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WARSAW CONFERENCE 2009
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***Socio-economic disparities and the role of local
development***

7-14 September 2009, Warsaw, POLAND

Thank you very much for registering for the Conference. Below please find some additional information concerning the meeting. Attached you will find the tentative programme of the Conference.

General Program of Warsaw Conference 2009

07.09.2009 (Monday)

14⁰⁰–19⁰⁰

Registration

08.09.09 (Tuesday)

9⁰⁰–10⁰⁰
10⁰⁰–14⁰⁰
14⁰⁰–15³⁰
16⁰⁰–17³⁰
20⁰⁰

Opening and Keynotes
First Plenary Session- part 1 & 2
Lunch
First Plenary Session- part 3
Conference Reception

09.09.09 (Wednesday)

9⁰⁰–12³⁰
12³⁰–14³⁰
14³⁰–16⁰⁰
16³⁰

Second Plenary Session- part 1 & 2
Lunch
Second Plenary Session- part 3
Warsaw sightseeing

10.09.09 (Thursday)

9⁰⁰–12³⁰
12³⁰–14³⁰
15⁰⁰–18⁰⁰

Third Plenary Session- part 1 & 2
Lunch
Concluding Session & Panel Discussion

11.09.09 – 14.09.09 (Friday - Monday)

Conference study tour

Programme of Conference – state on 25.06.2009**

08.09.2009 - Tuesday		
Opening and Keynotes (9.00 – 10.00)		
9.15 – 10.00	Bjorn Asheim	<i>Towards a broad based regional innovation policy: Combining knowledge bases, modes of innovation and regional innovation systems</i>
First plenary session – part 1		
10.00 – 11.30		
10.00-10.30	Michael Sofer	<i>Self-owned non-farming enterprises on family farms and their role in regional development in Israel</i>
10.30-11.00	Eliahu Stern	<i>Developing an urban village in a multi-cultural neighborhood</i>
11.00-12.00	Discussion* & coffee break	
First plenary session – part 2		
12.00 – 13.30		
12.00-12.30	Anthony Sorensen	<i>The dynamics of Australian rural local development under uncertainty</i>
12.30-13.00	Serhiy Moroz	<i>Challenges and perspectives of rural development in Ukraine</i>
13.00-13.30	R. C. Lois-González, R. Rodriguez-González, J. A. Aldrey-Vazquez	<i>The territorial planning like support of the local development. A methodology applied to Guatemala</i>
13.30-14.00	Discussion*	
First plenary session – part 3		
16.00 – 17.30		
16.00-16.30	Baruch A. Kipnis	<i>Polarization, trickle down and functional upgrade in core area development</i>
16.30-17.00	J. Bański, K. Czapiewski	<i>Winners of transformation – successful rural areas in Poland</i>
17.00-17.30	Discussion*	
09.09.2009 - Wednesday		
Second plenary session – part 1		
9.00 – 10.30		
9.00-9.30	Suman Sao	<i>Development of sericulture and silk industry for rural development: case study of Malda District of West Bengal, India</i>
9.30-10.00	J. A. Navarro Moreno	<i>Local development & agricultural conditions of Michoacan Region, Mexico</i>
10.00-11.00	Discussion* & coffee break	
Second plenary session – part 2		
11.00 – 12.30		
11.00-11.30	A. Vaishar, J. Zapletalova	<i>Local development in border regions in Czechia</i>
11.30-12.00	Shaul Krakover	<i>Local development across formerly hostile borders: the case of Eilat & Aqaba</i>
12.00-12.30	Discussion*	
Second plenary session – part 3		
14.30 – 16.00		
14.30-15.00	Ashley William Gunter	<i>Selling Slums: exploring the intrinsic value of property in slums settlements in Johannesburg, South Africa</i>
15.00-15.30	Dariusz Świątek	<i>Social exclusion and spaces of economic practice in two 'Post-Socialist' Cities (Howa Huta, Krakow, Poland & Petržalka, Bratislava, Slovakia)</i>
15.30-16.00	Discussion*	
10.09.2009 - Thursday		
Third plenary session – part 1		
9.00 – 10.30		
9.00-9.30	Simion Certan	<i>Particularities of sustainable development of rural areas in Republic of Moldova</i>
9.30-10.00	Bohumil Frantal	<i>Wind power exploitation: a local threat or development opportunity?</i>
10.00-11.00	Discussion* & coffee break	
Third plenary session – part 2		
11.00 – 12.30		
11.00-11.30	Stanislav Martinat	<i>Entrepreneurship in agriculture in Czechia: spatial differentiation of chosen aspects, its temporal changes and consequences during the transition period</i>
11.30-12.00	Ion Certan	<i>Investments as the key factor for sustainable development of rural areas</i>
12.00-12.30	Discussion*	
Concluding Session & Panel Discussion (15.00 – 18.00)		

* each *Discussion* will be lead by the moderator

** programme can be change slightly