng, Yang Kaizhong. Economic Thoughts on the Interconnection of Electronic Government. *Industrial Technology Economy*, 2004, 23 (4): 25-26.
- Li Qiang, Yang Kaizhong. A Summary of Western Urban Land Using Regulation Methods. *Foreign Economic Management*, 2004, 26 (4): 40-43.
- Li Qiang, Yang Kaizhong, Zhang Whale. Changes in Modern Western Urban Planning Model. *Urban Problems*, 2004 (3): 70-74.
- Xue Ling, Yang Kaizhong, Shen Tiyan. The *Agent*-based Modeling: A New Development of Geographic Computing. *Progress in Geosciences*, 2004, 19 (2).
- Wei Wenying, Yang Kaizhong. A Review of the School of Regional Marketing Theory. *Reform and Strategy*, 2004 (12): 74-76.
- Yang Kaizhong. Some Understanding of Tourism Science Research. *Journal of Tourism*, 2004, 19 (1).
- Yang Kaizhong. Revitalizing Bohai Rim Region: Breaking the New Code of China's Development in the 21st Century. *Friends of Leadership*, 2004 (2): 18-21.
- Liu A G, Yang KZ. A Path-dependent Model of Investment and Employment Flow in a Large Economy in the Process of Integration. *Chinese Geographical Science*, 2004, 14(4):289-295.
- Zhou W, Yang KZ. An Essay on The Convergence or Divergence of Economic Growth of China. *Ssrn Electronic Journal*, 2004.
- Weng Jing, Yang Kaizhong. A Study of the Organizational Model of Tourism Industry of "scenic company + peasant household" in Chongdugou. *Economic Longitude and Latitude*, 2004 (1): 135-138.
- Xue Ling, Yang Kaizhong. Research on Multi-agent Model of Urban Evolution. *Systems Engineering Theory and Practice*, 2003, 23 (12): 1-9.
- Li Qiang, Zhang Jing, Yang Kaizhong. The 100-year History of Rational Integrated Urban Planning Model

- in the West. *Journal of Urban Planning*, 2003 (6): 76-80.
- Chen Teng and Yang Kaizhong. A Study of Regional Tourism Strategic Planning. *Scientific and Technological Progress and Countermeasures*, 2003, 20 (12): 84-86.
- Cai Hong, Yang Kaizhong. Research on Promotion Strategy of Tourism Destination. *Journal of Capital University of Economics and Trade*, 2003, 5 (1).
- Chen Teng and Yang Kaizhong. The Strategic Resource Analysis of Regional Tourism Planning. *Reform and Strategy*, 2003 (8): 29-32.
- Yang Kaizhong, Taoran and Liu Mingxing. Deregulation, Decentralization and China's Economic Transition. *Chinese Social Sciences*, 2003 (3): 4-17.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Impact of Building a Well-off Society by an All-round Way Towards China's Future Tourism. *Journal of Tourism*, 2003 (2)
- Tan Sui, Yang Kaizhong, Xun Lina and Tan Chengwen. A Study of the Evolution Model of Urban and Regional Spatial Pattern Based on Self-organization Theory. *Economic Geography*, 2003, 23(2): 149-153.
- Xu Feng and Yang Kaizhong. Marketing-oriented Tourism Product Planning Model: A case of Chenzhou City of Hunan Province. *Economic and Management Research*, 2003 (2): 72-76.
- Cai Hong, Yang Kaizhong. A Wonderful Place- Backyard Garden of Guangdong, Hong Kong and Macao - An empirical study of Tourism image building strategy by case of Chenzhou City of Hunan Province. *State Land Today*, 2003 (7): 34-37.
- Xie Xie and Yang Kaizhong. Reanalysis of the Investment Environment in Western China and Policy Suggestions. *Development Research*, 2003 (2): 6-8. *Development Research*, issue 2, 2003
- Xie Xie and Yang Kaizhong. A Diversification and Specialization of Chinese Cities. *Soft Science*, 2003, 17 (1): 10-13.
- Yang Kaizhong, Li Wenliang. The Role of the Government in the Exhibition Industry, Investment in Beijing, 2003 (12): 15-17.
- Guo R, Yang KZ. Political Economy of Transnational Water Pollution: What Do the LMB Data (1985–2000) Say?. *Environmental Management*, 2003.
- Heikkila E J, Shen T Y, Yang KZ. Fuzzy Urban Sets: Theory and Application to Desakota Regions in China. *Environment and Planning B: Planning and Design*, 2003, 30(2):239-254.
- Tan Sui, Xun Lina and Yang Kaizhong. The Sources of Urban Competitive Advantage in Agile Information Age. *Northern Economy*, 2002 (6): 28-29.
- Chen Jing and Yang Kaizhong. China's Urban Development Policy and Its Environmental Impact. *Urban Problems*, 2002 (5): 2-6.
- Yang Kaizhong and Xie Xie. Data Envelope Analysis of Input-Output Effectiveness of Chinese Cities. *Geographic and Geographic Information Science*, 2002, 18(3): 45-47.
- Tan Sui, Yang Kaizhong and Tan Chengwen. Comparing the Two Dynamic Models on Urban Spatial Structure by Using Self-organization Theory. *Economic Geography*, 2002, 22(3): 322-326.
- Yang Kaizhong, Baimo, Li Ying, Xue Ling and Wang Xuejun. A Feasibility Study of the Application of Willingness Value Assessment Method in China's Environmental Survey Field: Evidence from Beijing Residents' Willingness to Pay. *Progress in Geosciences*, 2002, 17 (3): 420-425.
- Xue Ling, Yang Kaizhong. The Complexity Science Theory and Regional Spatial Evolution Simulation. *Geographic Research*, 2002, 21 (1).
- Yang Kaizhong and Xue Ling. The Complex Regional Science: Regional Science in the 21st Century. *Progress in Geosciences*, 2002, 17 (1): 5-11.
- Li G P, Yang K Z, He Q C, et al. A Study of the Mechanism and Characteristics of the Industrial and Spatial Transference of FDI in China. *Chinese Geographical Science*, 2001, 11(1):1-10.
- Liu Anguo and Yang Kaizhong. A Review of New Economic Geography Theories and Models. *Economic Dynamics*, 2001 (12): 67-72.
- Meng Qingmin and Yang Kaizhong. Regional Division of Labor Dominated by Economies of Scale. *China Soft Science*, 2001 (12).
- Yang Kaizhong. A New Idea of Urban-Rural Development Theory: A Review of the paper Modern

- Urban-Rural Networked Development Model. *Journal of Geography*, 2001, 56 (6).
- Meng Qingmin and Yang Kaizhong. The Spatial Economic Agglomeration under the Condition of Integration. *Human Geography*, 2001, 16 (6): 7-11.
- Tan Chengwen and Yang Kaizhong. An Analysis of the Development of Zhongguancun Core Area. *Economic Theory and Management*, 2001, V(6): 31-36.
- Chen Jung and Yang Kaizhong. Discussion on the Development Strategy of Logistics Industry in China under the E-commerce Environment. *Economic Geography*, 2001, 21(5): 554-558.
- Li Ying, Baimo, Yang Kaizhong and Wang Xuejun. Residents' Willingness to Pay for Improving the Quality of Beijing's Atmospheric Environment. *Urban Environment and Urban Ecology*, 2001 (5): 6-8.
- Fang Sen, Li Guoping, Yang Kaizhong. Research on Sustainable Industrial Development Direction of Water Resources Protection Area. *Journal of Peking University (Philosophy and Social Sciences Edition)*, 2001, Vol. 38 (4): 70-76.
- Liu Anguo and Yang Kaizhong. A Study of Investment and Financing Strategies for Western Development. *Development Research*, 2001 (4): 21-25.
- Liu Anguo and Yang Kaizhong. An Evaluation and Analysis of Spatial Self-organization Model of Multi-center Advanced by Krugman. *Scientia Geographica Sinica*, 2001, 21(4): 315-322.
- Tan Chengwen and Yang Kaizhong. An Analysis of the Development of Zhongguancun Science and Technology Park. *China Soft Science*, 2001 (4).
- Yang Kaizhong, Xu Feng, Quan Xiaohong. Connotation, Principles and Evolution of Ecotourism Concept. *Human Geography*, 2001, 16 (4): 6-10.
- Meng Qingmin, Li Guoping, Yang Kaizhong. The Learning-type Regions: Regional Development for Globalization. *Scientia Geographica Sinica*, 2001, 21 (3).
- Yang Kaizhong. The Mechanism and Conceptual Model of Urbanization Driving Economic Growth in China. *Urban Problems*, 2001 (3): 4-7.
- Gelimurati Wushour, Yang Kaizhong. A Discussion on Xinjiang Regional Economic Development. *Xinjiang Social Sciences*, 2001 (2): 26-31.
- Yang Kaizhong, Shen Tiyan. Research on Digital Beijing Development Strategy. *Beijing Planning and Construction*, 2001 (2): 26-31.
- Tan Chengwen, Yang Kaizhong and Peng Chaohui. On the Development of Ancient Cultural Tourism Products--Taking Luoyang City as an Example. *Human Geography*, 2001, 16 (2).
- Tan Chengwen, Li Guoping and Yang Kaizhong. Three Strategies for the Development of China's Capital Circle. *Scientia Geographica Sinica*, 2001, 21 (1).
- Li Guoping, Wang Liming and Yang Kaizhong. The Measurement and Analysis of Regional Economic Connection between Shenzhen and the Pearl River Delta. *Economic Geography*, 2001, 21 (1): 33-37.
- Yang Kaizhong, Shen Tiyan. An Analysis of Digital City. *Beijing Planning and Construction*, 2001 (1): 37-43.
- Yang Kaizhong, Deng Jing. A Study of the Spatial Distribution of Zhongguancun Science and Technology Park. *Journal of Urban Planning*, 2001 (1): 26-30.
- Yang Kaizhong. Marketing Regions like Marketing Enterprises. *Leadership Decision Information*, 2001 (36).
- Xiaohong Q, Tiyan S, Kaizhong Yang. Analysis of Educational Factor in Regional Innovation and the Corresponding Policy Implications. *Journal of Geographical Sciences*, 2000, 11(1):72-78.
- Dou, W. Z., Li, G. P., Gan, Y. J., Wang, L. M., & Yang, K. Z. Urban competitive pattern and its changes in China. *Chinese Geographical Science*, 2000, 10(2):105-112.
- Tan Chengwen, Yang Kaizhong, Tan Sui. The Concept and Division of China's Capital Zone. *Geographic and Geographic Information Science*, 2000, 16 (4): 1-7.
- Meng Qingmin, Li Guoping and Yang Kaizhong. The New International Division of Labor: Concept and Mechanism. *Soft Science of China*, 2000 (9): 112-116.
- Yang Kaizhong, Yang Yong, Chen Jie. The Theory and Method of Ecological Footprint Analysis. *Progress in Earth Science*, 2000, 15 (6): 630-636.
- Dou Wen, Yang Kaizhong, Li Guoping. The Economic Analysis of "Miyun Phenomenon" and Its Policy

