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- *the Opole University (Poland),*
- *Hochschule Zittau/Goerlitz – University of Applied Sciences (Germany),*
- *Internationales Hochschulinstitut Zittau (IHI) – International Graduate School (Germany),*
- *Matej Bel University, Slovak Republic,*
- *PFH Göttingen (Germany),*
- *Rijksuniversiteit Groningen (RUG) – Groningen University (The Netherlands),*
- *Selçuk University (Turkey)*
- *International Network of Young Researchers in Social Sciences (INYRSS) and the Europejskie Stowarzyszenie Ekonomistów Srodowiska i Zasobow Naturalnych.*

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10 – 12 April 2011

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Opole University, Faculty of Economics, ul. Ozimska 46a, 45-058 Opole, rooms 9 and 33.

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Sunday 10 April 2011

19:00 - ... Informal meeting and welcome dinner; Restauracja "Klub Medyka", ul. Grunwaldzka 23, Opole.

Monday 11 April 2011

09:00 - 09:30 **Opening**

Prof. Piotr WIECZOREK, Vice-Rector for International Affairs of Opole University

Prof. Janusz SŁODCZYK, Dean of the Faculty of Economics of Opole University

Prof. Leszek PREISNER, the Europejskie Stowarzyszenie Ekonomistów Srodowiska i Zasobow Naturalnych

Prof. Fehmi KARASIOĞLU (Selçuk University, Turkey)

09:30 – 10:00 **Key-note address**

1. Joost PLATJE (Opole University, Poland), Markus Will (University of Applied Sciences Zittau/Goerlitz, Germany):

Is there something like Sustainability? – Personal reflections after 11 years of discussing

Paper presentations

Each session consists of 3 or 4 paper presentations. The presenter has maximum 15 minutes available, and should use power point for presentation. The discussant will read the papers in advance, and discuss the presented papers publicly and lead the public discussion.

10:00- 11:30 **Panel 1, Thematic focus: Methodological and Institutional Issues**

Moderator/Discussant: Joost Platje

2. Marija KLOGA (HAW Hamburg, Germany):

Towards Sustainable River Basin Management in the Baltic Sea region: the project WATERPRAXIS"

3. Daniel HEINRICH (Geographisches Institut der Ruhr-Universität Bochum, Germany):

Institutional change and Varieties of Capitalism

4. Zofia ŁAPNIEWSKA (Kraków, Poland):

Sustainable Development from Gender Perspective

5. Corina SCHOLZ, Maximilian LETZE (Wroclaw University, Poland):

Can climate change be scientifically proven or is it rather a struggle between interest groups?

11:30 – 11:45 **Coffee break**



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11:45 - 13:30 **Panel 2, Thematic focus: Energy and Climate change**

Moderator/Discussant: Markus Will

6. Abdulkadir DEVELI , Fatih OKUR, Ramazan SAYAR , Yılmaz Onur ARI (Bayburt University, Turkey):

Hydro energy and its advantages for Turkey: An example of Eastern Black Sea Basin.

7. Abdulkadir DEVELİ, (Bayburt University, Turkey); Gülbahar ÜÇLER, (Selcuk University, Turkey); Atakan DURMAZ (Bayburt University, Turkey):

Structural Union in gas markets and reforms between EU and Turkey in a process of membership of EU

8. Abdulkadir DEVELİ, Yılmaz Onur ARI, Atakan DURMAZ (Bayburt University, Turkey):

The importance of nuclear energy as part of Turkey's sustainable development objective.

9. Alperen TOZLU (Gaziantep University, Turkey), Yusuf Alptekin TÜRKAN (Bayburt University, Turkey), Fatih OKUR (Hacettepe University, Turkey):

Nuclear Energy and nuclear energy waste recycling

10. Małgorzata MACIEJEWSKA, Marcin MARSZAŁEK (Wrocław University, Poland):

The lack of power or the lack of democracy? The external costs of nuclear energy

13:30 – 14:30 **Dinner**

11:45 - 13:30 **Panel 3, Ecosystem services and agriculture**

Moderator/Discussant: Monika Paradowska

11. Dominika MALCHAR-MICHALSKA (Opole University, Poland):

Agricultural producer groups in Poland as a tool of sustainable development of rural areas. A synthesis of empirical research.

12. Peter REPKA (Matej Bel University, Slovak Republic):

Report of the Veľká Fatra National Park and activities contributory to sustainable development

13. Karol KOCISZEWSKI (Wrocław University of Economics, Poland):

Supply-side factors of organic food market development according to questionnaire survey results

14. Zbigniew JAKUBCZYK (Wrocław University of Economics, Poland)

Sources of financing ecological investments in enterprises

14:30 – 16:00 **Poster presentations and discussion**

15. Bartosz BARTNICZAK (Wrocław University of Economics, Poland):

Sustainable production and consumption at regional level in Poland – statistical analysis.

16. Michał PTAK (Wrocław University of Economics, Poland):

Selected issues associated with carbon taxes and charges



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17. oikos Opole, Student Scientific Circle on SD (Opole University, Poland):

Identification of barriers and opportunities for the creation of a system of bicycle rental in Opole.

