Dear Members of ERSA, dear Colleagues,

I hope that you're all well.

We are sending you our November enews with a slight delay but with a great news on next year's ERSA Congress: #ERSA2023 Call for Special Session Proposals is now open.

In close collaboration with the Local Organising Team of Alicante, we are working hard to give us the means to back our ambitions for an outstanding Congress that is rich in content and stimulates interesting discussions and innovative ideas.

Preliminary information can be found on the congress website: https://ersa2023.ersa.org.

With best wishes,
 André Torre, ERSA President

The Call for Special Session Proposals is OPEN!
Deadline: 8 January 2023
**Internal Communication**

**Miroslav Šipikal is the new President of the Slovak Section!**

The Slovak Section reports that **Miroslav Šipikal** is the new President of the section. 
Our best congratulations and best wishes to Miroslav!

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**RSAI Councillor-at-Large**

Congratulation to **Daniela Constantin** reelected RSAI Councillor-at-Large for the second term (2023-2025). We wish her full success!

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**ERSAC Representatives at RSAI**

Our Congratulations and best wishes also go to **Eveline van Leeuwen** (2nd term) and **Lise Bourdeau-Lepage** (1st term) who will start a three-year term as RSAI Councilors for ERSA (2023-2025)

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**Upcoming Events**

**news and ongoing calls**

**Bulgarian Section: 2022 Annual Conference**
Resilience and Crisis in Europa
2 December 2022, University for National and World Economy in Sofia, Bulgaria
The conference will start at 1PM (UTC+2)
Registration link: https://form.jotform.com/223041161666348
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**Nordic Section: 1st Annual Meeting**
15 December 2022 | Online at 3 PM
Keynote lecture by Eleonora Patacchini, Bocconi University in Milan, Italy. Registration is free.

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Slovak Section: 11th Winter Seminar
15-18 March 2023, Donovaly, Slovakia
The Call for Papers is OPEN!
Submission deadline: 31 January 2023

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Croatian Section: 14th International Conference
Design for the Next Generation
17-19 May 2023, Bol, Island Brač, Croatia
Full Paper submission deadline: 6 March 2023
Özge Öner will be the keynote Speaker for regional topics.

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Italian Section: XLIV Annual Scientific Conference
Europe and the Mediterranean between transitions and conflicts. Opportunities and risks for regions and territories
6-8 September 2023, Naples, Italy
Organised Session deadline: 31 January 2023
Paper/Poster deadline: 28 February 2023

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See all scheduled events 2022-2023

Journals news
new publications

Regional Science Policy & Practice (RSPP)
Vol. 14, No. S2, November 2022, Special Issue:
Regional Development in China
Issue edited by:
Jian Wang, Emmanouil Transos
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**Investigaciones Regionales - Journal of Regional Research**

The journal has recently published the Issue 54, the third volume corresponding to 2022, the year in which the journal celebrates its twentieth anniversary.

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**Revue d’Économie Régionale & Urbaine (RERU)**

October 2022, No. 2022/4 on:

**Health territories, Sport and territorial development and Zero Unemployed Territories**

Editor: **Armand Colin**

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**ERSA-RSAI Members Publish**

**The Digital Platform Economy Index 2020**

**Authors**

Zoltan Acs, László Szerb, Éva Somogyiné Komlósi, Esteban Lafuente, Abraham K. Song

**About the book**

- Includes 12 pillars that integrate the digital and the entrepreneurship ecosystems
- Presents data for 116 countries and cluster analyses
- Presents tailor-made policy suggestions for improving the digital and entrepreneurship
- Is part of the book series [SpringerBriefs in Economics](#)

Springer Nature Switzerland AG 2022
Publication Date: 2022 | ISBN 978-3-030-89650-8

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**Postsocialist Shrinking Cities**

**Editors**

Chung-Tong Wu, Maria Gunko, Tadeusz Stryjakiewicz, Kai Zhou

**About the book**

- Provides a comparative analysis of shrinking cities in a broad range of...
postsocialist countries within the so-called Global East, a liminal space between North and South

- Brings to the fore a range of new perspectives on urban shrinkage, identifying commonalities, differences, and policy experiences across a very diverse and vivid region with its various legacies and contemporary controversial developments
- With chapters written by leading experts in the field, insider views assist in decolonizing urban theory

Routledge, 21 March 2022
Publication Date: 21 March 2022 | ISBN 9780367415235
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**The Economic Geography of the Car Market**
The Automobile Revolution in an Emerging Economy

**Editors**
Bartłomiej Kołsut, Tadeusz Stryjakiewicz

**About the book**
- Provides a comprehensive analysis of long-term changes in the car market of an emerging economy, with a focus on its spatial and temporal dimensions
- Brings to the fore several key aspects of the car market, such as car ownership, markets for new cars, import of second-hand cars, car use, electromobility, and environmental impact
- Combines the results of quantitative and qualitative research

Routledge, 26 September 2022
Publication Date: 26 September 2022 | ISBN 9781032314204
Read more

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**New publications to share?**
Your are member of the ERSA Community and you have recently published a book, grasp this opportunity to inform us about it. We are looking for
Vacancies

- Three post-doctoral positions at the Department of Economics, Uninsubria, Italy - Application deadline: **18 January 2023**

read more on current vacancies

If you want to share an announcement interesting for our community, Send us an email to **office@ersa.org** and we will promote it via our channels.

To Keep up-to-date with all events on the agenda, visit our [upcoming events page](#) on our website.