- Implications. *Economic Geography*, 2000 (6): 39-43.
- Wang Tao, Gan Yingjin and Yang Kaizhong. Viewing Luoyang Tourism Development from Competition and Cooperation. *Human Geography*, 2000 (6): 38-41.
- Dou Wen, Yang Kaizhong, Yang Xinjun. Research Progress in Regional Tourism Competition. *Human Geography*, 2000 (3): 22-27.
- Industrial Structure Adjustment in Fuxin City and Development Strategic Planning (Project Host: Yang Kaizhong). Research on Fuxin City Industrial Structure Adjustment and Sustainable Development Strategy. *Population, Resources and Environment of China*, 2000 (3): 71-75.
- Li Guoping and Yang Kaizhong. A Study of the Characteristics and Mechanism of Industrial and Spatial Transfer of FDI in China. *Scientia Geographica Sinica*, 2000, 20 (2).
- Yang Kaizhong, Gan Yingjin. Research on Venture Capital in High-tech Industry in China: Taking the example of Zhongguancun National Science and Technology Demonstration Zone. *China Soft Science*, 2000 (1): 23-28.
- Yang Kaizhong. Basic features and trends of the economic base of Beijing. *Chinese Geographical Science*, 1999, 9(1):12-19.
- Quan Xiaohong and Yang Kaizhong. A Study of the Change of Industrial Structure and Relative Advantage in Beijing. *China's Industrial Economy*, 1999 (11): 32-37.
- Yang Kaizhong, Gan Yingjin and Shen Tian. Alternatives of the Macro-regional Pattern of the Chinese Economy in Post-reform Era. *China Soft Science*, 1999 (7): 11-16.
- Tan Chengwen, Yang Kaizhong. The Characteristics of Division and Cooperation of Tertiary Industry in Beijing and Tianjin. *Economic Geography*, 1999 (6): 55-61.
- Yang Kaizhong, Xu Chunxiu and Gan Yingjin, China's Marketization: Principles, Thoughts and Strategies, *China Social Sciences Quarterly*, Summer 1999
- Yang Kaizhong, The Position, System and Frontier of Regional Science. *Scientia Geographica Sinica*, 1999, 19 (4): 358-363.
- Yang Kaizhong, Zhang Yang. Tianjin's Industrial Relative Advantage and Its Structural Change. *Scientia Geographica Sinica*, 1999, 19 (6): 510-516.
- Yang Kaizhong and Shen Tian. On Geographic Information Science. *Journal of Geo-Information Science*, 1998, 18 (1): 260-266.
- Quan Xiaohong and Yang Kaizhong. On the Coordinated Development of Beijing and Tianjin. *Economic Geography*, 1999 (2): 6-10.
- Yang Kaizhong and Quan Xiaohong. Re-discussion on the Reform of Administrative Divisions of China. *China's Locals: Administrative Divisions and Names*, 1998 (2): 2-5.
- Yang Kaizhong. Welcome the New Climax of Land and Resources Management. *China Land*, 1998 (5).
- Yang Kaizhong. The Basic Characteristics and Trends of Beijing's Economic Basis. *Acta Geographica Sinica*, 1997, 9 (6): 481-490.
- Yu Guangyuan, Du Runsheng, Shi Shan, Chen Yuxiang, Yang Kaizhong, Wang Delu. (1997). Enterprises and Sustainable Development. *Future and Development*, 1997 (1): 11-12.
- Ki-Suk Lee, Kaizhong Yang, Ock-Hee Lee, Han-Sung Choi, Zong-Fam Kim and Jae-Sup Ahn, Regional Characteristics of the Developmental Zones In Yellow Sea Rim of China, *Journal of Geographic and Environmental Education*, Vol.5, No.2, 1997.
- Wang Xuejun and Yang Kaizhong. The Role of Economic Means in Environmental Protection. *China's National Conditions and Strength*, 1996 (10): 18-19.
- Yang Kaizhong. Correctly Grasping the Dynamic Balance of Total Cultivated Land. *China Land*, 1996 (9).
- Yang Kaizhong, Tao Ran and Wang Berlin. Making Full Use of Land Advantages to Promote Regional Economic Development Along the Bridge. *Development and Research*, 1996 (5): 24-26.
- Yang Kaizhong. A Theoretical Study of Regional Economic Development in Large Countries. *Economic Science*, 1996, Vol.18(3): 15-20.
- Yang Kaizhong. Strategies for Accelerating Economic Development in Northwest China. *China's Industrial Economy*, 1996 (3).
- Yang Kaizhong, Tao Ran. Research on the Implementation System of State-owned Land Property Rights.

- Land Science of China, 1995 (1): 32-37.
- Yang Kaizhong. A Study of the Changes of Regional Economic Differences in China. *Economic Research*, 1994 (12): 28-33.
- Yang Kaizhong. The General Sustainable Development Theory (I). Population Resources and Environment of China, 1994 (1): 11-15.
- Yang Kaizhong. The General Sustainable Development Theory (II). Population, Resources and Environment of China, 1994 (2): 7-12.
- Yang Kaizhong. On Regional Development Strategy. *Geographical Research*, 1994, 13 (1): 9-15.
- Yang Kaizhong. Changes of Industrial Structure and Interregional Growth and Division of Labor in China. *Journal of Geography*, 1993(6): 481-490.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Strategic Choice of Harmonious Development of Coastal and Mainland Economy. *China's Industrial Economy*, 1993 (1): 31-36.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Overall Arrangement of Coordinated Development of Regional Economy in China. *Management World*, 1993 (1): 165-172.
- Yang Kaizhong. Discussion on the Theory of Binary Regional Structure. *Journal of Geography*, 1992(6): 499-506.
- Yang Kaizhong. On the Function of Natural Environment on Human Social Development. *Human Geography*, 1992 (3): 64-70.
- Yang Kaizhong et al. Judging Panel for Chinese Enterprises Assessment. Research on Comprehensive Development and Utilization Layout of Shenmu Coal in China. *Management World*, 1992 (4): 86-93..
- Yang Kaizhong, Theory and Method of Dual Regional Structure Development, *Economists' Learning Materials*, 1992 (47)
- Yang Kaizhong. On the Construction of Geographic Science System. *Journal of Geography*, 1991 (4): 488-494.
- Yang Kaizhong: Review, Reflection and Prospect of the Renaissance of Chinese Human Geography. *Human Geography*, 1991 (2): 8-15.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Summary of the National Geographic Science Symposium. *Human Geography*, 1991 (3): 73-76.
- The Team for Western China Studies under the Development Research Center of the State Council (Yang Kaizhong is major author), providing suggestions on accelerating the development of the western region in the 1990s. *Managing the world*, 1991 (5): 121-127+225.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Rise and Evolution of Regional Development Studies—Also Discussing the Regional Development of Developing Countries. *Economic Geography*, 1990 (3): 9-16.
- Yang Kaizhong. China's Regional Division of Labor: Transition and Policy. *Productivity Research*, 1990 (2): 5-12.
- Yang Kaizhong. Several Questions about Regional Economics, *Regional Economic Research*, 1990. No.1
- Yang Kaizhong. The Conception of China's Regional Policy System in the Eighth Five-Year Plan and the Later Ten Years. *Management World*, 1990 (5)
- Walter Assad (author), Wang Nianqi (translator), Yang Kaizhong (reviewer), Origin, Development and Future of Regional Science. *Productivity Research*, 1990 (6): 4-10.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Systematic Research on the Theory of Regional Industrial Policy. *Management World*, 1989 (5): 38-53+223.
- Yang Kaizhong. Research on China's Regional Economic System (I): Regional Economic Theory, Application and Policy. *China Industrial Economy*, 1989 (3): 66-73
- Yang Kaizhong. Research on China's Regional Economic System (II): Regional Economic Theory, Application and Policy. *China Industrial Economy*, 1989 (4): 26-36.
- Yang Kaizhong. Research on China's Regional Economic System (II) - Regional Economic Theory, Application and Policy. *China Industrial Economy*, 1989 (5):
- Yang Kaizhong. The Basic Rules of National Regional Industrial Policy. *Journal of Graduate School, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences*, 1989 (5): 9-15.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Theory and Method of Regional Industrial Policy, *Learning Materials for Economists*

- (Development Research Center of the State Council), 1989.No.25
- Yang Kaizhong, Ma Jiantang. On the Adjustment of China's Regional Structure. *Development and Research*, 1989 (3): 7-10.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Review and Prospect of Regional Economic Research, *Data on Economic Research* (Institute of Economics, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences), 1989.No.5
- Yang Kaizhong. Foreign Research on the Regional Organization Theory, *Industrial Economics Series* (Institute of Industrial Economics, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences), 1989 (4)
- Yang Kaizhong. A Preliminary Study on the Economic Development of Lianyungang City. *Development Research*, 1989 (6): 30-33.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Progress and Prospect of China's Regional Policy Theory, *Planned Economy Work*, 1989 (4)
- Yang Kaizhong and Hu Hengxia. The Theoretical Progress of Regional Difference Research, *Economic Dynamics*, 1989 (12)
- Yang Kaizhong. The Spatial Organization of Power in the Development of Urban System, *Translations of Economics*, 1989 (9)
- Yang Kaizhong. The Economic Position Change and Development Policy in Western China. *Economic Theory and Economic Management*, 1989, V(4): 41-46.
- Yang Kaizhong, Jiang Jinyong. The Economic Development Strategies in the Yellow River Delta. *Development Research*, 1988 (4): 12-15.
- Yang Kaizhong, Xu Jiangping. Technological Progress and Economic Restructuring. *The Sichuan Tianfu New Theory*, 1988 (2): 13-18.
- Ma Jiantang, Yang Kaizhong. The Strategic Thoughts on the Development and Reform of Yulin City (I), *Exploration in Social Science*, 1988 (1)
- Ma Jiantang, Yang Kaizhong. Strategic Thoughts on the Development and Reform of Yulin City (II), *Social Science Exploration*, 1988 (2)
- Yang Kaizhong. Regional Industrial Policies: Research and Draft. *Management World*, 1988 (1): 143-151.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Transformation of Thinking Mode and the Reform of Social Structure. *Academia*, 1987 (3).
- Academic delegation of the Graduate School of the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences to conduct field survey in Sanmenxia City (author: Yang Kaizhong, Jiang Jinyong, Zhongjiyuan). The Strategic Conception of Economic Development of Sanmenxia City. *Journal of the Graduate School of the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences*, 1987 (4): 50-57.
- Yang Kaizhong. The "Two-track Theory" of Economic Development. *Journal of Graduate School, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences*, 1987 (4).
- Yang Kaizhong. Establishing Export-led Growth Pole Strategy. *Productivity Research*, 1987 (4): 39-42.
- Yang Kaizhong. Discussion On the Choice of China's Regional Development Strategy - Also on the Choice of Regional Growth Pole. *Development Research*, 1987 (6): 15-19.
- Yang Kaizhong. The Overall Mode of Ownership Reform with Whole Society Participation. *Economic System Reform*, 1987 (3): 17-21.
- Chen Chuankang and Yang Kaizhong, Building the Cooperative Intermodal Transport of the Longhai Continental Bridge and the Lianyungang Container. *Economic Research Data*, 1987 (7)
- Yang Kaizhong. The Mechanisms and Policy Choices for the Modernization of China's Dual Economic Structure. *Economic Theory and Economic Management*, 1987 (1): 31-36.

## 6.2 Monographs and edited books

- Kaizhong Yang and Rongxing Guo. *Advancing China's Towns with Special Features: Endowment Dependence or Policy (In)effectiveness?* Springer, forthcoming.
- Zheng Huanyong (author), Yang Kaizhong, Li Shuncheng, Song Yingxuan (translators). *Urban Management*. Science Press, 2016.
- Yang Kaizhong (Editor-in-Chief). *Upward Spirit: The Selected Works of Peking University Planning for 1914-2013*. Peking University Press, 2014.



- Walter Isard (author) Yang Kaizhong, Shen Tiyan, Fangsen (translators). Location and Spatial Economy: A General Theory on Industrial Location, Market Area, Land Use, Trade and Urban Structure. Peking University Press, 2011.
- Yang Kaizhong (Editor-in-Chief). Theory and Practice of Regional Development in China after the Reform and Opening-up. Science Press, 2010.
- Yang Kaizhong, Chen Liangwen, et al.. Taxi Industry Regulation China Urban Press, 2008.
- Xie Xie, Yang Kaizhong (author). Labor Flow and Regional Economic Differences: Perspective of New Economic Geography, Xinhua Publishing House, 2005 (Jilin Publishing Group Co., Ltd. Reprint, 2016)
- Leo Eric Alexander (author), Shen Tiyan, Yang Kaizhong, Gao Yingying (translators). Sports and Urban Marketing, Oriental Press, 2006.
- Weng Jin, Yang Kaizhong (author). Theory and Application of Tourism Spatial Structure. Xinhua Publishing House, 2005.
- Peng Chaohui, Yang Kaizhong (author). Human Capital and Regional Economic Differences between. Xinhua Publishing House, 2005 (Jilin Publishing Group Co., Ltd. Reprint, 2016).
- Chen Jung and Yang Kaizhong (author). Space Organization and Urban Logistics, Xinhua Publishing House, 2003 (Jilin Publishing Group Co., Ltd. Reprint, 2016).
- Liu Jiangtao, Yang Kaizhong, Feng Changchun (author). Urban Land Use Regulation: Origin, Failure, Improvement. Xinhua Publishing House, 2003.
- Yang Kaizhong, Lu Jun et al. An Overview of Management of Public Health Emergencies Abroad. China Urban Press, 2003.
- Yang Kaizhong, China's Western Development Strategy, Guangdong Education Press, 2001
- Yang Kaizhong and Li Guoping, Continuous Capital, Guangdong Education Press, 2000
- Yang Kaizhong, The Strategic Choice of China's Sustainable Development, Editor-in-Chief Wang Weizhong: A Situation Analysis of China's Sustainable Development, The Commercial Press, 1999.
- Yang Kaizhong: Towards Spatial Integration, Sichuan People's Publishing House, 1993
- Ma Jiantang, He Xiaodong, Yang Kaizhong, Economic Structure Theory: Application and Policy, China Social Science Press, 1991
- Ma Jiantang, Yang Kaizhong, Behind the Cold and Fever Diseases, China Social Sciences Press, 1992
- Ma Jiantang, Yang Kaizhong, Chen Yao, A Review of Economic Development, Xueyuan Publishing House, 1990
- Yang Kaizhong et al. Editor-in-chief Gan Shijun: A Sustainable Development in Face of the Cross-Century Choice, the CPC Central Committee Publishing, Guangdong Science and Technology Press, 1997
- Yang Kaizhong, The Role and Impact of Geographical Environmental Factors, Edited by Zhang Peigang: The New Development Economics, Chapter 21, Henan People's Publishing House, 1992 (2001 Revision)
- Yang Kaizhong, Theory and Policy of Regional Dual Structure, Edited by Zhang Peigang: The New Development Economics, Chapter 22, Henan People's Publishing House, 1992 (2001 Revision)
- Yang Kaizhong, Theory and Principles of Regional Industrial Policy, Zhou Shulian, Chen Dongsheng, Pei Shuping, Editor-in-Chief: Research on Regional Industrial Policy in China, Chapter II, China Economic Publishing House, 1990
- Yang Kaizhong, The Motivation of Industrial Structure Evolution, authored by Sun Shangqing, Ma Jiantang et al. Research on Industrial Structure in China, China Social Science Press, Shanxi People's Press, 1991
- Yang Kaizhong, Realizing the coordinated development of ecology, economy and society. Editor-in-chief Han Zhiguo: Institutional Efficiency of China's Reform and Development, Economic Science Publishing House, 1998
- Chatterji M, Kaizhong Yang. Regional Science in Developing Countries[M]. Palgrave Macmillan UK, 1997.
- Kaizhong Yang. Manas Chatterji, Regional Science For Development, China Ocean Press, 1993
- Ma Jiantang, Yang Kaizhong, He Xiaodong, Jiang Jinyong, Modernization of Dual Economic Structure,

