



CALL FOR PAPERS

4th ANNUAL MONETARY AND ECONOMIC SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE

NEW REALITIES IN THE EU AND THE PLACE OF BALKAN COUNTRIES

11-12 OCTOBER 2018, SOFIA

*Organized by Monetary and Economic Research Center
and
Department of Finance at the University of National and World Economy
Jointly with Union of Economists in Bulgaria*

MRC is glad to announce its *Fourth Annual Monetary and Economic Scientific Conference*. In 2018, we focus on the Balkan countries and their future in united Europe.

On 12th of October there will be a plenary session dedicated to 200th anniversary of Karl Marx's birth and his contribution to the political economy in the context of the contemporary concepts of the evolution of the role of money and capital under the conditions of the financialization of the global economy and the development of monetary and financial integration within the European Union.

The conference is organized by the Monetary and Economic Research Center (MRC), the department of Finance of UNWE, together with the Union of Economists in Bulgaria and will take place at the University of National and World Economy, Sofia, Bulgaria on 11-12th October, 2018.

Researchers interested in issues of monetary and economic problems are invited to discuss their work and to exchange ideas. Both empirical and theoretical studies within the following fields could be submitted:

- 1. Monetary and Financial Economics**
- 2. International Economics and International Political Economy**
- 3. Economic and monetary History and History of Economic Thought**
- 4. Management and Marketing**

The conference is open to anybody involved in these research areas, including both young and experienced researchers, PhD students, post-doctoral researchers, and professionals from business, government and non-governmental institutions.

English, Bulgarian and French are working languages at the conference.

Keynote Speakers:

Prof. Mihail Golovin - Institute of Economics, Russian Academy of Sciences

Prof. Xavier Richet - Emeritus professor, University Sorbonne nouvelle, Paris, Jean Monnet Chaire ad personam



Organization

MRC was established in the end of 2014 as part of Finance Department in the University of National and World Economy, Sofia. The goal of the MRC is to develop the scientific research in the field of monetary theory, policy and history providing opportunities for decent research publications of young and senior researchers, as well as providing high level forum discussions.

Submission guide and Important Dates

- Proposals should be submitted in English to www.conference.mrcenter.info no later than **September, 17th 2018**.
- Registration form should be submitted by **September 17th 2018**.
- Completed papers should be sent to mrc@unwe.bg by **December 15th 2018**.
- The proposal identification and the complete paper must be attached as a MS Word document.
- The proposal identification should be between 300 and 500 words.
- The complete paper must be no more than 20 pages.
- The proposal identification should be submitted in accordance with the attached Model Submission file.
- Papers will be published in a special issue on the website of the MRC.
- Selected papers will be published in a special issue of Economic Alternatives Journal (<http://www.unwe.bg/eajournal/en>)

Conference fee

- Registration fee – **120 EUR**
- MRC fellows – **100 EUR**
- PhD students – **60 EUR**
- Participants from UNWE – **No conference fee***
- Participants from other Bulgarian institutions could ask for scholarships and discounted rates.

* Participants from UNWE could benefit of free coffee/tea breaks and lunch for both days. Official dinner is self-paid.

The registration fee covers:

1. Participation in the conference and materials
2. Publication of paper
3. Dinner on 11th October
4. Coffee/tea and refreshments for both days
5. Buffet luncheons (Thursday & Friday)

Suggested accommodation

You may find on the website of the conference information about partner hotels and preferential rates.

More detailed information you may find at the conference website <http://conference.mrcenter.info/> and could be requested to the local organizers at the contact email: mrc@unwe.bg.