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## CALL FOR PAPERS

### 11<sup>th</sup> annual TEPP Conference

#### «*TERRITORIES, SPACES AND PUBLIC POLICIES*»

25 & 26 September 2014 - Nantes (France)

The 11<sup>th</sup> annual Conference of the TEPP - CNRS institute<sup>1</sup> is organized by the Nantes-Atlantique's Laboratory of Economics and Management. It will be held at the University of Nantes, on 25-26 September 2014, on the topic: "**Territories, Spaces and Public Policies**".

The conference aims to provide knowledge about the interactions between Territories, Spaces and Public Policy, featuring contributions of researchers from different fields (economics, sociology, management, geography, law, ergonomics etc.). All submissions, whether theoretical, empirical, or original in terms of the method employed, are welcome.

The Scientific Committee will make a selection of the best contributions for papers in economics and management. The selected papers will lead to publication in the following review

- "*Spatial Economic Analysis*"<sup>2</sup>
- Or
- "*Management & Avenir*"<sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Labor Studies and Public Policies CNRS' Institute (TEPP Institute, FR n°3435 CNRS) <http://www.tepp.eu/>

<sup>2</sup> <http://www.regionalstudies.org/publications/publication/spatial-economic-analysis>

<sup>3</sup> <http://www.managementetavenir.net/>

More specifically, this Conference will focus on the two following themes:

- 1) **Public action and planning/territorial organization:** We welcome submissions on public actions that promote regional economic development and focus on the spatial organization of people and activities.

This theme concerns issues related to employment, housing, collective amenities and public transport, communications or innovation and competitiveness. It also covers issues related to public decisions and policy initiatives on organizations and their practices. This theme is based on a broad sense of the territory term. The thematic declensions are multiple:

- a. Transport or communication infrastructures
- b. Public policies and innovation territories
- c. Local social policies
- d. Territorial public policies and entrepreneurial dynamics
- e. Local governance and employment
- f. Regional policies
- g. Territory and urban logistics
- h. Territory and history
- i. Governance and business pathways
- j. Space and gender
- k. Territory and power
- l. Territory and public management
- m. Territory, project and risk

- 2) **Public action towards territories and sustainable development:** planning and sustainable development of territories are today the main concerns of public policies. Planning choices seek increasingly to incorporate principles of balance, economic and respect for the environment. Thus, in this framework, contributions can be chosen from the following topics:

- a. Territorial policies and rural dynamics
- b. Mechanisms of regional and urban development
- c. Territorial protection and preservation of the environment
- d. Public policies on environment and territorial development
- e. Tourism, evaluation and spatial planning
- f. Environmental and social responsibilities of firms
- g. Environmental risk management and evaluation
- h. Territories and energy performance



## Instructions for paper submission

Full papers (draft) or extended abstracts will be considered by the scientific committee. In the case of an extended abstract, please consider the following guidelines:

The abstract, 3-4 pages maximum, must include the following elements:

- The research question and the originality of the contribution
- The method(s) used
- The data mobilized or the area of study
- The first results or expected results
- A short bibliography (5 to 10 references)

The guidelines proposed in this call for papers are not limitative. The Scientific Committee also welcomes any submission that may be related to the broad scope of the thematic.

Contributions should be submitted in PDF format to the following address:

[tepp2014@univ-nantes.fr](mailto:tepp2014@univ-nantes.fr)

The first page must contain the following informations:

- Title
- Author(s)
- Abstract
- Field and Keywords
- Contact informations of the corresponding author (Name, address, e-mail address)

## Important dates

Deadline for paper submissions: **May 21, 2014.**

Notification of decisions on acceptance or rejection: **June 21, 2014.**

Registration deadline: **July 15, 2014.**

Deadline for full paper submission of accepted contributions (in PDF format): **September, 1<sup>st</sup> 2014.**

For registration and further information regarding the 11th Annual Conference TEPP please refer to the following website:

<http://www.univ-nantes.fr/lemna/colloque-tepp>

The information will be regularly updated.

The TEPP Organization Committee 2014