

# **Call for Papers**

The 19<sup>th</sup> International Workshop on Spatial Econometrics and Statistics is organized by the University of Nantes on May 31th and June 1st, 2021. This edition follows previous workshops held annually in France since 2001 (Avignon, Besançon, Dijon, Grenoble, Orléans, Paris, Strasbourg, Toulon and Toulouse).

The aim of this international workshop is to promote and develop scientific exchanges between economists, econometricians, statisticians, geographers and mathematicians on spatial econometrics and statistics and their applications in various fields of research. This workshop also aims to discuss the state-of-the-art and future challenges as well as opportunities in the fields of spatial econometrics and statistics and encourage exchanges between senior and junior researchers involved in spatial statistics and econometrics.

All submissions in the fields of spatial statistics, spatial data science and spatial econometrics are welcome (methodology, applications etc.). Theoretical and applied studies with methodological advances in spatial econometrics and statistics can be submitted. We especially encourage submission by junior researchers. For this 19<sup>th</sup> edition, we also encourage submissions on issues related to social networks and their applications in economics or their links with spatial econometrics and statistics.

Important notice: The workshop will be an online format this year.

# **Keynote speakers:**

- <u>Fernando A. López Hernández</u>, Professor of statistic, Universidad Politecnica de Cartagena (Spain).
- Francesca Rossi, Associate Professor of economics, Università degli Studi di Verona (Italia).
- Yves Zenou, Professor of economics, Monash University (Australia).







## **Cem Ertur Prize:**

As in previous years, a special session dedicated to the Cem Ertur prize will be organized, where selected applicants will present their contributions. They will benefit from an extended time for presentation and a thorough discussion by a senior researcher. The selection of the papers to be presented is made by a committee composed of the organizers of previous editions of the workshop. This committee will rank contributions based on referee reports and their own reading of the papers. Finally, the prizewinner will be announced during the workshop (more information on how to participate on the website).

# Special issue:

A special issue of the *Journal of Spatial Econometrics* will be associated to this 19<sup>th</sup> edition. A selection of papers will be made by the Scientific Committee of the workshop. With the agreement of the author(s), this selection of papers may be proposed for publication in the journal. The usual refereeing process will be implemented.

#### **Submissions:**

Completed papers or long abstracts (at least 6 pages) should be submitted electronically in .pdf format on the submission page of the conference.

Submission deadline: March 15th, 2021.

Notification of acceptance of papers: April 5th, 2021.

Registration will be closed by: May 5th, 2021

### **Local organizing committee:**

Lionel Richefort, Florent Sari and Muriel Travers.

#### Administrative committee:

Melissandre Couffin and Laetitia Perrin

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