Editor-in-Chief, Dai Yuanchen: The New Theory of China's Economy, China Social Science Press, 1990

Yang Kaizhong and Zhang Zhichao, Rural Economic Development and Urbanization, Editor-in-chief Gu Shutang: The General Theory of Socialist Economics, Shanghai People's Publishing House, 1989

Yang Kaizhong, Research on Regional Development in China, China Ocean Publishing House, 1989

### *6.3 Articles in proceedings:*

Yang Kaizhong, A Review of Capital Circle Strategy and Major Issues cited from the book edited by Zhu Erjuan: On the Development of Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei Metropolitan Circle: New viewpoints, China Economic Publishing House, 2008

Yang Kaizhong, Wang Caifeng. New economic regional differences between China's provinces, municipalities directly under the Central Government and autonomous regions. A Blue Paper on Regional Development in China - Report on Regional Economic Development in China, Social Sciences Literature Press, 2004

Yang Kaizhong, Agile Dalian, cited from Collected Papers on International Harbour Cities, Taiwan, 2001

Yang Kaizhong, Several Issues in Regional Tourism Research, China Association of Regional Sciences, Regional Tourism Development and Management, Ocean Publishing House, 1998

Kaizhong Yang. Basic Processes of Regional Economic Development in China. Regional Science in Developing Countries. Palgrave Macmillan UK, 1997.

Yang Kaizhong, the General Sustainable Development Theory, edited by Cai Jianxia: Collected Papers on Sustainable Development, China Environmental Science Publishing House, 1996

Yang Kaizhong, The Regional Industrial Structure Change and Regional Division of Labor and Growth in China, Editor-in-Chief Sun Shangqing: China's Regional Coordinative Development Strategy, China Economic Publishing House, 1994

Yang Kaizhong, A Preliminary Study on Several Strategic Issues about Economic Development in Lingling Area, Collected Works of the Seminar for Building Geography and Regional Comprehensive Development Zone in Lingling Area: Theory and Practice of Regional Development, China Commercial Press, 1994

Yang Kaizhong, Tang Kunhu, Dai Weimin and Tian Fenglun, the current situation, direction and focus of regional cooperation and cooperation. Editor-in-chief Liu Jiang: The Regional Planning for Southwest and South China Provinces, China Planning Publishing House, 1993

Yang Kaizhong, Human-Earth Relations and Geography, compiled by Department of Urban and Environmental Sciences, Peking University: City, Region and Environment, Ocean Press, 1993

Yang Kaizhong, Problems and Restricting Factors of Lianyungang's Economic Development, Editor-in-Chief Chen Chuankang: Research on Lianyungang's Regional Development Strategy, Ocean Publishing House, 1991

Yang Kaizhong, Research on Economic Development Policy of Lianyungang, Editor-in-Chief Chen Chuankang: Research on Regional Development Strategy of Lianyungang, Ocean Publishing House, 1991

Yang Kaizhong, A Preliminary Study of the Development of Longhai Continental Bridge Transportation. Editor-in-chief Chen Chuankang: Lianyungang City Development Strategy Research, Ocean Publishing House, 1991

Yang Kaizhong, A Comparative Study of Economic Development in East, Midwest and Western China, Editor-in-Chief of Wu Mingyu: Research on Development Strategy in West China in 1990s, Huaxia Publishing House, 1991

Yang Kaizhong, The Regional Policy Design of China in the Eighth Five-Year Plan and the Later Ten Years, Collected Works of the First National Regional Economic Cooperation, 1991

Yang Kaizhong, several theoretical issues in the development of regional economics, compiled by China Regional Economic Society: A New Starting Point of Regional Economic Research, 1991 (Collected Works of the First Symposium of China Regional Economic Society, 1990).

Yang Kaizhong, Foreign Research on Regional Organization Theory, edited by Chen Dongsheng:

Economic Distribution and Regional Economy, Northeast University of Finance and Economics Press, 1990

Yang Kaizhong, On the Modernization of China's Dual Economic Structure, Economic Development and Reform 1986. Vol. (2)

Yang Kaizhong, Paradigm, Structural Analysis and New Development Field of Integrated Physical Geography, Land Types and Natural Regionalization (2), 1985

#### *6.4 Articles in newspapers*

Yang Kaizhong. Building a modernized regional development system. People's Daily (Theoretical Edition), 2018-12-21

Yang Kaizhong, giving full play to the supporting and leading role of the metropolitan area, further promoting the rural revitalization around the capital, Beijing People's Congress, 2018 (9): 18-19.

Yang Kaizhong. The reduced development is the essential requirement of high-quality development of the capital, Beijing Daily (Theoretical Weekly), 2018-6-25

Yang Kaizhong. The rural revitalization relies mainly on metropolitan area, Beijing Daily (Theoretical Weekly), 2018-6-4

Yang Kaizhong, the high-quality development of Xiongan new area to realize four creations, China Construction Daily, 2018-4-25

Yang Kaizhong, Grasping the logic of building high quality development model in Xiongan new area, People's Network, 2018-4-22

Yang Kaizhong, taking the metropolitan area as the main foothold to implement the strategy of rural revitalization, China City Daily, 2018-4-16

Yang Kaizhong. The rural revitalization relies mainly on metropolitan area. Theoretical Report, 2018, No. 366 (6).

Yang Kaizhong. Creating a Metropolitan Circle to Promote the Coordinated Development of Urban and Rural Areas. Economic Daily (Theoretical Edition), March 29, 2018.

Yang Kaizhong. Maintaining Asia-Pacific Peace and Leading Regional Prosperity, People's Daily, 2017-11-10

Yang Kaizhong. Grasping the historical orientation of planning and construction of Xiongan New Area. Current Affairs Report, 2017 (5).

Yang Kaizhong, Let's begin the comprehensive innovation, People's Daily, 2016-03-11.

Yang Kaizhong, The Strategic Mission and Responsibility Orientation of Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei Cooperative Development, Guangming Daily, January 28, 2015

Yang Kaizhong, 2013: Regional development shows five new characteristics, China Economic Times, January 24, 2013

Yang Kaizhong. Which province's ecology more civilized? Ranking China's provinces, autonomous regions and municipalities in the level of ecological civilization. China Economic Weekly, 2011 (12): 34-39.

Yang Kaizhong. Western Development Needs Four Strategies. Continental Bridge Vision, 2003 (z1): 24-25.

Yang Kaizhong, Will China's economic center move westward? China Economic Times, 1996.1.19

Yang Kaizhong, Pay Attention to Three Problems of Real Estate Economy, Science and Technology Daily, 1994.7.1

Yang Kaizhong, Gradually forming the three-level interregional division of labor system, Guangming Daily, 1990.11.17

Yang Kaizhong, Characteristics of China's Economic System and Reform Strategy, Guangming Daily, 1989.2.25

Yang Kaizhong, Correctly Handling the Relations between the Coastal and the Mainland, Guangming Daily, 1989.5.13

Yang Kaizhong, Basic Principles of Socialist Economic Operation, Guangming Daily, 1989.12.23

Yang Kaizhong, On the Development of Productive Forces in the Primary Stage of Socialism, Economic Weekly, 1988.No.18

Yang Kaizhong and Xiao Lian, The Systematic Thoughts on Deepening Economic Reform, Guangming Daily, 1988.1.30

Yang Kaizhong, Two Unhealthy Tendencies in the Study of Industrial Policy in China, Hainan Development Daily, 1988

Yang Kaizhong, Several Issues Concerning the Study of Regional Industrial Policy, Guangming Daily, 1987.9.5

Yang Kaizhong, Five Regional Contradictions in Development and Reform, Economic Reform Digest, 1988 (1)

## 7. Major research projects

---

2017: chief expert and project leader in the research titled the Evolution of Industrial Agglomeration and the Cultivation and Development of New Motivation in China, a key project of the National Natural Science Foundation of China

2015: Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei Space Planning, Chief Expert and Project Leader, Office of Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei Cooperative Development Leading Group of the State Council (Regional Department of the National Development and Reform Commission)

2015: Chief Expert and Project Leader of the Outline of Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei Tourism Cooperative Development Planning of the National Tourism Administration

2014: Chief Expert and Project Leader of Emergency Response Project entitled “Policy Research on Integrated Development of Beijing, Tianjin and Hebei”, National Natural Science Foundation of China,.

2014: chief expert and project leader of the research project in social sciences jointly sponsored by Beijing, Tianjin and Hebei Provinces and Municipalities “Research on Adjusting and Dissolving Non-Capital Core Functions and Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei Cooperative Development”.

2007: Chief Expert and Project Leader of Research on Theory and Policy of New Regional Harmonious Development, a major project of the National Social Science Foundation

2006, Research Project Leader of China Association of Science and Technology, a major consulting project entitled “Comprehensive Study on the Environmental Bearing Capacity of Economic and Social Development in the Bohai Rim Area from 2006 to 2015”, the research results received the instruction of Premier Wen Jiabao.

2005: Chief Expert and Project Leader of Key Project of the National Natural Science Foundation titled “Systematic Research on Regional Urbanization Management in China”.

1999: one of the project leaders of the key project of the National Natural Science Foundation of China, “Research on the Return of Hong Kong and Macao and the Harmonious Development of the Pearl River Delta and Its Surrounding Areas”.

1998: one of the project leaders of the key project of National Natural Science Foundation of China entitled “Research on the Theory and Policy of Sustainable Development Management in China”.

1998: one of the project leaders of the National Social Science Project in the Ninth Five-Year Plan period entitled “Comprehensive Research on Sustainable Development of National Economy”.

2010: Chief Expert and Project Leader of initial study of major projects in Beijing entitled “Study on the Medium-and Long-term Strategies for Beijing's Construction of World Cities”.

2009: Chief Expert of Beijing municipal; government in “Research on Policies Related to Comprehensive Reform of National Urban Management”, which wins the Outstanding Award for the National Development and Reform

2008: Chief Expert and Project Leader of the Major Consulting Project entitled “Research on Shanghai Development Strategic Positioning and Transition”, supported by China Association of Science and Technology and Shanghai Association of Science and Technology

2007: the National Tourism Administration and the People’s Government of the Tibet Autonomous

Region entrusted him as Chief Expert and Project Leader of the revision for the research “Planning for the General Tourism Development Plan of the Tibet Autonomous Region (2005-2020).”

2005: chief expert and project leader of research entitled “Tourism Development Planning along the Qinghai-Tibet Railway (2006-2020)”, supported by the State Tourism Administration.

2005: the chief expert and project leader of the project entitled “General Plan for Tourism Development in the Ili Valley (2005-2020)”, entrusted by the National Tourism Administration.

2005: Chief Expert and Project Leader of Research program entitled “Regional Innovation System of Regional Planning in Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei Metropolitan Area”, entrusted by the National Development and Reform Commission,

2005: Chief Expert and Project Leader of “Research on Regional Innovation System of Regional Planning in the Yangtze River Delta”, entrusted by the National Development and Reform Commission

1998, the chief expert and project leader of the project “Research on the Development Strategy of Zhongguancun Science and Technology Park”, entrusted by Ministry of Science and Technology and Beijing Municipal Government. participated in the conference concerning the Ministry of Science and Technology and Beijing Municipal Government report to the State Council on the Development Plan of Zhongguancun Science and Technology Park”, which provided an important scientific basis for the State Council to speed up the construction of Zhongguancun Science and Technology Park.

## 8. Major academic activities

---

From May 27 to 29, 2014, as the exclusive representative of China, the United Nations Economic and Social Council, he was invited to attend the "Sustainable Urbanization" comprehensive meeting held by the Commission at the United Nations Headquarters in New York, USA, and delivered a speech “The Change of China's Urbanization Model” at the conference.

In 2010, he expanded the cross-strait regional scientific seminars and the Sino-Japanese regional scientific seminars and later developed to be the annual “Asian Regional Scientific Conference”

In 2009, he established the Asian Peace Science Network in Lysia, India with Walter Isard, an advocate of peace science.

