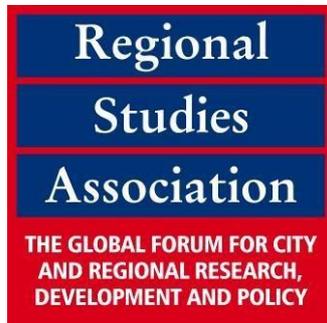


# CONFERENCE PROGRAMME



Winter Conference 2018

## **New Horizons for Cities and Regions in a Changing World**

Thursday 15th – Friday 16th November 2018

Holiday Inn Bloomsbury, London, UK

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## Conference Overview

### THURSDAY 15TH NOVEMBER

08:30-17:15 Registration desk open

09:00-09:15 Conference Introduction and Welcome  
**Mark Tewdwr-Jones**, Newcastle University, United Kingdom  
**Sally Hardy**, Regional Studies Association  
Room: **BOOKER SUITE**

09:15-09:55 Plenary Session [1]  
Chair: **Mark Tewdwr-Jones**, Newcastle University, United Kingdom  
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**“The Return of the City-region in the New Urban Agenda: Another Global Imposition on Southern Cities?”**  
Speaker: **Vanessa Watson**, African Centre for Cities, University of Cape Town, South Africa

09:55-10:25 Refreshment Break – Booker Suite Foyer (ground floor) & Academy Foyer

10:25-12:25 **Parallel Sessions [A]**

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09:00-11:00 **Parallel Sessions [C]**

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11:00-11:30 Refreshment Break – Booker Suite Foyer (ground floor) & Academy Foyer

11:30-12:10 Plenary Session [3] Room: **BOOKER SUITE**  
Chair: John Bachtler, University of Strathclyde, UK  
  
**“EU Budget Post 2020”**  
Speaker: **Marc Lemaître**, European Commission, Belgium

12:10-13:10 Lunch – Junction Restaurant, ground floor

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13:10-15:10 **Parallel Sessions [D]**

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15:10-15:30 Refreshment Break – Booker Suite Foyer (ground floor)

15:30-16:15 Plenary Session [4] Room: **BOOKER SUITE**  
Chair: Elvira Uyarra, University of Manchester, United Kingdom  
  
**“Industrial Policy and the UK’s North-south Divide”**  
Speaker: **Diane Coyle**, University of Cambridge, United Kingdom

16:15 Conference Close

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Session Title:	<b>Financing Urban and Regional Futures</b>	Room: <b>DIPLOMA</b>
Chair:	<b>Andrew Beer</b> , UniSA Business School, Australia	
<b>Andy Pike</b> ; Peter O’Brien; Graham Thrower & John Tomaney, Newcastle University, UK	Financialising City Statecraft	
<b>Martin Sokol</b> , Trinity College Dublin, Ireland	Regional Studies and the Flows of Finance: Building a ‘Financial Chains’ Perspective	
<b>Adam Drobnik</b> , University of Economics in Katowice, Poland	Hybridization of Regional and Urban Development – Reflections on Changing Patterns of Contemporary Development	
<b>Natalia Moskvitina</b> , Institute of Applied Economic Research of RANEP, Russia	A New Vision for Regional Investment Policy in Russia: PPP (P3s) Performance in Manufacturing	
<b>Giovanni Vittorino</b> , Bank of Italy, Italy	Inter-regional Redistribution and Fiscal Policy in Italy	
<b>Olga Mrinska</b> , European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, UK	Revitalising Ukrainian Cities through Mobilising Communities	
Session Title:	<b>Economic Clustering: New Trends, New Impacts</b>	Room: <b>NOBEL</b>
Chair:	<b>Roel Rutten</b> , Tilburg University, The Netherlands	
<b>Giuseppe Pronesti</b> ; Carlo Vermiglio; Francesco Cappellano & Carmelina Bevilacqua, Università degli Studi Mediterranea di Reggio Calabria, Italy	Unleashing the Economic Potential of European Regions: A Cluster-life-cycle Approach to Design and Implementation Regional Development Studies	
<b>Emily Wise</b> , Lund University, Sweden James Wilson, Oekestra (Basque Institute of Competitiveness), Spain Madeline Smith, Innovation School, Glasgow School of Art, UK	Evidencing the Benefits of Cluster Programmes – Towards a Framework of Effects	
<b>Astrid Krenz</b> , Durham University, UK	Firm-level Clustering in Germany – Evidence from a Distance-based Index	
<b>Hui Yang</b> ; David Gibbs & Andy Jonas, University of Hull, UK	Brands and Branding: An Analysis of the Evolutionary Development of Spirit Industry Clusters in China	
<b>Gerald Holtham</b> & Robert Huggins, Cardiff Metropolitan University, UK Anwar Hossein, Bangladesh	Identifying and Measuring Agglomeration Effects	
<b>Anu Manickam</b> , Hanze University of Applied Sciences, The Netherlands	Developing New Vocabulary for Collective Place-making in Changing Worlds	

