CALL FOR PAPERS

4th Conference of the International Association for Tourism Economics

1st-4th July 2013
University of Ljubljana, Slovenia

Key Dates

Confirmation of abstract acceptance: 22nd January, 2013
Optional submission of full paper for double blind review: 22nd January, 2013
Confirmation of paper acceptance: 15th March, 2013
Final re-submission for conference proceedings: 26th April, 2013
Early bird registration by: 3rd May 2013
The Fourth Conference of the International Association for Tourism Economics (IATE) is an opportunity for researchers, scholars and practitioners to come together and exchange ideas for discussing key developments in the field of tourism economics.

Papers that address applied issues on the field of tourism economics using rigorous techniques of analysis, as well as papers that make methodological or theoretical contributions in this area, are welcome. The process of selection will be based on scientific quality and relevance for economic and management policy. In particular, papers related to the following fields are particularly welcome:

- Tourism economic modelling
- Tourism competitiveness
- Tourism and the environment (including climate change)
- Economic analysis of tourism demand
- Evaluation of the tourism potential of environmental and cultural resources
- Tourism, economic growth and development
- Innovation in tourism
- The economic impacts of tourism
- Tourism, labour markets and human capital
- Tourism policy evaluation
- Tourism taxation
- Economic analysis of tourism supply
- Transport and tourism
- The economics of mega-events
- Foreign direct investment in tourism

**Submission and Paper Selection**

Researchers can select one of the following two options.

1. Submit an abstract of between 300 and 1,000 words no later than **7th January, 2013**. Abstracts will be double blind reviewed by the scientific committee and authors notified of acceptance no later than **22nd January, 2013**. Early submission of abstracts is encouraged in order to expedite the review process for those needing advanced notification of the status of their submission. Researchers who have had their abstract accepted need not submit a full paper if they prefer not to do so.

2. Submit a full paper for double blind review, no later than **22nd January, 2013**. Full papers will be double blind reviewed by the scientific committee and authors notified of acceptance no later than **15th March, 2013**. Those who submit a full paper will be invited to make any necessary revisions and re-submit by **26th April, 2013**, at latest. All re-submitted papers will be published in the electronic conference proceedings with an ISBN and distributed to delegates at the conference.

All abstracts and papers must be submitted electronically to Dr. Mondher Sahli at the email address of IATE secretariat: iate-secretariat@tourism-economics.net Further information on paper submission will be available on the IATE website www.tourism-economics.net
Selected papers will, with the author(s) permission, be included, subject to review by the journal, in a special edition of the international peer-reviewed journal *Tourism Economics*. All papers should be submitted using the format requirements in the Author Guidelines section of *Tourism Economics* website at: [http://www.ippublishing.com/te.htm](http://www.ippublishing.com/te.htm)

**The International Association for Tourism Economics**

During the conference, IATE’s General Assembly will meet to discuss issues concerning the Association and to vote for the Executive Committee that will lead IATE from 2013-2015.

**Conference Registration Fees**

Standard fee euros 300 (before 3rd May 2013), euros 350 (after 4th May 2013)
Student fee euros 150 (before 3rd May 2013), euros 200 (after 4th May 2013)
Daily rate euros 100 (before 3rd May 2013), euros 120 (after 4th May 2013)

All fees are in euros. The standard and student registration fee includes membership of the IATE as well as conference registration, welcome reception, conference dinner and all catering during the conference.

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