In 2007, he assisted Beijing Municipal Government in hosting the 8th Annual Conference of Global Development Network (GDN)

In 2007, he participated in the founding of the Asian Association of Urban and Regional Studies (AAURS) in Korea.

In 2007 he held the Annual Sino-Japanese Regional Science Seminar sponsored by China Regional Science Association and Japan Applied Regional Science Council

In 2006, he launched the Annual Cross-Strait Regional Science Seminar sponsored by China Regional Science Association and Taiwan Regional Science Association

In Sep. 2005, he was the expert of the delegation of “Academician Experts Travel in Western China” sponsored by the Organizational Department of CPC, the Chinese Academy of Sciences, the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, and the Chinese Academy of Engineering

In June 2005, he was the expert of the delegation of “Academician Experts Travel in Northeastern China” sponsored by the Organizational Department of CPC, the Chinese Academy of Sciences, the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, and the Chinese Academy of Engineering

On 5 February 2004, as a representative of the Beijing influential scholars delegation, he was invited to attend the Lantern Festival Evening Party launched by the central government politicians and the academic leadership.

In 2002, he advocated and established the School of Government Management of Peking University and the feature undergraduate major of the Ministry of Education, namely the urban management major at Peking University

From December 2001 to December 2002, Senior Visiting Scholar, School of Public Policy, University of



California, Berkeley, USA;

In 1999, he participant in the founding of Beijing University Capital Development Research Institute which is jointly established by Beijing Municipal Government and Peking University

On April 1999, he participated in the 4th National Situation Investigation Mission of Youth Experts, which was jointly organized by the Organizational Department of CPC and the Central Committee of the Communist Youth League, and later he went to Guizhou for a 10-day investigation.

In Aug. 1997, at the invitation of Japan's Ministry of Communications and Industry, he was an expert of the Chinese government delegation to attend the seminar (Tokyo) on the reform of state-owned enterprises of China and Japan and delivered a speech titled “Main Motivations and Problems of Cross-regional M&As of Chinese Enterprises”.

From 1996 to 1999: he established the master's degree and doctor's degree in regional economics at Peking University.

From October 1995 to May 1996, at the invitation of Walter Isard, Father of Regional Science, visited Cornell University with the assistance of the American-Chinese Exchange Association.

In September 1992, as the UNDP China Project Expert, he visited the University of Pennsylvania, Cornell University, University of Maryland, University of Berkeley and State University of New York, Binghamton.

In 1991, he founded China Regional Science Association, a national first-level society registered by the Ministry of Civil Affairs of the People's Republic of China.

In 1990, at the invitation of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan, he visited Japan as a member of the delegation of young Chinese economists to Japan.

Member of the Scientific Committee of the Fifth World Regional Scientific Congress

Member of the International Committee of the Fifth International Conference on Optimized Technology and Applications

## 9. Media interviews

---

Wang Hongru. The Xiongan New Area “Upgraded Edition” has come! Yang Kaizhong: The New Area will have a political district status higher than Shenzhen in the future, China Economic Weekly, 2019-1-27

Zhang Han. Promoting Regional Harmonious Development and Rural Revitalization in Metropolitan Areas: An Interview with Yang Kaizhong, who is the President of China Regional Science Association and Vice-President of Capital University of Economics and Trade. China's National Conditions and Strength, 2018, No. 304 (05): 7-11.

Interview with Yang Kaizhong: Beijing “Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei” three-year plan for coordinated development with three major characteristics, the Paper News, 2018-07-31

"Economic Round Table" column in Economic Daily. Yang Kaizhong: To build the Yangtze River Economic Zone, we need to make strategic overall planning and coordination, China Economic Network, 2017-01-10.

Xia Xutian. Yang Kaizhong, Vice President of Capital University of Economics and Trade: the Xiongan New Area Planning and Construction Should Grasp the Position of Capital Functional Development Zone. 21st Century Economic Report, 2017-05-29

Ni Hao. Yang Kaizhong: Reducing Beijing's Population Density is Regular, Global Times, 2017-4-28

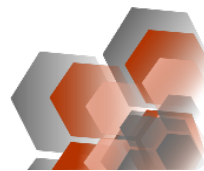
Peng Guohua and Ouyang Hui. Cities are “locomotives” in modernization construction—Interview with Professor Yang Kaizhong, President of China Regional Science Association, Peking University, People's Daily, 2016-02-21

Song Xu. Fully release the dividend of ecological environment in the new pattern of regional coordinated development—An interview with Yang Kaizhong, professor of Peking University and President of China Regional Science Association. China Environmental Management, 2016, 8 (5): 21-25.



- Yang Yuze, the economist Yang Kaizhong: Wuhan should have a stronger sense of competition, *Yangtze Daily*, 2016-11-9
- Liu Yanhua. What is Beijing like after its function is relaxed?—Interview with Yang Kaizhong. *Well-off: Financial Intelligence*, 2015 (7): 20-20.
- Zhou Hui. Interview with Yang Kaizhong, President of China Society of Regional Sciences: Making good use of agglomeration economy to promote the orderly development of the Yangtze River Economic Zone, the 21st Century Economic Report, October-30, 2014
- Yuan Duanduan. Beijing is doomed to follow its own path -- Dialogue with Professor Yang Kaizhong, President of China Regional Science Association, *Southern Weekend*, 2014-3-28
- Li Weizhong, Shangjin. Intelligent Cities Promote New Urbanization: An Interview with Yang Kaizhong, Professor of Peking University and President of China Regional Science Association. *China Information Industry*, 2014 (1): 14-17.
- Li Yong, Wang Hongru. The gold content of GDP in 31 provinces ranked in 2013. *China Economic Weekly*, 2014 (8).
- Chen Zhongyuan. Capital Economic Circle: Future and Reality Together: An Interview with Yang Kaizhong, President of China Association of Regional Sciences and Director of China Regional Economic Research Center, Peking University. *The Data*, 2011 (7): 10-13.
- Yang Kaizhong on Urban Development and Talent Planning, *People's Network Forum on Powerful Countries*, 2010-08-04
- Kang Xiaorong, You Yafei, Gansen. The “uneconomic” changing of the spatial structure - Interview with Yang Kaizhong, Director of China Regional Economic Research Center, Peking University. *Western Radio and Television*, 2010 (8X): 88-89.
- Wang Hongru. Professor Yang Kaizhong of Peking University first responded to the public query through this magazine – “Why do I advocate ‘buying and settling down’”. *China Economic Weekly*, 2009 (8): 44-49.
- Wang Hongru. Yang Kaizhong, the chief scientist of the research group, explained the ranking: “A high GDP does not necessarily mean a high degree of ecological civilization”. *China Economic Weekly*, 2009 (32): 11-13.
- Focus on Learning and Be a Meditate Person: An Interview with Professor Yang Kaizhong, Regional Economic Expert of China, *Journal of Peking University*, 2008-07-04
- Li Shun. Seeking the Basic Motive Force of Town Economic Growth - Interview with Yang Kaizhong, Ph.D. Tutor, Professor of Economics, Peking University. *Beijing Investment*, 2007 (12): 17-18.
- Wang Qian, Ma Chunjiu, Yang Kaizhong, Adding “chips” to regional balance. *Global Persons*, 2006 (20).
- Wang Xudong. Yang Kaizhong, the main pioneer of Regional Science in China, *Development and Research*, 2005 (4): 101-101.
- Wei Qing. How to avoid the uneconomic spatial pattern in the development of the western region—Interview with Professor Yang Kaizhong, a famous regional economist. *New West: Shanghai*, 2005 (2): 109-110.
- Yang Kaizhong, Zhao Xiao and Feng Jie. China's economic center of gravity shifted northward?. *Decision-making exploration*, 2005 (11): 10-10.
- China Economic Research Center, Peking University. *The China Prospective: China Economic Prospects Forum*, Chapter 6 Regional Economic and Urban Development: Sixth Dialogue between Mao Yushi, Yang Kaizhong and Bailanzhi, CITIC Press, 2004.
- Wang Hongru. Who is the city planning for? Guest: Niu Fengrui, Yang Kaizhong and Liu Weixin, written by Wang Hongru: *Comments on China's Economy*. China Finance and Economics Publishing House, 2004.
- Ding Qilin, Lin Jianyang. “Pearl River Delta” is in a turning point. Interview with Yang Kaizhong, Director of China Regional Economic Research Center, Peking University. *Economic World*, 2003.
- Wang Hongru. Can we set up special zones in the west? Visiting economists Yang Kaizhong, Yuan Gangming and Hu Changshun, edited by Wang Hongru: *Comments on China - 100 economists on hot issues of reform and development*. Shanxi Economic Press, 2002.

- Zhang Ze. Yang Kaizhong: Triple Jump to Avoid the Western Trap. Book Abstracts, 2002 (6): 7-9.
- Zhang Bo. Be careful! Western Trap - Interview with Yang Kaizhong. Economic and Trade World, 2001 (4): 12-15.
- Zhang Bo, Zhao Liang, Yang Kaizhong: Beware of the Western Trap. Elite, 2001 (5): 67-69.
- Zou Yan. The North-South economic coordination should not be neglected—Scientific Dialogue with Yang Kaizhong. China Science and Technology Information, 1997 (9): 13-13.
- Wang Minzhong. Several Thoughts on Sustainable Utilization of Land Resources: Interview with Dr. Yang Kaizhong, Director of the Regional Science Center of Peking University and Member of the Scientific and Technological Committee of the State Land Bureau. Land of China, 1996 (7): 32-35.
- Mu Xiaolin. Reflections on present Situation of China's Eco-environment: An Interview with Dr. Yang Kaizhong, Secretary-General of China Association of Regional Sciences and Professor of Peking University. March Wind, 1994 (11): 4-6.
- Xie Changqing. An important geographic research finding was adopted in national plan. Economic Geography, 1992 (1): 28-28.
- Yang Kaizhong, Xiao Lian, Huang Xiaoxiang, et al. Doctoral writing seminar: Reflections on accelerating and deepening reform. Journal of Graduate School, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, 1988 (2): 38-49.



## Annex 7

### Report of the RSAI restructuring committee meeting

Lyon, Aug. 27, 2019

On Aug. 27, 2019 the RSAI restructuring committee met in Lyon for proposing the Council a strategy to accommodate the new sections entering RSAI in the Asian area as well as to address the problem of Taiwanese Regional Scientists leaving the RSAI in 2018.

The Committee is made up of Mark Partridge (President), Budy Resosudarmo (Immediate Past President), Rachel Franklin (PRSCO President), Brian Kim (KRSA), Yoshiro Higano (JSRSAI), Ling Xue (RSAC), Sumana Bandyopadhyay (RSAi), and Kinglsey Haines and Geoffrey Hewings (LRPC delegates).

The meeting was attended by Mark Partridge, Rachel Franklin, Brian Kim, Yoshiro Higano, Ling Xue, Sumana Bandyopadhyay, Kinglsey Haines, and Andrea Caragliu (RSAI Executive Director). Budy Resosudarmo participated via Skype.

During the meeting consensus emerged within the Committee on the following strategy for Asian member Countries.

PRSCO will accommodate all members located in Asia, both those presently members of the PRSCO as well as new members (such as China, Bangladesh, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka). After three years (tentatively, in 2022) PRSCO will then split in a new PRSCO and a fifth RSAI supranational organization (tentatively called ARSA: Asian Regional Science Association). Individual Country members will be left free to decide whether they intend to participate in the activities of either new supranational, or in both.

The three years period will allow capacity building in new country members. To this aim, a committee composed of leading members of new Asian countries will be composed and will tentatively meet in Hawaii, during the joint PRSCO/WRSA Hawaii meeting (March 2020) to review the state of the art.

As for the second point also related to the situation in Asia, the committee unanimously recommends to freeze at present the state of the Taiwan membership in RSAI. However, it also agrees to task RSAC to get in touch with Taiwanese regional scientists to open a channel of dialogue to persuade them of the possibility to join RSAC as a section (following the structure of the various NARSC sub-sections, such as WRSA, NERSA etc.).

*Mark Partridge, RSAI president*

*Andrea Caragliu, RSAI Executive Director*

*Lyon, Aug. 28, 2019*

# **RSAI World Congress**

## **Marrakech, Morocco**

### **June 2-5 2020**

This Convention relates to the RSAI World Congress 2020, June 2-5, in Marrakech, Morocco.

#### **is signed between**

**Regional Science Association International, RSAI** (University of Azores, Office 155-156, Rua Capitão João D'Ávila, 9700-042 Angra do Heroísmo, Azores, Portugal, Email: [rsai@apdr.pt](mailto:rsai@apdr.pt); Website: [www.regionalscience.org](http://www.regionalscience.org). Represented by: Prof. Mark Partridge, President of the RSAI, and by

**Moroccan Regional Science Association (AMSR)**, Represented by: Prof. Abdellatif Khattabi, President of the Regional Science Association of Morocco.

