

callfor papers

5th INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

of  **ASECU**

organized by
Faculty of Economy, University of Tirana,
Tirana, Albania

**MARKET FUNCTIONALITY
AND INSTITUTIONAL REFORMS**

May 21-23, 2009
in Tirana

Deadline for receipt of abstracts: January 23rd, 2009
Deadline for receipt of papers: April 27th, 2009

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General information

We welcome submissions addressing the ASECU 2009 International Conference theme:

Market Functionality and Institutional Reforms

The conference is aimed to encourage development, cooperation and mutual assistance among the countries, industries and companies of South and East Europe and Black Sea Region.

The conference will include contributed paper sessions, invited and plenary presentations, round tables and panels. Accepted papers will be published in the Conference Proceedings after their presentation at the Conference.

The Editorial Board of *South Eastern Europe Journal of Economics (SEEJE)*, the official journal of ASECU, after having the agreement of the authors, plans to publish selected conference papers following a standard refereeing process.

The official language of the Conference will be English.

Conference Topics

- The future of the European Union.
- Economic Reform and Accession to the EU.
- EU and the processes of globalization.
- What Could Bring Globalization Down.
- The cluster development of the SEE countries.
- European Investor Outreach Program:
Promoting Investment in the Western Balkans.
- Public Sector Transparency and the International Investor.
- Tolerance can lead to Prosperity.
- Regional Corporate Strategies.
- Management/managers Innovative Entrepreneurship.
- Migration and Labor Market in SEE.
- The Free Movement of Labour on the SEE.
- Free Trade Arrangements Among the SE European Countries.
- Free Trade Prospects and the SE European Market.
- Theory and Practice of On-line Learning.
- Business Education.
- Global and Critical Vision of Distance Learning and Universities.
- Taxes, System and Income Distribution in SEE Countries.

- Strategies & Challenges in Accession Process to EU.
- Human Resources - New Mandate: Be Strategic Global Player.
- Think Big, Act Small.
- Bureaucracy, Corruption, Investment and Development in SE European Countries.
- Cooperation of civilizations, religions and cultures in SEE.
- Economic development and SEE.

Conference Program Committee

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- Representatives of the Albanian companies

Important Dates

January 23, 2009	Deadline for receipt of abstracts and application forms.
February 16, 2009	Notification of acceptance.
April 27, 2009	Deadline for submission of full papers.

Guidelines for Submission

(All submissions are refereed):

- Submissions must not have been published, submitted or presented at other conferences.
- The full paper should be a maximum of fifteen single-spaced pages including references and exhibits. Requirements for the paper formatting and abstract: Page: A4; Font: Times New Roman, Size: 12 pt; Line spacing single; Page Setup: Margins: Left: 4; Right: 4.5; Top: 6; Bottom: 3.5.
- Abstracts should be a maximum of one single-spaced page and up to four Keywords that describe your paper.
- The name(s) of the presenting author(s) and other co-author(s), affiliation(s), complete mailing address (es), telephone/fax numbers and e-mail address (es), title of the paper should be filled in the Application Form.
- Special scheduling requests (dates or times) must be made at time of paper submission.
- Electronic submissions are expected. Submissions should be in Microsoft Word format. In the subject should be written: ASECU conf. (*name of the leading author*)

Submissions should be sent to the Secretariat, for the Organizing Committee:

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Conference Fee and Hotel Accommodation

The conference fee is 70 €/participant for ASECU members and 100 €/participant for non- ASECU members.

Each participant should cover travel costs to and from Tirana.

Faculty of Economy, University of Tirana as organizer of the conference is in the position to facilitate booking for hotel accommodation for following hotels:

- Hotel Sheraton
- Hotel Rogner
- Hotel Tirana International
- Hotel Nirvana
- Hotel Iliria
- etc.

(more information soon)

The hotel reservation, the exact date and hour of the arrival and the departure of each participant, as well as, the way of traveling have to be sent by e-mail to the Secretariat of the conference (conference2009@unitir.edu.al or haderi@yahoo.com).