



# CALL FOR PAPERS

## **Social Innovations: Theoretical and Practical Insights**

October 23-24, 2014 Ateities str. 20, LT-08303 Vilnius, Lithuania

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Social innovations social. are processes where public policy and economy is developed by the creation of new ideas, products, services, and business models for a strong and sustained development. The social innovations concept envolves several spheres of knowledge, from Justice and human rights aspects to social technologies, sustainable development in a global changing environment, life quality and values. This multidisciplinary approach allow to integrate several spheres of knowledge and link social, economical and environment, and create basis for a common understand among the different disciplines. The discussion of the different disciplines in a common ground is fundamental for a wide understanding of the problems that affects the society in a local, regional and global context, facilitating the creation and implementation of ideas and solutions towards sustainability.

**Social Innovations: Theoretical and Practical Insights (SOCIN)** is an annual international conference organized at Mykolas Romeris University, Lithuania. SOCIN aims to discuss theoretical concept and practical implications of social innovations for positive societal change, improvement and development in a changing world.

#### Sessions:

Session A: Justice, Security and Human Rights

Session B: Social Technologies

Session C: Sustainable Development in a Global Contexts

Session D: Improving Life Quality and Enhancing Employment Possibilities

Session E: Continuation and Change of Values in Global Society

### **Deadlines and milestones:**

Abstract submission and registration (via the	September 10, 2014
conference webpage)	
Notification of abstract acceptance	September 15, 2014
Deadline for final registration and submission of	October 10, 2014
full papers	

### Publication of abstracts and articles:

The accepted abstracts will be published in the abstract book e. proceedings Social Innovations: Theoretical and Practical Insights before the conference.

The articles will be reviewed by the Scientific Committee members. The criteria for paper acceptance are the following: topical relevance, originality and quality. The accepted papers will be published in the annual online peer-reviewed research journal Social Innovations for Global Growth (ISSN 2335-2450).

Other selected contributions will be recommended to be published at the following research journals:

- ✓ <u>Jurisprudence</u>
- ✓ <u>Public Policy and Administration</u>
- ✓ Intellectual Economics
- ✓ <u>Societal Studies</u>
- ✓ <u>Social Work</u>
- ✓ <u>Social Technologies</u>
- Health Policy and Management
- ✓ Business Systems and Economics
- ✓ <u>Contemporary Research on Management and Administration</u>,
- ✓ Journal of Economics & Sociology (E&S)
- ✓ Journal of Central European Green Innovation

#### Language of the conference and publications: English

#### **Conference fee:**

The early registration (before October 10, 2014) – 150 EUR Late registration (after October 10, 2014) – 180 EUR For participants from Eastern Europe and CSI countries (before October 10, 2014) – 100 EUR Doctoral students – 50 EUR Virtual presenters – 50 EUR

Note: The conference fee includes the conference material and catering on the first conference day. Accommodation and travelling costs are not covered by the conference fee.

We look forward to welcoming you at Mykolas Romeris University!

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