#### **Art. 1. Purpose of the Congress**

This convention is signed in relation to the RSAI World Congress in 2020 (hereafter called the “Congress”). This Congress is open to Delegates (speakers, scientific contributors, or attending persons), Exhibitors (including advertisers - legal entities or persons who will dispose of a stand during the Congress or an advertising space during the Congress, in documentation, on the website, in the Congress book or otherwise) and Sponsors (legal entities, individuals, institutions, authorities, etc.) who will support the Congress. As part of the Congress, meetings of the supra regional associations, sections and other associations authorized by RSAI will take place.

#### **Art. 2. Congress Theme**

It is agreed that the main theme of Congress will be “*Smart Regions: Opportunities for sustainable development in the digital era*”

#### **Art. 3. Dates and Location**

Agreed below is the dates and location of the Congress:

**Dates:** June 2-5 2020

**Location:** Marrakech, Morocco.

#### **Art. 4. Responsibilities**

##### *Art. 4.1. Sharing of profits or losses*

RSAI receives 20% of the fees, AMSR receives 80% of the fees to cover all the costs of the Congress. In case the 80% of the fees will not be sufficient, RSAI will cover the difference.

##### *Art. 4.2. Approval and report of revenues and expenditures*

All revenues and expenditures concerning the Congress will be monitored jointly by the representatives of RSAI and AMSR.

##### *Art. 4.2. Responsibilities*

RSAI and AMSR shared the responsibilities taking into account the allocation of tasks in Article 5° and the Budget and Finances in Article 6°.

## Art.5. Respective tasks of RSAI and AMSR

The responsibilities of the RSAI and AMSR comprises, amongst others:

Tasks	RSAI	AMSR
Registrations – Speakers <sup>1</sup>	X	X
Website Set-up and management	X	X
Sessions' organisation	X	X
Chairs' management	X	X
Marketing/Communication	X	X
Invitations for participants		X
Congress programme Compilation	X	X
Congress Programme Production		X
Congress Material and badges		X
List of participants	X	X
Catering services and congress venue		X
Onsite management	X	X
Communication to participants	X	X
Optional Tours		X
Technical Visits		X
Social events		X

## Art. 6. Budget and Finances

### Art. 6.1. Fees<sup>¥</sup>

Estimated revenues from participants' fees	Fees
Accompanying person** from High Income Country	100 €
Regular Delegate – RSAI members High Income Country	340 €
Students Delegate* – RSAI members High Income Country	250 €
Regular Delegate – non RSAI members from High Income Country	420 €
Students Delegate* – non RSAI members from High Income Country	310 €
Accompanying person** from Upper Middle Income Country	80 €
Regular Delegate – RSAI members Upper Middle Income Country	200 €
Students Delegate* – RSAI members Upper Middle Income Country	140 €
Regular Delegate – non RSAI members from Upper Middle Income Country	260 €
Students Delegate* – non RSAI members from Upper Middle Income Country	160 €
Accompanying person** from Lower Middle Income and Low Income Country	60 €
Regular Delegate from Lower Middle Income and Low Income Country – RSAI members	120 €
Students Delegate* – RSAI members Lower Middle Income and Low Income Country	70 €
Regular Delegate from Lower Middle Income and Low Income Country– non RSAI members	150 €
Students Delegate* – non-RSAI members Lower Middle Income and Low Income Country	90 €
Gala Diner (optional)	50 €

<sup>¥</sup> RSAI Member Rates are applicable, if the participant is a member of RSAI.

Students are defined as PhDs or Master's students who have not reached the age of 34 years on December 31, 2019 and candidates to the [RSAI Young Researchers Prize](#).

\*\* Accompanying persons Rate is intended for those persons who want to accompany a participant to the congress. The accompanying persons cannot intervene in the activities of the Congress but they are welcome to attend the side activities of the Congress.

### Art. 6.2. Method of Payment:

The registration fees (Delegates and international Exhibitors) as well as the contributions from international Sponsors secured by RSAI will be paid to the RSAI congress account (.....).

<sup>1</sup> Both RSAI and AMSR commit to consult with the other party when suggesting a tentative speaker.

RSAI will set up an online payment system in order to allow payment by credit card.  
The method of payment that can be used:

- Online payment by credit card,
- Bank transfer into the above mentioned bank account

The registration fee of local participants or other other participants who will not be able to pay through the online system will pay locally by bank transfer or check to AMSR account (....)

#### *Art. 6.4. Expected Budget for 350 participants*

For 300 participants and for the early registration fees the Budget of the conference is 85,700 € of Revenues, thereby causing an expected profit of €17,140 for the RSAI; €79,951 of Expenditures and a net Margin of €3,609, including a €15,000 support in building bridges funds, that will be shared by RSAI 50,0% and AMSR 50,0%.

#### *Revenues*

<b>Estimated revenues from participants' fees</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>€/unit</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Accompanying person from High Income Country	0	100 €	0 €
Regular Delegate – RSAI members High Income Country	175	340 €	59,500 €
Students Delegate – RSAI members High Income Country	0	250 €	0 €
Regular Delegate – non RSAI members from High Income Country	0	420 €	0 €
Students Delegate – non RSAI members from High Income Country	0	310 €	0 €
Accompanying person from Upper Middle Income Country	0	80 €	0 €
Regular Delegate – RSAI members Upper Middle Income Country	65	200 €	13,000 €
Students Delegate – RSAI members Upper Middle Income Country	0	140 €	0 €
Regular Delegate – non RSAI members from Upper Middle Income Country	0	260 €	0 €
Students Delegate – non RSAI members from Upper Middle Income Country	0	160 €	0 €
Accompanying person from Lower Middle Income and Low Income Country	0	60 €	0 €
Regular Delegate from Lower Middle Income and Low Income Country – RSAI members	110	120 €	13,200 €
Students Delegate – RSAI members Lower Middle Income and Low Income Country	0	70 €	0 €
Regular Delegate from Lower Middle Income and Low Income Country– non RSAI members	0	150 €	0 €
Students Delegate – non-RSAI members Lower Middle Income and Low Income Country	0	90 €	0 €
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>350</b>		<b>85,700 €</b>
<b>RSAI profit</b>			<b>€ 17,140</b>

#### *Costs*

<b>Estimated expenditures</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>€/person/day</b>	<b>Total</b>
Coffee breaks	350	€13.11	€13,766
Congress lunches	350	€18.72	€19,656
<i>Total catering services</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>€ 33,422</i>	<i>€ 33,422</i>
Welcome cocktail	350	€10	€3,500
Renting of rooms and plenary sessions venues	1	€21,529	€21,529
Translation services	1	€4,000	€4,000
Costs of plenary speakers	1	€7,500	€7,500
Printing the program/Certificates/Badges/Booklets	350	€20	€7,000
Miscellaneous expenditures	1	€3,000	€3,000
<b>Total expenditures</b>			<b>€79,951</b>



#### *Art.6.5. Final transfer*

RSAI will transfer to AMSR or as the case may be, AMSR will transfer to RSAI, the balance, if any, between the amounts due in accordance with the Final Profit & Loss and the amounts received under this article, 45 days after the Congress.

#### *Art.6.6. Revenues and Expenditures*

All revenues and expenditures are registered with the support of legal documents

#### *Art. 6.7. Exhibitors - Exhibition Area*

A specific area at the Congress facilities will be chosen by AMSR and will be dedicated to Exhibitors. The Parties will agree on the repartition of the exhibition area between Exhibitors.

AMSR is responsible for attracting and contracting national exhibitors. The packages of exhibitors must be approved by the partners.

#### *Art. 6.8. Sponsors*

AMSR will be responsible for locally managing specific Sponsors or group of Sponsors.

#### *Art. 6.9. Bank Accounts:*

Beneficiary's Name – REGIONAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONAL

Account Number: .....

NIB: .....

IBAN .....

BIC/SWIFT: .....

Beneficiary's Address – Universidade dos Açores, Rua Capitão João D'Ávila, 9700-042, Angra do Heroísmo, Açores, Portugal

Beneficiary's Bank Name - Caixa Geral de Depósitos

Beneficiary's Bank Address, City, Country – Agencia da Universidade de Coimbra, Largo Dom Dinis - Colégio São Jerónimo, 3000 - 123 COIMBRA, Portugal

Beneficiary's Name – MOROCCAN REGIONAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION

Account Number: .....

NIB: .....

IBAN .....

BIC/SWIFT: .....

Beneficiary's Address –

Beneficiary's Bank Name -

Beneficiary's Bank Address,

#### **Art. 7. Accommodation and transportation**

Accommodation and travel services will be arranged by participants.

#### **Art. 8. Language**

The working language of the Congress is English.

#### **Art. 9. Congress Programme and Organisation**

A Programme Committee is chaired by the RSAI President and includes the Executive Director, the President of AMSR and potentially agreed resource persons, and a Local organizing committee is chaired by AMSR. AMSR will be in charge of logistical aspects of the Congress. The programme

Committee will make its decisions on a consensus basis. In the absence of consensus, decisions are made with the majority of the members present or represented and, in case of equality of voices, the President of RSAI has the decisive say.

The timings for the World Congress in Marrakech 2020 are:

**Deadlines – \*Dates to be Confirmed\*.**

Deadline of submission of abstracts (1 <sup>st</sup> Call).	15 <sup>th</sup> November 2019
Notification of acceptance of abstracts and papers	Dec. 1, 2019
Registration and hotel reservation opens	December, 2 2019
Deadline of submission of abstracts (2 <sup>nd</sup> Call).	21 <sup>st</sup> January 2020
Notification of acceptance of abstracts and papers	31 <sup>th</sup> January 2020
Deadline registration at reduced fee	2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2020
Deadline registration for being included in the program	27 <sup>th</sup> April 2020
Draft program	4 <sup>th</sup> May, 2020
Program for the Congress book	26 <sup>th</sup> May 2020
Final Program in electronic version	26 <sup>th</sup> May 2020
Conferences & meetings	June 2-5, 2020

**Art. 10. Default – Cancellation of the Congress - Force Majeure**

RSAI may cancel the Congress if 3 months prior to the Congress less than 200/Two Hundred Delegates have registered for the Congress. In this event, prior to such cancellation, RSAI will consult with the LOC in order to examine the situation.

**Art. 11. Negotiations**

In case of a conflict, the Parties agree to try to resolve it in amicable negotiations conducted in the utmost good faith.

Marrakech, July 2, 2020

On behalf of RSAI Presidency  
Mark Partridge, President of RSAI

.....  
On behalf of AMSR Presidency  
Abdellatif Khattabi, President of AMSR

.....

## Editorial Report on 2018 Activities

### Summary

In November 2018 in San Antonio, I was elected editor-in-chief for other three years term together with a new editorial team. Sharmistha Bagchi-Sen, David Folch, Eduardo Haddad, Rosella Nicolini, and John Winters were elected members of the editorial team. I would like to thank RSAI for its support to my activity.

In 2018 I wrote that the results of the 2017 were positive. I have to say that the results of 2018 are even better. The positive aspects are the following:

1. The achievements of the IF from **1.65 to 2.02**. Moreover, in 2018 only Pirs and RSUE have increased their IF, while all other competitors have decreased it. The impact factor in 2018 doubled that of just four years before.
2. According to Scimago, in 2018 **the total citations grew from 258 to 323**. PiRS is now in the best quartile for what concerns both Environmental Science and Geography, Planning and Development.
3. **The total number of submissions has grown from 265 to 288**. The rejection rate is around 76%, which is a strong signal of the seriousness and selectivity of the Editors in choosing high-quality contributions.
4. **The backlog of early view papers has drastically decreased**. At the end of June 2019 the situation of the back log was the following: 28 papers in early view, 13 allocated to number 3, 13 to number 4 of 2019. 2 will be allocated to the first number of 2020. We can say that, as agreed with WB, the backlog problem has been solved.

## 1. Editorial Team and Editorial Board

In November 2018 in San Antonio, I was elected editor-in-chief for other three years term together with a new editorial team. Sharmistha Bagchi-Sen, David Folck, Eduardo Haddad, Rosella Nicolini, and John Winters were elected members of the editorial team. I would like to thank RSAI for its support to my activity.

I take the opportunity to thank the old team for its brilliant contribution to the journal and I wish all of them the best for their future activities. I also would like to wish the new team, and thank it for its great support in these first 6 months of work.