10:25-12:25 <b>Parallel Sessions [A]</b>		
Session Title:	<b>Global Investment Flows, Global Value Chains and Global Connectivity: Their Geography and Spatial Impacts I</b>	Room: <b>GRAMMY</b>
Chair:	<b>Dimitri Corpakis</b> , former European Commission, Belgium	
<b>Lotte Thomsen</b> , Copenhagen Business School, Denmark	Jewellery Retail Geographies: Setting the Agenda	
<b>Yihan Wang</b> & Ekaterina Turkina, HEC Montréal, Canada	Economic Complexity, Value Chain Networks and Québec's Global Competitiveness	
<b>Mara Giua</b> , Università degli Studi Roma Tre, Italy Riccardo Crescenzi & Marco di Cataldo, London School of Economics, UK	FDI Inflows and Impact in European Regions: What Role for Investment promotion Agencies?	
<b>Ellen Hughes</b> , University of the West of England, UK	"I Knew Something about the City": Designers' Migration into Bristol 1975-1985	
<b>Dávid Fekete</b> , Széchenyi István University, Hungary	Impacts of a Multinational Company on the City Development	
<b>Giacomo Damioli</b> & Daniel Vertesy, Joint Research Centre, Italy Davide Castellani, Henley Business School UK	The ERA of International R&D Investments	
Session Title:	<b>EU Policy, Brexit Geographies: What does the Future Hold?</b>	Room: <b>PALM DO'R</b>
Chair:	<b>Flavia Martinelli</b> , Università Mediterranea di Reggio Calabria, Italy	
<b>Micheál Collins</b> , & Michelle Norris, University College Dublin, Ireland	On the Front-line: Exploring the Implications of Brexit for Citizens in Ireland's Border Region	
<b>Raquel Ortega Argiles</b> ; Chloe Billing & Deniz Sevic, Birmingham Business School, UK Philip McCann, University of Sheffield, UK	UK Sub-national Perspectives on Brexit: Challenges, Priorities and Opportunities	
<b>Leslie Budd</b> , Open University and Centre for Brexit Studies, UK Stefania Paladini, Birmingham City University, UK	Can the Space Economy Transform Europe's Regions?	
<b>Lionel Vedrine</b> & Julie Le Gallo, CESAER, France	Does Cohesion Policy affect Territorial Inequalities and Regional Development?	
<b>Franziska Sielker</b> , University of Cambridge, UK Estelle Evrard, University of Luxembourg, Luxembourg	Territoriality and Spatiality – Two Paramount Concepts in Furthering European Integration Theory	
<b>Marco Percoco</b> , Università Bocconi, Italy	Comparative Case Studies and the Transportability of Policy Outcomes Across the Space	

10:25-12:25 <b>Parallel Sessions [A]</b>		
Session Title:	<b>New Horizons for Rural and Peripheral Regions</b>	Room: <b>CATEY</b>
Chair:	<b>Lucir Reinaldo Alves</b> , Universidade Estadual do Oeste do Paraná - UNIOESTE/Campus Toledo, Brazil	
<b>Tobias Federwisch</b> , Leibniz-Institut fuer Raumbezogene Sozialforschung (IRS), Germany	Innovations in Rural Municipalities: Dynamics and Challenges of Creative Community Development	
<b>Sebastian Imhof</b> ; Roger Sonderegger; Widar von Arx & Jonas Frölicher, Lucerne University of Applied Sciences, Switzerland	Shared Autonomous Vehicles and their Contribution to Improve Rural Public Transport	
<b>Mariske van Aswegen</b> & Francois Retief, North-West University, South Africa	The Role of Innovation and Knowledge Networks on Regional Resilience in the Peripheral Region	
<b>Anika Noack</b> , Brandenburg University of Technology Cottus-Senftenberg, Germany Tobias Federwisch, Leibniz-Institut fuer Raumbezogene Sozialforschung (IRS), Germany	Social Innovations by Elderly People – New Perspectives for Rural Regions?	
<b>Qianyu Zhao</b> , Peking University, China Helen X H. Bao, University of Cambridge, UK Zhang Zhanlu, Renmin University of China, China	To Rise or to Decline: The Impact of China's Urbanization on Agricultural Land Use Efficiency	
<b>Robert Pollock</b> , Newcastle University, UK	Energy Transitions and the Creation of New Industries in Lagging Regions	
Session Title:	<b>The Role of Universities and Other Institutions in Shaping Places and their Futures</b>	Room: <b>ACORN</b>
Chair:	<b>Chiara Marzocchi</b> , MioIR – University of Manchester, UK	
<b>Gezina Dorothea Huston</b> ; Elizelle Juaneé Cilliers & Ockert Rudolf Pretorius, North-West University, South Africa	Evaluating Green Infrastructure as Part of South African Spatial Planning Education	
<b>Bianca Radu</b> , Babes Bolyai University, Romania	The Influence of Collaborative Emergency Management on the Community Resilience in the case of Emergency Situations	
<b>Jussara Bauermann</b> & Jane Victal Ferreira, PUC Campinas, Brazil	Social Architecture: Collaborative Practice as a Tool to Promote Local Development and Responsibility	
<b>Terry Clower</b> , George Mason University, USA Mark White, University of Missouri, USA Spencer Shanholtz, University of Virginia Kevin Roth, National Recreation and Park Association, USA	Amenities Based Economic Development: The Role of Public Park Systems in Local Economic Development	
<b>Tim Dixon</b> & Lorraine Farrelly, University of Reading, UK Jenni Montgomery, Barton Willmore, UK Nigel Horton-Baker, Reading UK CIC, UK	Using Urban Foresight Techniques in City Visioning: Lessons from the Reading 2050 Vision	
<b>Alena Myshko</b> , Gran Sasso Science Institute (GSSI), Italy	Students' Mobilities and Spatial Capital: A (Missing) Link between Regional Airport's and Local Universities (the Case of North East England, UK)	