18. Alla Oleksandrivna KASICH (Kremenchuk National University, Ukraine)

Factors of economic dynamics: theoretical and practical lessons from economic crisis

19. Wiktor SZYDŁO (Wrocław University of Economics, Poland):

Global imbalances and micro income disparities as leading causes of the Great Recession

20. Katerina PRYAKHINA (Kremenchug National University, Ukraine):

Emissions trading as a mechanism of the Kyoto Protocol: strengths and weakness of trading for Ukraine

**21. Lesya SOKOL (National University of Life Science and the Environment, Kyiv, Ukraine);
Valentina V. PIDLISNYUK (Matej Bel University, Slovak Republic):**

Socio-economic transition for implementation sustainability to the agricultural sector at the local level

**22. Oleksandr PIDLISNYK, Vladimir POLIVANOV (Ukrainian University of Foreign Trade
and International Economy, Kyiv, Ukraine):**

Promotion of sustainable production systems and environmentally-friendly agricultural practices in Ukraine

23. Katarzyna ŻYKWIŃSKA-ROUBA (Technical University of Łódź, Poland):

Can decision support systems be applied as tools to assist in environmental management in Polish communities.

**24. Valentina V. PIDLISNYUK (Matej Bel University, Slovak Republic), Mykhaylo V.
ZAGIRNYAK, Iryna A. SOLOSHICH (Kremenchug National University, Ukraine):**

Capacity for implementing sustainability in Ukraine: view of young generation

**25. Daša MOLNÁROVÁ, Martin REPA, Barbora TIRČOVÁ, Martin MOZOLA (Matej Bel
University, Slovak Republic):**

Building a rest and educational zone at the faculty of natural resources at Matej Bel University.

**26. Michaela ŠTEFÁNIKOVÁ, Štefan ASCHENBRENNER, Dana BUKVOVÁ (Matej Bel
University, Slovak Republic):**

A plan for the incorporation of sustainability approach to development strategies using education – waste separation and recycling in dormitories.

16:00 – 17:45 **Panel 4, Education**

Moderator/Discussant: Eckhard Burkatzki

**27. Katarina HULINOVÁ, Sona CHLEBNIČANOVÁ, Milada ŠVECOVÁ (Matej Bel
University, Slovak Republic):**

The role of educational institutions in achieving sustainable development.



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28. Valentina V. PIDLISNYUK (Matej Bel Univerisy, Slovak Republic), Tetyana STEFANOVSKA (National University of Life Science and the Environment, Kiev, Ukraine):
Youth campaign on Climate Change: using campus as a lab bench

29. Bożena RYSZAWSKA-GRZESZCZAK (Wroclaw University of Economics, Poland):
Vision 2050 - a new agenda for business. How it can influence economic education at universities in Poland?

30. Joost PLATJE (Opole University, Poland), Eckhard Burkatzki (IHI, Germany):
Informal Institutional capital – students’ attitudes regarding good scientific practice

17:45 – 18:15 **Summary and conclusions of the panels, discussion**

19:30 - **Dinner**

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09:30 – 11:30 **Panel 5, Sustainable Transport**
Moderator/Discussant: Dominika MALCHAR

30. Marcin PAWĘSKA, Robert KAZIMIEROWICZ (International University of Logistics and Transport, Poland):
Sustainable transport in Wroclaw Agglomeration

31. Monika PARADOWSKA (Opole University, Poland):
Sustainable transport and the competitiveness of the Wroclaw Agglomeration

32. Henryk MANTEUFFEL SZOEGE (Warsaw University of Life Sciences, Poland):
Environmental Impact of Rail and Road Transport Compared

34. oikos Opole, Student Scientific Circle on SD (Opole University, Poland):
Identification of barriers and opportunities for the creation of a system of bicycle rental in Opole.

09:30 – 11:30 **Panel 6**
Moderator/Discussant: Fehmi KARASIOĞLU

35. Katarzyna NEGACZ (Warsaw School of Economics, Poland):
Sustainability influencing competitiveness of autonomous regions in global economy

36. André Francisco PILON (University of São Paulo, Brazil):
Building a Better Quality of Life: An Ecosystemic Approach to Live Better in a Better World

37. Tomasz SMUS (Opole University, Poland):
Philanthropy as a strategy of value based management





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38. Agnieszka SOBOL (University of Economics in Katowice, Poland):

Public-private partnership as a tool for sustainable development

39. Barbara KOZŁOWSKA (Technical University of Łódź, Poland)

Waste management as a sustainable business

40. S. Fatih KOSTAKOĞLU, Bilgin BARI (Anadolu University, Turkey):

Importance of The Construction Sector for Development: ARDL Analysis of Construction Sector in Turkey

11:30 – 11:45 **Coffee break**

11:15 – 12:30 **Closing discussion and conference conclusions**

Wrap up of panel discussions. Discussion on how to support change for sustainable development in a complex world with a wide variety of interests.

12:30 – 13:30 **Lunch**