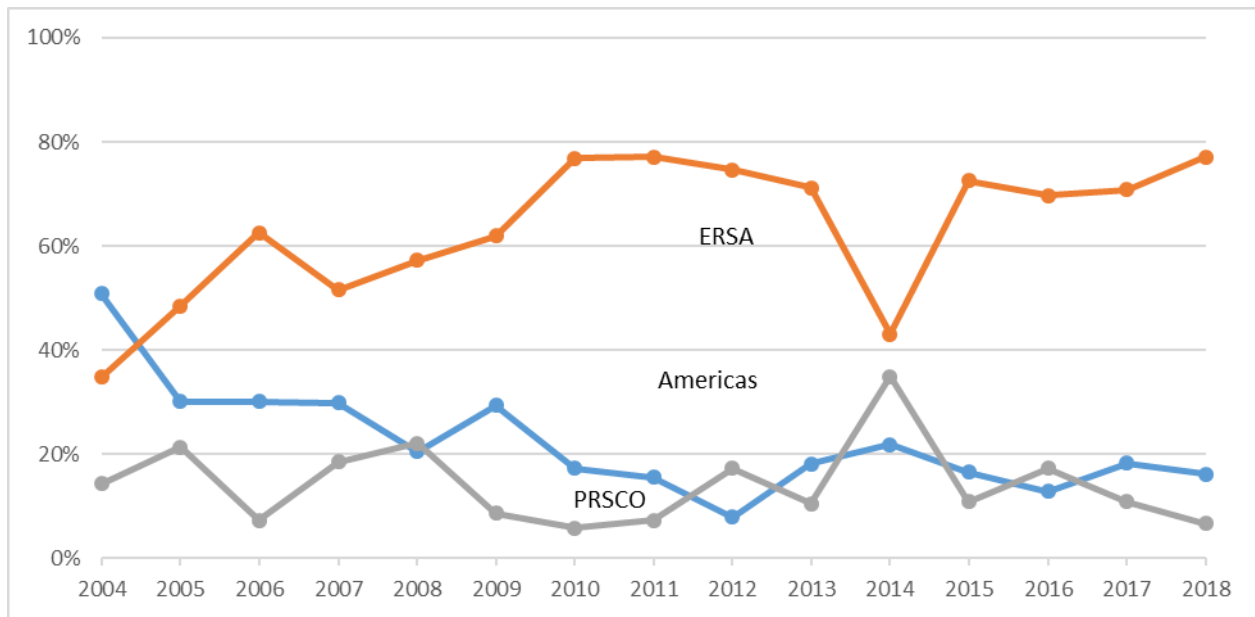
## 2. Editorial statistics

### 2.1. Number of submissions and rejection rates

Table 1 presents the number of submissions and rejection rates, together with pending manuscripts, i.e. papers that are in the website system at different stages.

<b>Table 1. Number of submissions and rejection rates</b>				
Cohort	Submissions	Acceptance rate	Rejection rate	Pending manuscripts
2008	108	0,23	0,77	
2009	178	0,34	0,66	
2010	163	0,33	0,67	
2011	182	0,28	0,72	
2012	197	0,32	0,68	
2013	221	0,21	0,79	
2014	231	0,22	0,78	
2015	224	0,24	0,76	
2016	222	0,21	0,79	
<b>2017</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>0,24</b>	<b>0,76</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>2018</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>0,08</b>	<b>0,92</b>	<b>85</b>

In 2018, **the number of submissions grew to 288**. The acceptance rate was in 2018 around 24%, in line with the past. Figure 1 shows **the continuous trend in the total number of submissions driven by European scientists**. The Americas and PRSCO have a similar share.



**Fig. 1.** Geographic distribution of authors in author pages (% per year and proportion), (% per year and proportion), Vol. 83–97, 2004–2018

## 2.2. Decision making process and reviewers

The **good performance in terms of a decision process continues** (Table 2). On average, the first decision takes place in less than two months, the second in a little bit more than 1 month.

**Table 2.** Manuscript processing in months

Cohort	First decision	Second decision	Third decision	Final decision of acceptance to Early View	Final decision to publication in issue
2008	2,5	2,4	0,8	5,6	10,4
2009	3	2,6	1,5	2,9	8,8
2010	3,2	2,9	1,3	2,6	9
2011	3,1	2,5	2	1,9	11,4
2012	3	2,6	1,2	3,4	4,9
2013	1,8	2	0,8	3,1	12,4
2014	1,7	0,6	0,4	3,2	15,8
2015	2,1	2,3	1,1	2,9	21,5
2016	1,9	1,9	1,1	2,3	18,9
2017	1,8	2,1	1,1	3,2	18,0
<b>2018</b>	<b>1,9</b>	<b>2,1</b>	<b>1,1</b>	<b>2,1</b>	<b>18,1</b>

**The time between the final decision and publication in print has remained stable, around 18 months**, but it will soon improve, given the fact that the backlog has now been solved.

The number of referees has remained stable too, as Table 3 reports. The geographical distribution of referees has registered an increase in the Americas and a decrease in Europe, while PRSCO remained rather stable.

**Table 3.** Number of reviewers and proportion of reviewers by supra region

Year	Reviewers	ERSA	Americas	PRSCO
2008	230	56%	34%	10%
2009	325	62%	25%	13%
2010	332	61%	23%	15%
2011	337	59%	25%	15%
2012	354	62%	22%	16%
2013	399	61%	26%	13%
2014	325	62%	25%	13%
2015	369	61%	22%	17%
2016	318	62%	26%	12%
2017	375	60%	25%	15%
<b>2018</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>13%</b>

### 2.3. Authors by geographical areas and by disciplines

Figure 2 presents the geographical distribution of submissions. **The trends have remained those of the previous years.** European submissions are the highest, followed by PRSCO and then by the Americas.

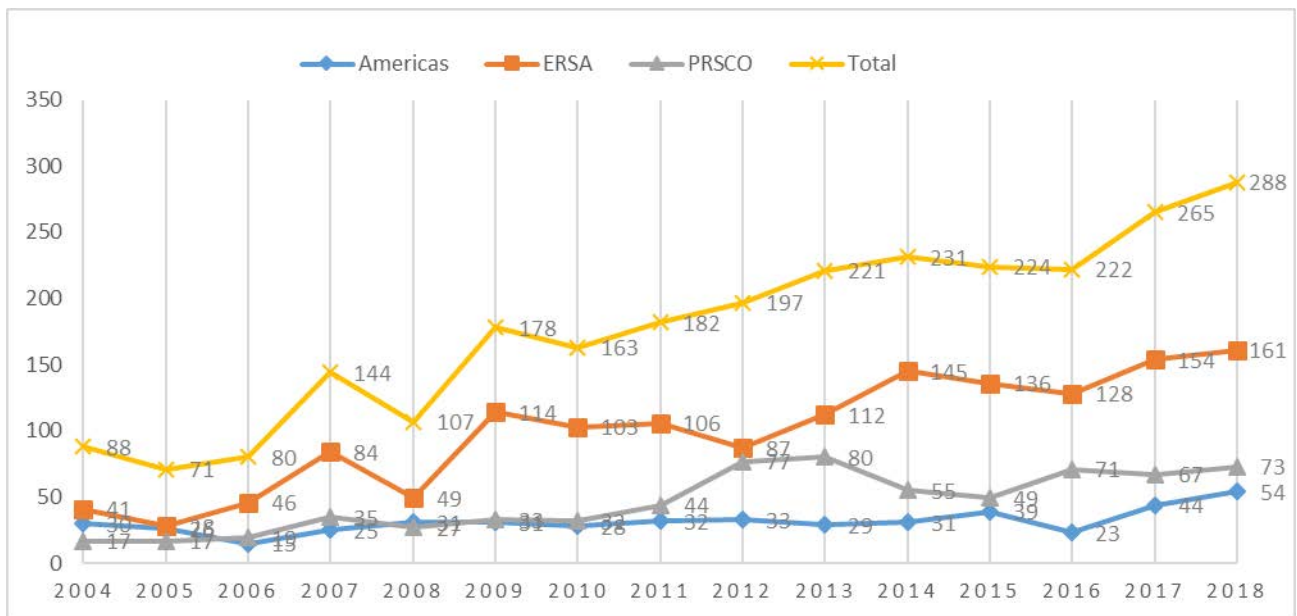
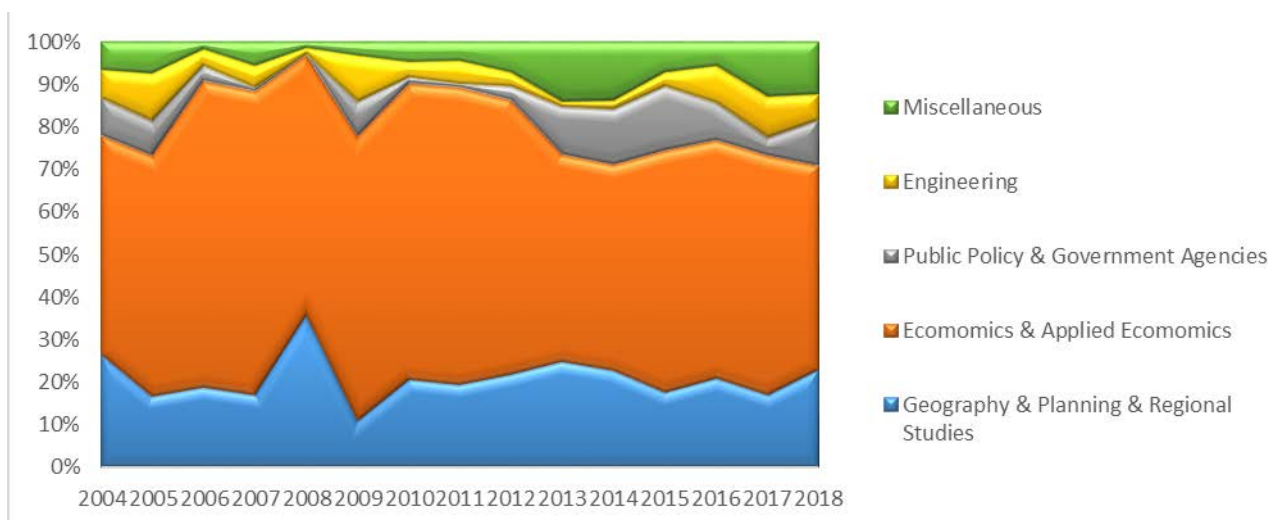
**Fig. 2.** Geographically detailed number of submissions, 2004–2018

Figure 3 reports the distribution of pages by discipline, where no particular new trends emerge.



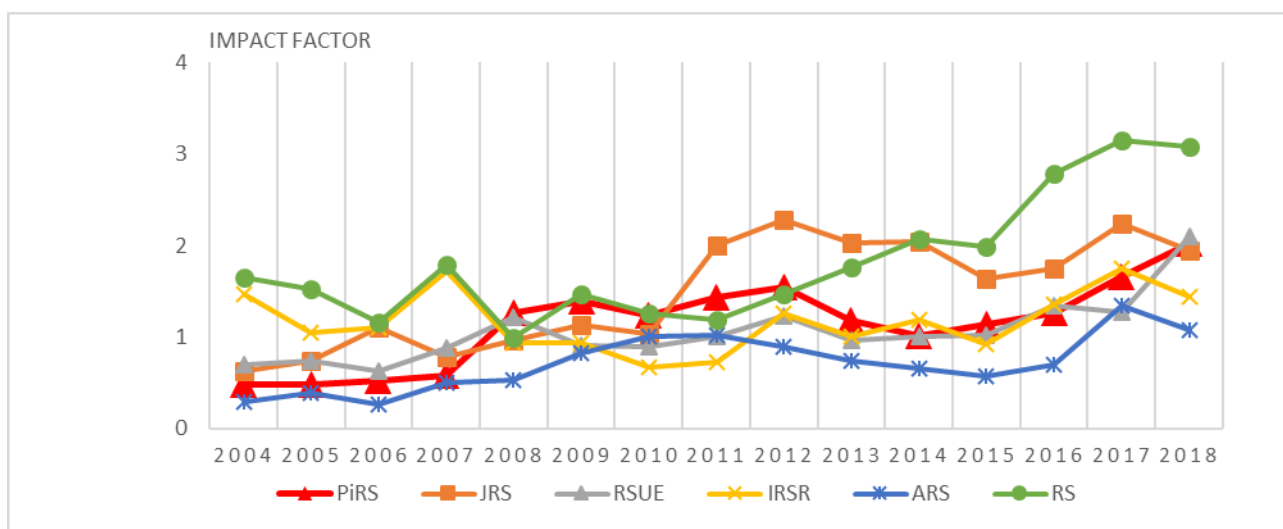


**Fig. 3.** Author pages by affiliation of the author(s), volume 83–96, 2004–2018

## 2.4. Impact Factor

The 2018 impact factor of PiRS has increased from 1.65 to 2.02, showing a decisive increase in the positive trend of the last few years. Interestingly enough, as Figure 4 shows, the highest competitors of PiRS have decreased their impact factor, with the exception of RSUE. The five-year impact factor is not available yet.

Figure 4. Impact factor from 2004 to 2018 for the most important regional science journals



In terms of fields, PiRS increased its position in Economics, and maintained its position in the other fields. The journal is in fact now ranked:

100/363 (Economics), compared to 107/353 in 2017;  
 66/116 (Environmental Studies), compared to 67/108 in 2017;  
 40/83 (Geography), compared to 41/84 in 2017.  
 23/39 (Regional & Urban Planning)

The ambition of the editorial team is to achieve the best quartile in Economics (Q1) in the next years.

According to Scimago (9 July 2019), in 2018 the total citations grew from 258 to 323.