10:25-12:25 <b>Parallel Sessions [A]</b>		
Session Title:	Planning Regional Futures Panel Session <i>Regional Studies</i> Journal Special Issue	Room: <b>BOOKER</b>
Chairs:	<b>John Harrison</b> , Loughborough University, UK; <b>Mark Tewdwr-Jones</b> , Newcastle University, UK; <b>Daniel Galland</b> , Norwegian University of Life Sciences (NMBU), Norway	
Panellists		
<b>Mark Tewdwr-Jones</b> , Newcastle University, UK		
<b>Simin Davoudi</b> , Newcastle University, UK		
<b>Lauren Andres</b> , University of Birmingham, UK		
<b>Vanessa Watson</b> , African Centre for Cities, University of Cape Town, South Africa		
Session Title:	Energy Transitions, Environmental Sustainability and Designing Urban and Regional Futures	Room: <b>TURNER</b>
Chair:	<b>Don Webber</b> , Swansea University, UK	
<b>Camilla Chlebna</b> & Jannika Mattes, University of Oldenburg, Germany	The Role of Stabilisation for Regional Transitions	
<b>Ida Grundel</b> , Karlstad University, Sweden Ida Andersson, Örebro University, Sweden	Regional Policy Mobilities: Shaping and Reshaping Bioeconomies in Värmland and Västerbotten	
<b>Zsolt Radics</b> ; Tomás Tóth; György Szabó & István Fazekas, University of Debrecen, Hungary Csaba Patkós, Eszterházy Károly University, Hungary	Attitude Differences between Prominence and Inhabitants Concerning Renewable Energy Issues in Northeast Hungary	
<b>Csaba Patkós</b> & Enikó Kovács, Eszterházy Károly University, Hungary	Climate and Energy Governance Perspectives from a Municipal Point of View in Hungary	
<b>Tekla Sebestyén Szép</b> ; Zoltán Nagy & Géza Tóth, University of Miskolc, Hungary	Regional Disparities in the Hungarian Urban Energy Consumption	
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Session Title:	Spatial Development, Territorial and Regional Futures	Room: <b>DIPLOMA</b>
Chair:	<b>Paul Hildreth</b> , University College London, UK	
<b>Jose Nino Amezquita</b> , Regional Centre for Productivity and Innovation of Boyaca, Colombia	Territorial Internationalization Policy, an Articulated Initiative for Territorial Development	
<b>Ernst Drewes</b> , North-West University, South Africa Andre Brand, Statistics South Africa, South Africa	Towards a Regional Corridor Model (RCM)	
<b>Peter Wilgaard Larsen</b> , Aalborg University, Denmark	Regionalism and Institutional Competitiveness	
<b>Valeria Fedeli</b> , Politecnico di Milano, Italy Camilla Perrone, Università di Firenze, Italy	Society, Space and Institutions to the Test of the Great Changes of the Global Economy: Future Research Concerns, Challenges and Implications for Cities and Regions	
<b>Angel Manzanares Gutierrez</b> & Prudencio José Riquelme Perea, University of Murcia, Spain	Techniques of Analysis Applied to Local Labor Markets	
<b>Cezary Kowalczyk</b> & Krystyna Kurek, University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn, Poland	Map of Dynamics of Changes of Cities and Neighbouring Communes	

13:25-15:25 <b>Parallel Sessions [B]</b>		
Session Title:	<b>Smart Urban Futures</b>	Room: <b>NOBEL</b>
Chair:	<b>Phil Tomlinson</b> , University of Bath, UK	
<b>Dimitra Chondrogianni</b> ; Stylianos Karatzas & Yorgos Stephanedes, University of Patras, Greece	A Process-centric Approach for System-of-Systems Integration in Smart Cities	
<b>Alessandro Rosiello</b> , University of Edinburgh Business School, UK Mor Shilon, Israel Institute of Technology, Israel Dan Kauffman, Sapir College, Israel Dafna Schwartz, Ben Gurion University, Israel	Smart Specialization: An Inclusive Tool for Integrating Minorities in Mixed Religions into the Hi-tech Sector?	
<b>Korneliusz Pylak</b> , Lublin University of Technology, Poland	Refining Smart Specialisation Strategies in Less Developed Regions: Lessons from History	
<b>Tariq Malik</b> , Liaoning University, China	Chinese Universities and their Roles in the ICT Sector-specific Development in Innovative Cities	
<b>Alessandro Rosiello</b> , University of Edinburgh Business School, UK George Papamichail & David Wield, University of Edinburgh, UK	Smart Specialization Innovation Strategies in Catch-up Regions: Fitting Institutions for Policy Implementation	
Session Title:	<b>Global Investment Flows, Global Value Chains and Global Connectivity: Their Geography and Spatial Impacts II</b>	Room: <b>GRAMMY</b>
Chair:	<b>Henry Wai-Chung Yeung</b> , National University of Singapore, Singapore	
<b>Riccardo Crescenzi</b> ; David Arnold & Sergio Petralia, London School of Economics, UK	The Internationalisation of R&D: Internal and External Drivers of Location Decisions across the Globe	
<b>Roberto Ganau</b> & Riccardo Crescenzi, London School of Economics, UK	Outward FDI and Local Employment in the United States	
<b>Jessie Poon</b> ; Kuosiong Tan & Trina Hamilton, University of Buffalo, USA	Financial Intermediaries, Social Power and Offshore Finance	
<b>Susanne Frick</b> , London School of Economics, UK	Special Economic Zones and Spill-overs into the Surrounding Areas	
<b>Giancarlo Cotella</b> & Erblin Berisha, Politecnico di Torino, Italy	European Spatial Strategies and Chinese Geopolitical Initiatives. The Potential Spatial Impacts of Chinese Economic Intervention in the Balkan Peninsula	
<b>Stefano Usai</b> , University of Cagliari, Italy	Italian Firms' Trade Patterns: A First Look at International and Interregional Trade Decisions	

