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VI CONFERENCE

16th-17th OCTOBER 2015

AMSTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS

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SYSTEMIC ACTIONS IN COMPLEX SCENARIOS:

Converging interactions among public policies, business strategies and academic research

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To be a conscientious agent in contemporary scenarios involves the awareness of the complex systemic context and the non-linear interactions in which our attempts to build a better world integrate. To be aware of this complexity should prevent the naivety of not considering risks and contingency and is a first step to the development of successful strategic actions.

This conference challenges worldwide scholars, professionals, policy makers and businessmen sharing a systemic vision to, directly or indirectly, answer this question:

How a systemic vision can be a strategic and applied resource to develop more and more powerful links among Government Policymaking, Academic Research and Investment /Business Strategies?

That is why the call is open to different kinds of systemic proposals:

- a) theoretical academic research papers
- b) applied academic research papers
- c) investment plans
- d) policy models
- e) consulting strategies
- f) business plans
- g) consulting work packages

The purpose of this conference is to reach a multitasking and multidimensional audience composed from academics, professionals, managers, entrepreneurs, investors to facilitate the match finding among strategic research, policy modelling institutional demand and investment/business ideas and plans.

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

Individuals may submit abstract as the first author.

Abstracts must not exceed a maximum of 250 words.

Provide your full name, degree, institution, address, telephone number, and email address.

DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACT: April 30th

PANEL SESSION

It is possible to submit panel proposals: The Organizer submits the panel proposal, he/she enters all information about the panel including the abstract of the concept (minimum 400 words), the name of the panel chair and a possible listing of all panel participants.

DEADLINE FOR PANEL PROPOSAL: May 15th

Panel speakers are limited to 15/20 minutes for their presentations and 5 minutes for a roundtable debate of their presentations with the chairperson and the audience.

The official language of the conference is English.

Conference Registration Fees - in euro - for the speakers

WCSA Member Senior	LP 200 VP 100	
WCSA Member Junior	LP 170 VP 80	
Not WCSA Member	LP 500 VP 300	
Not WCSA members belonging to Santa Fe Associates International		LP 250 VP 150

In case of virtual presentation, beyond the abstract and/or full paper, presenters must submit a 10-minute audio/video speech by July 31, 2015.

Submitters and spectators must join WCSA before September 15, 2015 if they wish to pay the WCSA member conference fee.

For people who want to attend the conference in Amsterdam, as spectators the registration fees, in euros, are:

WCSA Member Senior 150
WCSA Member Junior 75
Not WCSA Member Senior 200
Not WCSA Member Junior 170

Abstract must be sent by email to wcsaconferences@gmail.com, and the subject of the email must be: **WCSA 2015**

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