### **3. Backlog**

We can say that, as agreed with WB, the backlog problem has been solved. At the end of June 2019, the situation is the following: 28 papers in early view, 13 allocated to number 3, 13 to number 4 of 2019. The last 2 of the present early on line publications will be allocated to the first number of 2020.

### **4. Editorial Policies**

The comments on the editorial policies are similar to those of last year. The results in terms of IF and submissions show that the editorial strategies followed are correct:

- 1) a good and efficient management of the journal, which guarantees a good and attractive image for the journal;
- 2) the launch of special issues on strategic topics. We have in the pipeline an interesting special issue on the development of regional science from different national perspectives;
- 3) a selection of papers to be published based on the novelty of the themes treated, together with scientific rigor.

### **5. Concluding remarks**

This report shows that the journal proceeds on a good trajectory like last year, signaling:

- an increasing interest of the international community, witnessed by the constant increase in submission;
- an increase in the IF; and,
- a better management of the journal.

As in each of the past years, I would like to end by thanking our Editorial manger, Elisabete Martins; we could not have someone more professional for this job.

Roberta Capello  
Editor-in-chief Papers in Regional Science

also on behalf of the other members of the Editorial Team  
Sharmistha Bagchi-Sen, David Folch, Eduardo Haddad, Rosella Nicolini, John Winters, and Andrea Caragliu

Milan, Italy  
10 July 2019

#### Summary

This report refers to the activity of RSPP during 2018 and the first half of 2019. The number of papers increase from 17 in 2017 to 23 in 2018 and will reach 48 in 2019. Cite Score Citations increase from 22 in 2017 to 44 in 2018, and can reach more than 66 in 2019. The Cite Score Index will stay slightly above one. The absence of high productive authors in 2018 lead to a decrease in the estimated impact factor from 0,653 to 0,310 although there are good signs of recovery in 2019. The strategy has been to stimulate special issues on interesting regions (Russia, China, South-America, Sahel and South-Asia) and on challenging topics (Secession, Identity, Resilience and Spatial Analysis of Election Results). However, beyond more selective revision of the submissions, that requires an extra effort from regional editors to advertise the papers they edit. The prospect is to get an estimated impact factor recovered in 2019 and 2020 with growing number of submissions and citations.

#### 1 - Introduction

This report refers to 2018 but also details the evolution of the journal until July 2019. In Section 2, we analyze the journal metrics, in Section 3 we highlight the aims and actions of the editorial team and in Section 4 we conclude.

#### 2 - Editorial statistics

##### 2.1. Pages, Papers and Citations

The number of pages, articles and citations per year increased from 2017 - with 17 articles, 321 pages and 23 citations – to 2018 with 23 articles, 410 pages and 44 citations. For the end of 2019, based on the submitted papers that are on the system in the end of July (50) and the ones that are already published in two issues of 2019 (25), we expect to reach 48 articles, 850 pages and more than 66 citations, assuming the extrapolation of tendency in the first half of 2019.

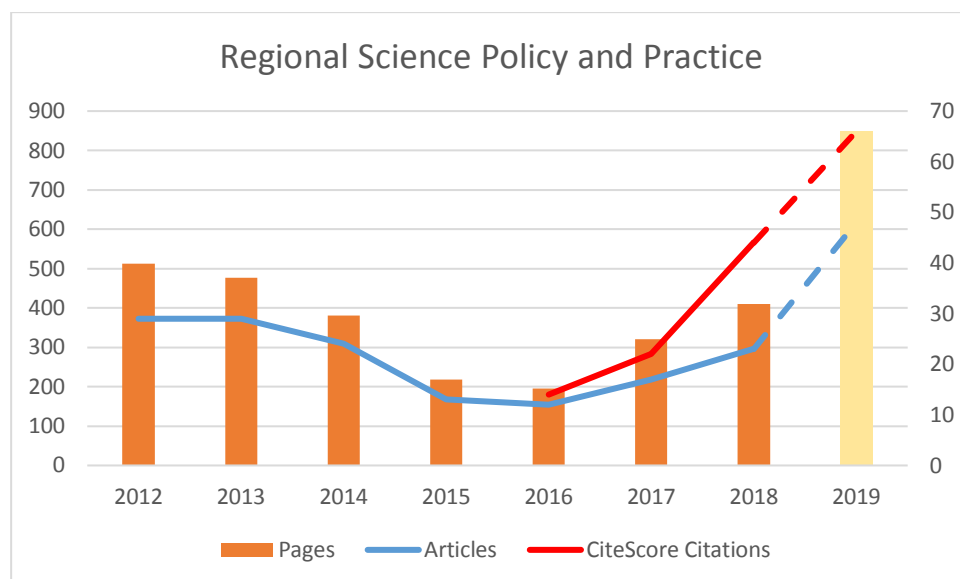


Figure 1: RSPP Pages and Articles per Year (RSPP Editorial Office)

The geographical distribution of the authors, counted by the number of pages, indicate a continuation of the reduction in the Americas compensated by an increase in papers coming from Europe and the other regions. The Special Issue based on articles presented at the first LARSA meeting did not balance these indicators.

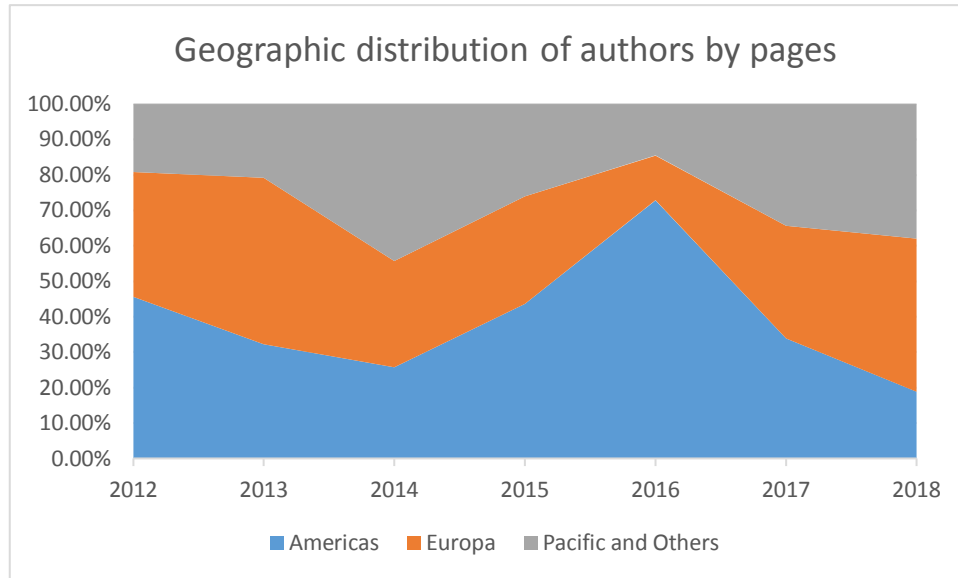


Figure2: Geographical distribution of authors by pages (RSPP Editorial Office)

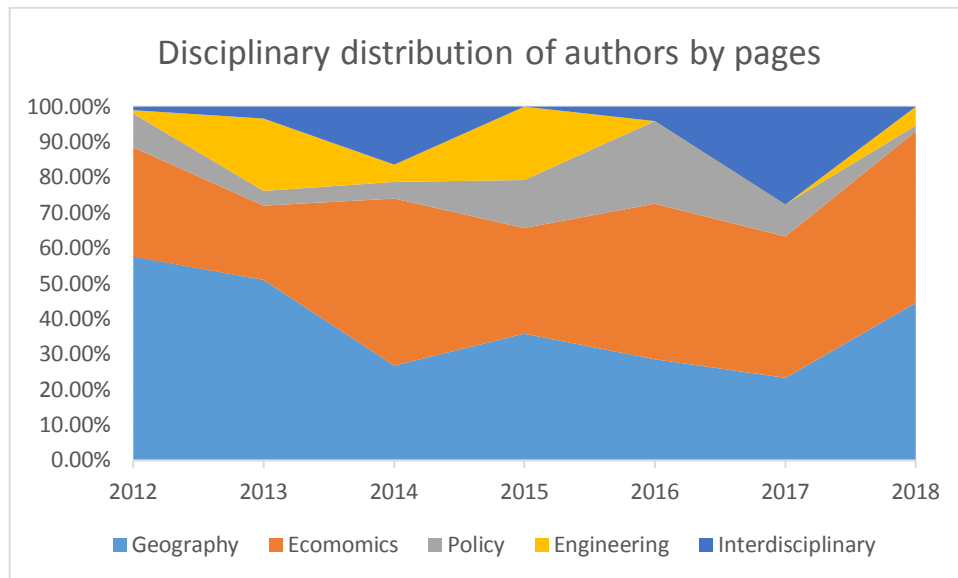


Figure 3: Disciplinary distribution of authors by pages (RSPP Editorial Office)

The disciplinary distribution of the authors' affiliation measured by the number of pages is mainly concentrated in geography and economics.

## 2.2. Decision making process and reviewers

The number of submissions increased from 2017 to 2018 and the rejection rate increased from 48% to 51% (Table 1).

**Table 1.** Number of submissions and rejection rates

Year	Submissions	Acceptance rate	Rejection rate	Pending
2012	24	0,67	0,33	0
2013	27	0,63	0,37	0
2014	21	0,52	0,48	0
2015	16	0,31	0,69	0
2016	17	0,65	0,35	0
2017	87	0,52	0,48	2
<b>2018</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>0,49</b>	<b>0,51</b>	<b>7</b>

The number of reviewers increased from 2017 to 2018 associated with an increased concentration of reviewers coming from the ERSA area.

**Table 2.** Number of reviewers and proportion of reviewers by supra region

Year	Reviewers	ERSA	Americas	PRSCO
2012	34	0,41	0,35	0,24
2013	15	0,47	0,33	0,20
2014	22	0,36	0,36	0,28
2015	13	0,38	0,38	0,24
2016	9	0,33	0,67	0,00
2017	147	0,46	0,25	0,29
<b>2018</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>0,59</b>	<b>0,21</b>	<b>0,20</b>

## 2.4. Performance Indicators

According to Google Scholar, citations on Regional Science Policy and Practice grew from August 2017 (244) to August 2018 (295). The Cite Score was 1.17 in 2016, 0.96 in 2017, 1,07 in 2018, and it is expected that in 2019 it will be above 1,00.

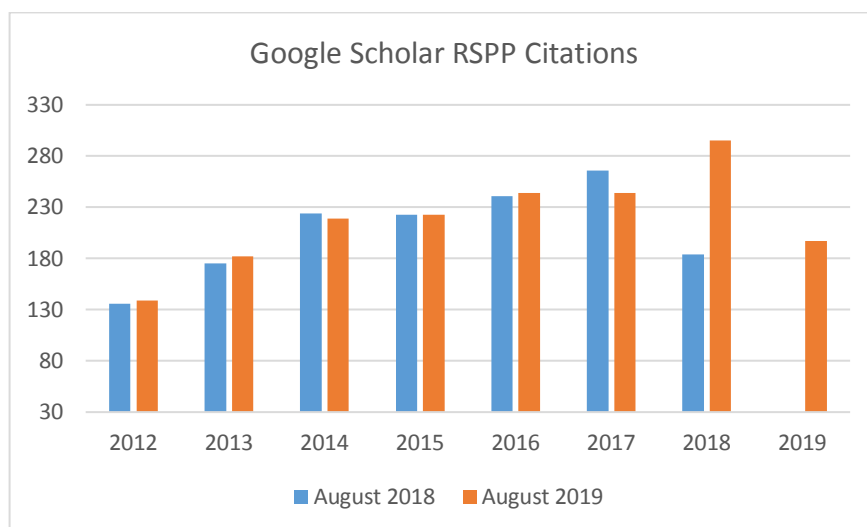


Figure 4: Google Scholar RSPP Citations (statistics from August 2018 and statistics from August 2019)

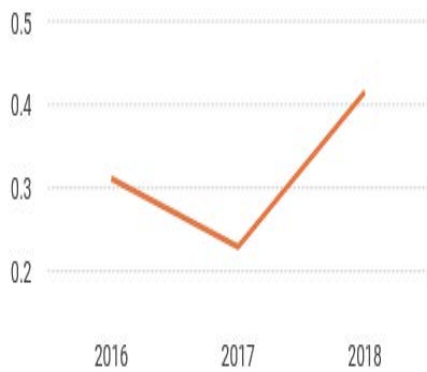


Figure 5 a):SJR

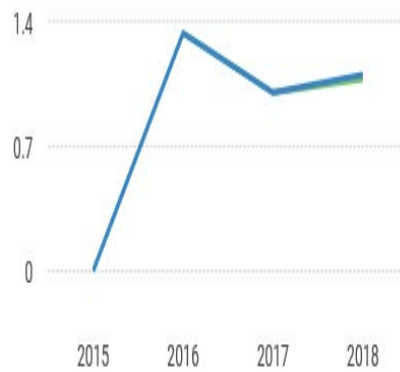


Figure 4 b): Cites per document



Figure 4 c): RSP Quartile

The SJR index improved from below 0.25 in 2017 to 0.42 in 2018 and the number of cites per document stay above 1 (<https://www.scimagojr.com/journalsearch.php?q=21100435556&tip=sid&clean=0>). Figure 5 also shows that he journal is now in the second quartile.