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Session Title:	European Cohesion Policy and the Future of European Regional Policy	Room: <b>PALM DO'R</b>
Chair:	<b>Dimitri Corpakis</b> , former European Commission, Belgium	
<b>Ugo Fratesi</b> , Politecnico di Milano, Italy	One Policy, different Effects: Estimating the Region-specific Effects of EU Cohesion Policy Funds	
Paolo di Caro, University of Catania, Italy	Cohesion Policy Effects on Investment at the Extensive and the Intensive Margin	
<b>Vassilis Monastiriotis</b> & Riccardo Crescenzi, London School of Economics, UK	Integrated Territorial Investments in Poland: Empowering Local Actors in the EU Cohesion Policy	
Ugo Fratesi, Politecnico di Milano, Italy	The Importance of Transport Infrastructure Investments in EU's Low-income Regions: Empirical Evidences from Romanian Regions	
<b>Sylwia Borkowska-Waszak</b> , University of Strathclyde, UK	Poland's Local Investment in Human Capital within the Cohesion Policy. Confronting the Goals with the Outcome	
<b>Mihail Eva</b> ; Corneliu Latu & Alexandra Cehan, Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iasi, Romania		
<b>Mikolaj Herbst</b> & Jakub Rok, University of Warsaw, EUROREG, Poland		
Session Title:	Urban Futures – Policy, Actors, Disclosure	Room: <b>CATEY</b>
Chair:	<b>Jesper Ole Jensen</b> , Aalborg University, Denmark	
<b>Sarah Ayres</b> , University of Bristol, UK	How can City Leaders Promote Public Value through Soft Metagovernance?	
<b>Linda Christie</b> , University of Glasgow, UK	The Public Value of Inter-municipal Collaboration as Economic Development Policy: An Integrative Institutional Perspective	
<b>Arnoud Legendijk</b> ; Robert van Driessche & Peter Ache, Radboud University Nijmegen, The Netherlands	Dissecting the Urban(ized) Binoculars. From Deconstructing to Reconstructing and Realizing Urban Futures	
<b>Cristian Gherhes</b> ; Tim Vorley & Chay Brooks, University of Sheffield, UK	Localism is an Illusion (of power): Divergences and Tensions in the UK Multi-scalar Governance System	
<b>Kees Terlouw</b> , Utrecht University, The Netherlands	Legitimising Identity Discourses and Metropolitan Networks: Between Urban Competitiveness and Territorial Protection	

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Session Title:	<b>Universities, Entrepreneurship and Regional Development: Meeting Original Expectations? I</b>	Room: <b>ACORN</b>
Chair:	<b>Helen Lawton Smith</b> , Birkbeck, University of London, UK	
<b>Shiri Breznitz</b> , The Munk School of Global Affairs, Canada	Fostering the Growth of Student Start-ups from University Accelerators: An Entrepreneurial Ecosystem Perspective	
<b>Qiantao Zhang</b> , University of Toronto, Canada		
<b>Peter Jelfs</b> & Helen Lawton Smith, Birkbeck, University of London, UK	Financial Performance Studies of University Spin-off Companies (USOs) in the West Midlands	
<b>Fumi Kitagawa</b> , University of Edinburgh Business School, UK	Graduate Start-ups in the Regional Contexts-policy Fad or Hidden Driver?	
<b>Chiara Marzocchi</b> & <b>Elvira Uyarra</b> , University of Manchester, UK		
<b>Mabel Sanchez-Barrioluengo</b> , European Commission Joint Research Centre, Spain		
<b>Feketene Czako Katalin</b> , Széchenyi Istvan University, Hungary	Applying Grounded Theory Concept in Analysis of University – Firm Linkages	
<b>Sandra Ewohime</b> ; James O’Sullivan & William O’Gorman, Waterford Institute of Technology, Ireland	The Role of Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) in Providing Knowledge Workers for the Future	
<b>Helen Lawton Smith</b> , Birkbeck, University of London, UK	Development of the Regional Economies: A Review	
Session Title:	<b>Planning Regional Futures I</b> <i>Regional Studies</i> Journal Special Issue	Room: <b>BOOKER</b>
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<b>Simin Davoudi</b> , Newcastle University, UK	Regional Imaginaries	
<b>Valeria Lingua</b> , University of Florence, Italy	Envisioning Regional Futures: An Interactive Governance Perspective for Regional Spatial Planning	
<b>Eva Purkarthofer</b> , Aalto University, Finland	Macro-regional and Mega-regional Cooperation: New Forms of Soft Planning and Spatial Governance in Europe and the United States	
<b>Franziska Sielker</b> , University of Cambridge, UK		
<b>Dominic Stead</b> , TU Delft, The Netherlands		
<b>Alan Mace</b> & <b>Alessandra Mossa</b> , London School of Economics, UK	Reconciling Corridor Regions and Concentric Green Belt Policy	
<b>Patrick Kilfoil</b> & <b>David Wachsmuth</b> , McGill University, Canada	Corridor Politics, Regional Imaginaries: New Scale of Economic Planning in the Toronto-Waterloo Innovation Corridor	
<b>Aksel Ersoy</b> ; <b>Nikki Brand</b> & <b>Ellen van Beuren</b> , Delft University of Technology	Adapting a Systems Perspective for Planning Futures: Approaching Flood Resilience in Texas and Accra	
Session Title:	<b>Book Launch: Social Services Disrupted. Changes, Challenges and Policy Implications for Europe in Times of Austerity</b>	Room: <b>TURNER</b>
Chair:	<b>Mia Gray</b> , University of Cambridge, UK	
Panellists		
<b>Flavia Martinelli</b> , Mediterranea University of Reggio Calabria, Italy		
<b>Margitta Mätzke</b> , Johannes Kepler University, Austria		
<b>Judith Clifton</b> , University of Cantabria, Spain		
<b>Andy Pike</b> , Newcastle University, UK		