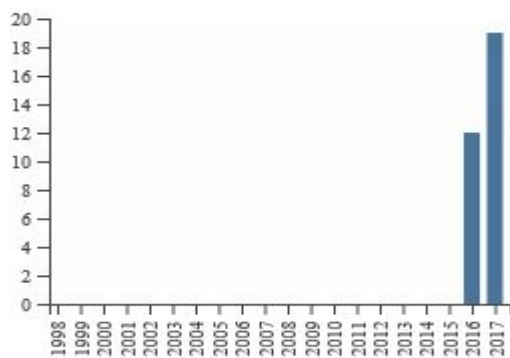


Figure 6 a) Total Publications by Year (Wiley)

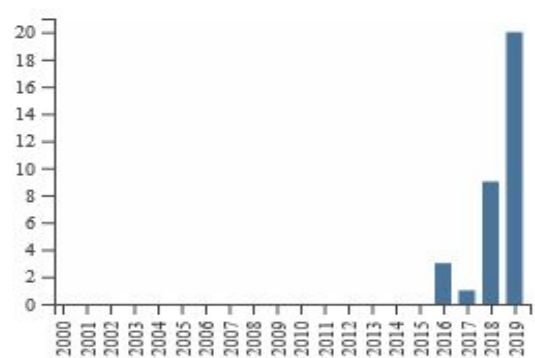


Figure 6 b) Sum of Times Cited by Year (Wiley)

According to Grace Ong from Wiley the predicted 2018 impact factor for RSP is only  $0.310 = 9 \text{ cites} / 29 \text{ citable items}$  which is much less than 0.653 in 2017 with 15 citations and 23 citable items. The fact is that in 2018 RSP did not had the contribution of any high productive author whereas in 2017, there were two papers with those features. Notwithstanding this, as informed by Grace Ong from Wiley, "RSP has received 20 citations in 2019 to date and it is encouraging to observe both article output and citations growing.

**Table 3.** Factors that might influence citations – Analysis of RSP Papers of 2018

Linear Regression on the variables that influence the number of citations of RSP in 2018	R Square	0,644	Sig.	0,000
	B	Standard Error	t	p
Constant	2,803	0,426	6,586	0,000
Reviews	-0,512	0,149	-3,434	0,002
Theoretical and non-Applied	-1,291	0,359	-3,596	0,001
Indonesia	-1,351	0,447	-3,024	0,005
Rural Innovation	-1,034	0,487	-2,125	0,041
Brazil	-2,461	0,580	-4,246	0,000
Portugal	1,367	0,498	2,742	0,010
South Africa	-1,212	0,464	-2,610	0,013
United Kingdom	2,221	0,840	2,645	0,012
Europe	-0,711	0,319	-2,231	0,032



Looking at the regression presented in Table 3 it seems that papers that are theoretical, that require more revisions or that come from emerging countries (Indonesia, Brazil, South Africa) are less cited.

### 3. Editorial Aims and Policies

The analysis presented in point 2.4 it indicates that RSPP should avoid theoretical papers that are not part of its vocation, should reject papers that require many revisions and should invite and accept papers that tend more citable like some of the papers coming from Portugal and the UK in 2018. Furthermore, we should request editors from emerging countries to advertise the papers they edited and urge high productive authors to submit the papers we invited to produce based on the RSPP key speeches.

Furthermore, in the meeting of the RSPP-team in Conventinho (Portugal) on February 2018 it was designed an Action Plan. Table 3 presents the monitoring of the Action Plan. It is clear that some actions should be taken related to points 3 and reinforced namely the urgent request for invited key speakers to submit their papers.

**Table 3.** Monitoring of the Action Plan

Number	Planed Action	Report and Action Adjustment
1	Look at the performance of papers mostly the ones coming from Special Issues	Request editors from emerging countries and issues to advertise the papers they edited.
2	Urge Invite keynote Speakers of Regional Science Meetings to submit a paper to RSPP	Invitation done for keynote speakers in ERSA and NARSC Congresses. Urgent request needed.
3	Invite authors on Practice/Methodological Papers on Spatial Econometrics, CGE Modelling, Cost Benefit Analysis of Environmental Territorial Services, Network Analysis; Public Participation and Governance and Planning Methods	Not yet. There is a promised methodological paper from Eduardo Haddad.
4	Promote RSPP Plenary Sessions for RSAI (Goa, 2018), ERSA (Cork 2018), NARSC (San Antonio, 2018), LARSA (Chile) and PRSCO (Peru)	Done for RSAI, ERSA and NARSC. Not done for LARSA and PRSCO.
5	Include the journal in various rankings (e.g. ABDC journal ranking in Australia, ABS journal ranking in the UK, etc.)	We submitted an application to the 2019 Australian Business Deans Council (ABDC) Journal Quality Review for the inclusion of RSPP in their 2019 journal-ranking list, a major business school ranking used worldwide. A draft list should be released mid-September for feedback.
6	Increase submissions based on interim regional editors from various parts of the world.	Done for Special Issues on China and Russia and more are planned for the Sahel, South America and Eastern Europe.

The accounts presented in Annex 1 clarify the use of the RSAI support to the editorial team of 5000 Euros per year.

In 2018, most of the funds were to sponsor:

- The Meeting of the Editorial Team in Conventinho da Arrábida;
- The RSPP Dinner at NARSC;
- The travel costs of the RSPP keynote speaker in the Cork ERSA Congress linked to the publication in RSPP of the presentation text and to a Special Issue on Spatial Analysis of European Election Results.

In 2019, the RSPP support is to:

- The participation in the Nurturing Talent initiative in Essaouira/Morocco, linked to a Special Issue on the Sahel;
- The participation in the European Conference in Iasi - Romania, linked to a Special Issue on Resilience in the European Borders.

- c) The participation in the REAL meeting in Pescara, linked to a Special Issue of REAL researchers;
- d) The support of the RSPP Keynote speaker in ERSA- Lyon linked to the publication in RSPP of the presentation text;
- e) The support of the travel costs of two Keynote Speakers for the Asian Conference of Regional Science;
- f) The participation in PRSCO Meeting in Thailand
- g) The support of RSPP Keynote speakers in the Nurturing Talent Initiative in Mumbai.

In 2019 the RSAI Council approved a change in the Editorial Team. Carlos Azzoni from LARSA and Budy Resosudarmo from PRSCO substitute Eduardo Haddad and Jaime Bonet from LARSA; we thank them for the splendid work they did and are very happy for their future participation in the journal as authors, reviewers and members of the editorial board.

On March 2020 the present editorial team will reach three years on duty. The idea then is to propose the RSAI Council to expand the editorial team taking into account geography, methodologies and gender.

#### **4. Concluding remarks**

The strategy to increase the number of submissions linked with special issues on interesting regions (Russia, China, South-America, Sahel and South-Asia) and on challenging topics (Secession, Identity, Resilience and Spatial Analysis of Election Results) did not hurt the citation indexes, the rejection rates and allowed a greater geographical scope.

The challenge is to keep the submissions from around the world with challenging topics and sound replicable methods to approach human interaction within space. RSPP needs to attract papers that focus on the use of updated and innovative regional science methods to support regional and urban policies.

*Budy Resosudarmo*

*Carlos Azzoni*

*Emmanouil Tranos*

*Neil Reid*

*Patricio Aroca*

*Tiago Freire*

*Vicente Royuela*

*Tomaz Dentinho*

RSPP Accounts 2017			
Date	Description	Revenues	Expenses
08/09/2017	Lunchs and dinners - GRONINGEN (ERSA 2017)	- €	275,10 €
26/09/2017	RSPP EDITORIAL AND TRAVEL SUPPORT FOR 2017 (from RSAI)	5 000,00 €	- €
09/11/2017	Travel Tomaz to VANCOUVER (NARSC 2017)	- €	747,95 €
20/11/2017	Lunchs and dinners - VANCOUVER (NARSC 2017)	- €	122,54 €
21/11/2017	Lunchs and dinners - Coimbra Symposium	- €	127,87 €
24/11/2017	Travel Abdellatif Khattabi to the Coimbra Symposium	- €	187,07 €
28/12/2017	Hotel, Lunchs and dinners - Coimbra Symposium	- €	286,30 €
28/12/2017	COMISSAO IMP SELO TRF - bank charges	- €	0,52 €
TOTAL		5 000,00 €	1 747,35 €
		Balance	3 252,65 €
		Retained for maintenance of expenses ACDA (5% of the Revenues)	250,00 €
		Closing Balance of 2017	3 002,65 €

RSPP Accounts 2018			
Date	Description	Revenues	Expenses
01/01/2018	Balance brought forward from 2017	3 002,65 €	
19/01/2018	RSPP EDITORIAL AND TRAVEL SUPPORT FOR 2017 (from RSAI)	5 000,00 €	- €
09/02/2018	Travel Emmanouil Tranos - ABC/RSPP Meeting in Conventinho da Arrábida	- €	289,85 €
09/02/2018	COMISSAO IMP SELO TRF - bank charges	- €	0,52 €
19/02/2018	ABC/RSPP Meeting in Conventinho da Arrábida (dinner, coffee-break, room and accomodations)	- €	2 681,50 €
19/02/2018	COMISSAO IMP SELO TRF - bank charges	- €	0,52 €
21/02/2018	ABC/RSPP Meeting in Conventinho da Arrábida (dinner, coffee-break, room and accomodations)	- €	828,35 €
21/02/2018	COMISSAO IMP SELO TRF - bank charges	- €	0,52 €
23/02/2018	ACCOMODATION TRF CIUFFO BIAGIO BO r2/2018	84,00 €	- €
09/03/2018	Travel to lisbon - Vicente Royela	- €	252,31 €
09/03/2018	COMISSAO IMP SELO TRF - bank charges	- €	0,52 €
21/03/2018	REGISTRATION EDUARDO HADDAD RSAI CONGRESS	- €	150,00 €
12/09/2018	TRAVEL REIMBOURSEMENT - Eveline	- €	254,77 €
12/09/2018	COMISSAO IMP SELO TRF - bank charges	- €	0,52 €
30/10/2018	PGE0948000545616 - Dinner at NARSC 2018 Congress-	- €	1 795,22 €
30/10/2018	TRANSF CRED NAO-SEPA+ - bank charges	- €	30,35 €
TOTAL		8 086,65 €	6 284,95 €
		Balance	1 801,70 €
		Retained for maintenance of expenses ACDA (5% of the Revenues)	254,20 €
		Closing Balance of 2018	1 547,50 €

RSPP Accounts 2019			
Date	Description	Revenues	Expenses
01/01/2019	Balance brought forward from 2018	1 547,50 €	
30/01/2019	RSPP EDITORIAL AND TRAVEL SUPPORT FOR 2018 (from RSAI)	5 000,00 €	- €
15/01/2019	TRAVEL MAROCCOS TOMAZ	- €	155,93 €
19/01/2019	TRAVEL MAROCCOS TOMAZ - TER-LIS	- €	49,19 €
21/02/2019	TRAVEL EMMANOUIL	- €	1 075,90 €
21/02/2019	COMISSAO IMP SELO TRF - bank charges	- €	0,52 €
11/03/2019	TRAVEL MAROCCOS TOMAZ	- €	252,34 €
11/03/2019	COMISSAO IMP SELO TRF - bank charges	- €	0,52 €
12/04/2019	TRAVEL ITALY TOMAZ	- €	109,00 €
12/04/2019	TRAVEL Yannis Psychar	- €	560,00 €
12/04/2019	TRANSF CREDITO SEPA - bank charges	- €	0,52 €
13/04/2019	TRAVEL ROMENIA TOMAZ	- €	110,00 €
24/04/2019	TRAVEL ELISABETE SILVA - India	- €	600,00 €
24/04/2019	TRANSF CREDITO SEPA - bank charges	- €	0,52 €
26/04/2019	TRAVEL INDIA TOMAZ - TER-LIS	- €	87,99 €
27/04/2019	TRAVEL INDIA TOMAZ	- €	694,36 €
30/04/2019	TRAVEL Tschangho John Kim	- €	400,00 €
30/04/2019	TRANSF CRED NAO-SEPA - bank charges	- €	30,35 €
06/05/2019	PRSCO REGISTRATION - TOMAZ	- €	139,64 €
06/05/2019	TRAVEL PRSCO - THAILAND - TOMAZ	- €	727,58 €
TOTAL		6 547,50 €	4 994,36 €
		Balance	1 553,14 €
		Retained for maintenance of expenses ACDA (5% of the Revenues)	250,00 €
		Closing Balance of August 2019	1 303,14 €

RSAI payment to RSPP is transferred to the ACDA (Associação para a Ciência e Desenvolvimento dos Açores) that hires Eng. Elisabete Martins and takes and overheads of 5%.