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Chair:	<b>Arnoud Legendijk</b> , Radboud University Nijmegen, The Netherlands	
<b>Brita Hermelin</b> & Kristina Trygg, Linköping University, Sweden	Decentralisation of Growth Policy to the Local Scale. Empirical Study of Cities and Towns in Sweden about their Strategic Planning Initiatives and Collaborative Governance	
<b>Rafał Gajewski</b> , University of Gdańsk, Poland	Conceptualization of the Multi-level Governance Structures and Policies. The Example of Polish Regions	
<b>Marco Pütz</b> , Swiss Federal Research Institute WSL, Switzerland	Theorizing the Practice of Regional Governance	
Session Title:	<b>Migration Flows and the Integration of Migrants into Cities and Regions</b>	Room: <b>NOBEL</b>
Chair:	<b>Emily Wise</b> , Lund University, Sweden	
<b>Amjad Naveed</b> , Aarhus University, Denmark	Social Inclusion from Migrants and Income Inequality: An Empirical Analysis on European Cities	
Cong Wang, Bond University, Australia		
<b>Robert Compton</b> , SUNY Oneonta, USA	Migration and Integration as South Africa's Regional Challenge	
<b>Das Steyn</b> , University of the Free State, South Africa	A Third Afrikaner Migration: Plans for Survival of a People	
<b>Jaehyun Jung</b> ; Jinwoo Dong & Kim Giseung, Pusan National University, Republic of Korea	Empirical Analysis of Mobility of High-educated Workers	
<b>Yoann Morin</b> & Lionel Védrine, CESAER, France	Agglomeration Externalities and Offer or On-the-job Training: Evidence from France	
Session Title:	<b>Technological Changes, Innovation and its Implications for Cities and Regions I</b>	Room: <b>GRAMMY</b>
Chair:	<b>Giacomo Damioli</b> , Joint Research Centre, Belgium	
<b>Thomas Kemeny</b> , Queen Mary, University of London, UK	Disruptive Innovation and Inequality: A Long-run View	
Sergio Petralia & Michael Storper, London School of Economics, UK		
<b>Roel Rutten</b> , Tilburg University, The Netherlands	Openness Values and Regional Innovation	
<b>Arnault Morisson</b> , Mediterranean University of Reggio Calabria, Italy	Enablers of Structural Change: The Role of Entrepreneurial Region during Technological Transition	
Eva Panetti, Parthenope University of Naples, Italy		
<b>Martin Henning</b> , University of Gothenburg, Sweden	Evolutionary Dynamics of Local Economic Structures after the Second Industrial Revolution. Industry Paths in Swedish Cities 1900-1965	
<b>Rong Feng</b> & Chaolin Gu, Tsinghua University, China	How China Fits in Globalisation: Insight from the Global Violin Industry	

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Session Title:	Evaluating Urban and Regional Futures: Policy Impacts, Strategy Evaluation	Room: <b>D PALM DO'R</b>
Chair:	<b>John Shutt</b> , Northumbria University, UK	
<b>Mark Dean</b> & John Spoehr, Flinders University, Australia	Evaluating the Efficacy of Policymaking for Tonsley as a Hub of a High-tech Regional Innovation System in Adelaide, South Australia	
<b>Andrew Beer</b> , UniSA Business School, Australia Laura Hodgson; Allan OConnor & Marianna Sigala, University of South Australia, Australia	Big Data, New Technologies and Advancing Urban and Regional Development Strategies	
<b>Adam Brown</b> ; Mike May-Gillings & Sandy Perkins, Cambridge Econometrics, UK	The Local Impacts of New Commercial Property	
<b>Marijana Sumpor</b> ; Irena Dokic & Ivana Rasic Bakaric, The Institute of Economics, Croatia	Regional and Spatial Development Planning: Why are we not Talking about the same thing?	
<b>Henrik Halkier</b> & Laura James, Aalborg University, Denmark	Stress-testing Local Food Networks as an Instrument of Local and Regional Development – The Case of Denmark	
<b>Thomas Skuzinski</b> & Shahidur Talukdar, Virginia Tech, USA	The Role of Local Governments in Shaping Regional Governance: Reconsidering the Measurement of Local Autonomy	
Session Title:	Industry 4.0 and the Future Shape of Innovation, Industrial Development and Strategy	Room: <b>CATEY</b>
Chair:	<b>Henry Wai-Chung Yeung</b> , National University of Singapore, Singapore	
<b>Emil Evenhuis</b> & Peter Sunley, University of Southampton, UK Richard Harris, Durham University, UK Ron Martin, University of Cambridge, UK Andy Pike, Newcastle University, UK	Cluster Renaissance in Industrial Regions? The Changing Geography of Advanced Manufacturing in Britain	
<b>Jonas Glaesser</b> ; Michael Bentlage & Alain Thierstein, University of Munich, Germany	Spatial Effects of Digital Transformation, An Analysis on the Example on an Automotive R&D Network	
<b>Dimitri Corpakis</b> , former European Commission, Belgium	Challenges for Regional Policy in the age of Globalising Technologies: Reflections of a Policy Maker	
<b>Lucir Reinaldo Alves</b> & Isabela Romanha de Alcantara, UNIOESTE/Campus Toledo, Brazil Alina Bianca Andreica, Babes-Bolyai University, Romania	Industry 4.0 as an Alternative of Competitiveness of the main Clusters of Western Parana State, Brazil	
<b>Igor Pilipenko</b> , Financial University, Russia	Competitive Advantages of Russia's Regions in Industrial Development: Nurturing Newly Created Advantages or Exploiting the Old Ones?	
<b>David Bailey</b> , Aston Business School, UK Lisa de Propris, Birmingham Business School, UK	Beyond 'Industry 4.0'? Implications for Industrial Policy	

09:00-11:00 <b>Parallel Sessions [C]</b>		
Session Title:	<b>Universities, Entrepreneurship and Regional Development: Meeting Original Expectations? II</b>	Room: <b>ACORN</b>
Chair:	<b>Helen Lawton Smith</b> , Birkbeck, University of London, UK	
<b>Sabrina Colombo</b> , Gabriele Ballarino & Nazareno Panichella, Università degli Studi di Milano, Italy	Human Capital Dynamics. Universities Students and Graduates Geographical Mobility in Italy	
<b>Malgorzata Runiewicz-Wardyn</b> , Kozminski University, Poland	The Role of Proximity in the University-driven Social Networks. The Case of the US and EU Biotechnology Clusters	
<b>Paul Vallance</b> , University of Sheffield, UK Louise Kempton, CURDS, Newcastle University, UK	HEIs and the Entrepreneurial Development Process: Learning Organisations in Learning Regions?	
<b>Maria da Conceição</b> , Universidade de Évora, Portugal Paula Ana Bastos, Universidade de Brasilia, Brazil Mauricio Serra, UNICAMP – Universidade de Campinas, Brazil	What does it Mean to be Central in the Periphery and Periphery in the Centre? The Cases of the Universities of Évora, Campinas and Brasilia	
<b>David Charles</b> , Northumbria University, UK	Can University Campuses in Rural Areas Meet the Expectations of Local Stakeholders?	
Session Title:	<b>Planning Regional Futures II</b>	Room: <b>BOOKER</b>
Chair:	<b>John Harrison</b> , Loughborough University, UK	
<b>Pierre Hamel</b> , Université de Montréal, Canada Roger Keil, York University, Canada	Suburban World: Comparing the Governance of Globalizing Regions from the Outside in	
<b>John Bryson</b> ; Lauren Andres & Hakeem Bakare, University of Birmingham, UK	Planning for Regional Futures in the Global South: Shifting Siloed Approach to Place-based Integrated Planning in Africa	
<b>Sebastian Fastenrath</b> & Lars Coenen, University of Melbourne MSSI, Australia	Planning for Urban Resilience through Governance Experimentation? A Framework for Analyzing Urban Resilience Actions	
<b>Aleksi Neuvonen</b> , Demos Helsinki, Finland Raine Mäntysalo, Aalto University, Finland Joe Ravetz, University of Manchester, UK	The New Normative: Planning Carbon Neutral Regional Futures	
<b>Haozhi Pan</b> & Sandy Dall'Erba, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA Tianren Yang & Ying Jin, University of Cambridge, UK	Understanding Heterogenous Spatial Externalities as a Missing Link between Land-use Planning and Urban Economic Futures	
<b>Ian Gordon</b> , London School of Economics, UK Tony Champion, Newcastle University, UK	Towards a Sustainable, Negotiated Mode of Strategic Regional Planning: A Political Economy Perspective	

09:00-11:00 <b>Parallel Sessions [C]</b>		
Session Title:	Are Cities Dense Enough?	Room: <b>TURNER</b>
Chair:	<b>Eric Koomen</b> , SPINlab, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, The Netherlands	
<b>Nicola Pontarollo</b> ; Marcos Alvarez-Diaz; Laura de Dominicis & Beatrice D'Hombres European Commission, Joint Research Centre Italy Claudia Ghisetti, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Italy	The Determinants of Population Growth in European Regions	
<b>Chris Jacobs Crisioni</b> ; Carlo Lavelle; Claudia Baranzelli; Filipe Batista e Silva & Mert Kompil, European Commission, Joint Research Centre Italy	Urban Density Change: A European Perspective	
<b>Eric Koomen</b> & Jip Claassens, SPINlab, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, The Netherlands	Spatial Analysis of Residential Development Processes: Uncovering the Dutch Densification Potential	
<b>Katarzyna Baranczuk</b> & Klaudia Nowicka, University of Gdańsk, Poland	Planned Touristification: Waterfront Areas Development in the City of Gdańsk	
<b>Jinwoo Dong</b> & Youngduk Kim, Pusan National University, Republic of Korea	The Relationship between Task-biased Technical Change and Inequality of Labor Market across Regions	
<b>Stephan Brunow</b> , University of Applied Labour Studies, Germany Oskar Jost, Institute for Employment Research IAB, Germany	Wages of Foreign and Native Employees in Germany: New Light on an Old Issue	
11:00-11:30	Refreshment Break – Booker Suite Foyer (ground floor) & Academy Foyer (first floor)	
11:30-12:10	Plenary Session [3] Chair: John Bachtler, University of Strathclyde, UK (TBC)  Speaker: <b>Marc Lemaître</b> , European Commission, Belgium “EU Budget Post 2020”	Room: <b>BOOKER SUITE</b>
12:10-13:10	Lunch – Junction Restaurant, ground floor	
13:10-15:10 <b>Parallel Sessions [D]</b>		
Session Title:	New Horizons in UK Urban and Regional Governance	Room: <b>DIPLOMA</b>
Chair:	<b>Simin Davoudi</b> , Global Research Unit, Newcastle University, UK	
<b>Danny MacKinnon</b> , CURDS, Newcastle University, UK	Making Sense of the Norther Powerhouse	
<b>David Clelland</b> & Andrew Cumbers, University of Glasgow, UK	The Uneven Governance of Regional Economic Development in Scotland	
<b>Paul Hayes</b> & David Devins, Leeds Beckett University, UK	Sub National Economic Governance in England through the Lens of Elite Theory. Towards a Conceptual Framework and Research Agenda	
<b>Carina Schneider</b> , University College London, UK Clémentine Cottineau, CNRS, France	From Decentralisation to Divergence? A Review of the Economic Strategies of Six English City Regions	
<b>Gill Bentley</b> , University of Birmingham, UK John Shutt, Northumbria University, UK	Power up or Power Down? The Role of LEOs in Delivering Governance of Sub-national Economic Development and Policy in the UK in a Post Brexit World	
<b>David Beel</b> & Martin Jones, Staffordshire University, UK Ian Rees Jones, Cardiff University, UK	Elite City-deals for Economic Growth? Problematising the Complexities of Devolution, City-region Building and the (Re)Positioning of Civil Society	

13:10-15:10 <b>Parallel Sessions [D]</b>		
Session Title:	Regional Economic Development Futures: Convergences and Divergences	Room: <b>NOBEL</b>
Chair:	<b>Stefano Usai</b> , University of Cagliari, Italy	
<b>Annum Rafique</b> ; Max Munday & Kent Matthews, Cardiff University, UK	Convergence in Cost Efficiency of Dairy Farms in the UK	
<b>Jane Victal Ferreira</b> & Denio Munia Benfatti, Pontifícia Universidade Católica de Campinas, Brazil	Universities, Technology Hub and Nodal Point of Metropolitan Flows in Campinas, SP, Brazil	
<b>Pei Sze Chow</b> , Aarhus University, Denmark	Sustaining a Regional Screen Ecosystem in a Small Nation: Aarhus and the West Danish Region	
<b>Ksenia Budaeva</b> , Institute for Public Reform, Russia	Challenges of Regional Strategizing in Russia	
<b>Vladimir Klimanov</b> , Institute for Public Reform, Russia	The Differentiation in Economic Policy on Subnational Level in Russia	
Session Title:	Technological Changes, Innovation and its Implications for Cities and Regions II	Room: <b>GRAMMY</b>
Chair:	<b>Takashi Yamamoto</b> , Takushoku University, Japan	
<b>Christopher McInnes</b> & Esteban Pelayo, European Association of Development Agencies (EURADA), Belgium Elżbieta Książek, Adam Mickiewicz University Foundation, Poland Nathalie Boulanger, DEV'UP Centre-Val de Loire, France	Europe's Innovation Voucher Schemes: What Makes them Successful and for whom?	
<b>Don Webber</b> , Swansea University, UK	Does Productivity Vary with Accessibility? A Firm-level Analysis	
<b>Adelheid Holl</b> , CCHS, Spain	Innovation in Spain: Fewer Innovating Firms and More Geographically Concentrated	
<b>Jamal Khan</b> ; Huang Yongming, Xu Fan, Wuhan University, China Umair Shad, Hazara University, Pakistan	Agglomeration Economies and Spatial Equality in China	
<b>Takashi Yamamoto</b> , Takushoku University, Japan	Business-friendly Ecosystem as an Element of Economically Resilient Cities	
<b>Kira Gartzou Katsouyanni</b> , London School of Economics, UK	Cooperation against the Odds: Developing Trust in the Greek Agri-food and Tourism Sectors	

13:10-15:10 <b>Parallel Sessions [D]</b>		
Session Title:	<b>New Horizons, Old Problems: Costs, Cuts and Exclusions</b>	Room: <b>PALM DO'R</b>
Chair:	<b>Robert Compton, SUNY Oneonta, USA</b>	
<b>Neil Lee</b> , London School of Economics, UK	The Psychological Cost of Local Economic Decline: Evidence from NHS Antidepressant Prescriptions	
<b>Carlos Ferreira</b> ; Jennifer Ferreira; Kevin Broughton; Stewart MacNeill & Kate Broadhurst, Centre for Business in Society (CBiS), UK	Human and Social Capital in Local Economic Development	
<b>Marianne Sensier</b> & Fiona Devine, University of Manchester, UK	The Implementation of Local Industrial Strategies in Greater Manchester and Preston	
<b>Mia Gray</b> & Anna Barford, University of Cambridge, UK	The Depths of the Cuts: The Uneven Geography of Local Government Austerity	
<b>Gintare Pociute-Sereikiene</b> & Viktorija Baranauskienė, Lithuanian Social Research Centre, Lithuania	Evaluating Spatial Exclusion in Lithuania: Where, why and how Deep is it?	
<b>Annie Tubadji</b> , University of the West of England, UK	Lillies of Bristol: Welfare Costs for being a Great Woman	
Session Title:	<b>Determining Regional Futures: Place, Politics and Strategy</b>	Room: <b>CATEY</b>
Chair:	<b>Bianca Radu, Babes Bolyai University, Romania</b>	
<b>Xabier Gainza</b> , University of the Basque Country, Spain Felipe Livert, Alberto Hurtado university, Chile	The Electoral Bias: Distributive Politics and Local Development in Brazil, Mexico, Chile and Colombia	
<b>Klaudia Nowicka</b> & Katarzyna Barańczuk, University of Gdańsk, Poland	Planned Touristification: Waterfront Areas Development in the City of Gdańsk	
<b>Salla Jokela</b> , University of Helsinki, Finland	"Actions not Word": Helsinki's City Brand as a Tool of Urban Transformation	
<b>Aoki Masakazu</b> , Bunkyo University, Japan	Is a Collaborative Strategy among Municipalities in Japan Truly Strategic?: A Case Study of Collaborative Core City-Region (CCCR)	
<b>Andrea Hübner</b> , Budapest Business School, Hungary	Places Specialized and Spatialized	

13:10-15:10		Parallel Sessions [D]	
Session Title:	New Horizons in Planning	Room:	ACORN
Chair:	Sarah Ayres, University of Bristol, UK		
<b>Vlad Mykhnenko</b> , University of Oxford, UK	Stress-testing State Rescaling as a Theory for Understanding Urban and Regional Change and Development		
Manuel Wolff, Helmholtz-Centre for Environmental Research – UfZ, Germany			
<b>Alan Townsend</b> , University of Durham, UK	England's Main (Sub-) Regional Planning: The Patchy Inheritance of Local Industrial Strategies		
Lee Pugalís, University of Technology, Australia			
Nick Gray & Ania Ankowska, Northumbria University, UK			
<b>Kaj Zimmerbauer</b> & Anssi Paasi, University of Oulu, Finland	Hard Work with Soft Spaces: Problematizing the Transforming Planning Spaces		
<b>Cristina Cavaco</b> & João Pedro Costa, CIAUD, University of Lisbon, Portugal	Administrative Organisation and Spatial Planning in Portugal: A Push towards Soft Planning Spaces in Europe		
<b>João Pedro Costa</b> & Cristina Cavaco, CIAUD, University of Lisbon, Portugal	Regional Design: A Tool to Address the Tensions between the EU-led Soft Planning and the Statutory Spatial Planning? The Lisbon Metropolitan Area Case		
<b>Lauren Andres</b> ; Phil Jones & Lorena Melgaço, University of Birmingham, UK	Idealism and Resistance in Spatial Planning: Questioning the New Horizons of Planning Education		
Stuart Denoon-Stevens, University of the Free State, South Africa			
Session Title:	RSA Policy Expo: HEIs in Regional Development	Room:	BOOKER
Chair:	Mark Tewdwr-Jones, Newcastle University, UK		
Mark Tewdwr-Jones & Louise Kempton, Newcastle University, UK	This workshop will introduce the expo, its research questions and proposed methodology. It will present initial findings from a review of the academic and policy literature and call for evidence among RSA members. There will then be comments and feedback from an invited panel of experts followed by a plenary discussion where attendees will be invited to give their reactions, insights and advice to help shape the expo going forwards.		
Paul Vallance, University of Sheffield, UK			
Maria Conceição Rego, Evora University, Portugal			
Lucir Reinaldo Alves, Western Parana State University, Brazil			
Mauricio Aguiar Serra, University of Campinas, Brazil			

13:10-15:10		<b>Parallel Sessions [D]</b>	
Session Title:	Suburban Futures	Room: <b>TURNER</b>	
Chair:	<b>Jan Polívka</b> , ILS - Research Institute for Regional and Urban Development, Germany		
<b>Andrea Berndgen-Kaiser</b> , ILS – Research Institute for Regional and Urban Development, Germany	Housing Stock Maintenance and Building Land Designation – Results of a Quantitative and Qualitative Surveys of German Municipalities		
<b>Clemens Deilmann</b> , Leibniz Institute for Ecological Urban and Regional Development, Germany Homes-uP Team, IRS ISOE ZEW ifo, Germany	The Future of Single-family House in Peripheral Suburban Areas – Scenario-process in a Interdisciplinary Research Project		
<b>Jesper Ole Jensen</b> , Danish Building Research Institute, Aalborg University, Denmark	Strategic Approaches to Vacant Houses in Denmark		
<b>Bernadette Hanlon</b> , Ohio State University, USA	The Uneven Geography of Foreclosure and Housing Market Recovery in the Cleveland Suburbs		
<b>Andriana Mihaela Soaita</b> , University of Glasgow, UK Caroline Dewilde, Tilburg University, The Netherlands	The Diverse Economies of Housing: Patterns of Inequality in Romanian Suburbia		
<b>Donatas Burneika</b> , & Rūta Ubarevičienė, Lithuanian Social Research Centre, Lithuania	Spatial Differences of Economic Wellbeing in Lithuania. Are Peripheral Regions always Losers?		
15:10-15:30	Refreshment Break – Booker Suite Foyer (ground floor) & Academy Foyer (first floor)		
15:30-16:15	Closing Plenary [4] Chair: Elvira Uyarra, Manchester Business School, UK		Room: <b>BOOKER SUITE</b>
	Speaker: <b>Diane Coyle</b> , University of Cambridge, UK “Industrial Policy in the UK’s North-South Divide”		