Wednesday, September 23

15:30-16:30 Pre-conference-1. Students

Olga Buriakova, Konstantin Gorin, Mikhail Larionov, Elena Sidorova (Higher School of Economics) "Business solvency analysis as a way to minimize credit risk"

Irina Parfenova, Elena Tarunina (Higher School of Economics) "Factors influencing the choice of social entrepreneurial activity depending on the level of economic development"

Nikolay Dobrolyubov, Vladimir Maljaev (Higher School of Economics)
"Revolutionary Bitcoin: Paradigm Shift - From Speculation to Investments"

Marina Konovalova., Andrey Maksimov (Higher School of Economics) "*On sensitivity of industries and companies to the state of economy*"

16:40-17:40 Pre-conference

Daria Chernova, Andrey Maksimov (Higher School of Economics) "Wage elasticity of labour supply in Russia"

Anna Tesnova, Svetlana Lapinova (Higher School of Economics) "The estimation of the parameters mutual influence of volatilities of return assets of the oil companies and the oil futures"

Elena Fedorova, Evgenii Gilenko (Higher School of Economics) "Multivariate BEKK-GARCH-in-mean-t approach: An Application to Spillover effects Analysis in The Precious Metals Markets"

Thursday, September 24

8:30 - 9:15 Registration

9:15 - 9:30 Opening

9:30 - 10:30 Invited lectures

Svetlana Bryzgalova (London School of Economics) "The Consumption Risk of Bonds and Stocks"

Dean Fantazzini (Moscow School of Economics of Moscow State Univ.) "The Oil Price Crash in 2014-2015: Was There a (Negative) Financial Bubble?"

10:30-10:50 Coffee break

10:50-12:10 Session 1. Spatial Econometrics – 1

Olga Demidova, Tatiana Danilenko (Higher School of Economics), Marcello Signorelli (University of Perugia) "Unemployment Clubs in Russian Regions: spatial-econometric approach"

Tim Jaekel (Higher School of Economics) "Risk-taking and innovation in the local public sector: Explaining participation decision in a sector-led performance improvement exercise of Swedish municipalities"

Vera Ivanova (Higher School of Economics) "Grain price convergence among gubernias of the Russian Empire from 1861 to 1915"

Oleg Bordoussov (Al-Farabi Kazakh National University) "Modeling of interregional migration in Kazakhstan"

12:10-12:40 Coffee break

12:40-13:40 Session 2. Risks and Banking

Koen Schoors (Ghent University), Maria Semenova, Andrey Zubanov, (Higher School of Economics) "Market Discipline in Russian Regions: In Local Authorities We Trust"

Edgar Demetrio Tovar-García (Higher School of Economics) "Market discipline through subordinated debt in Mexican banks"

Mikhail Mamonov, Andrei Vernikov (Higher School of Economics) "Bank ownership and cost efficiency in Russia: Stochastic frontier analysis amended"

13:40-15:00 Lunch

15:00-16:00 Session 3. Macroeconomics and Labour Economics

Md. Sharif Hossain, Md. Iqbal Hossain (University of Dhaka), Rajarshi Mitra (Higher School of Economics) "Aid Inflows and Per-Capita Economic Growth: Recent Evidence from Bangladesh"

Andrey Aistov, Anastasiia Rassadovskaia (Higher School of Economics) "Effect of loyalty to corruption on the communication intensity in student networks in Russia"

Alexander Larin, Anastasia Anisimova (Higher School of Economics) "Nonparametric estimates of nominal wage rigidity in Russia"

16:00-16:30 Coffee break

16:30-17:50 **Session 4.Efficiency**

Andrey Maksimov, Olga Saukova (Higher School of Economics) "The Study of the Innovation Activity of Russian Regions on the Basis of the Stochastic Frontier Theory"

Alexander Apokin, Irina Ipatova (CMASF, Higher School of Economics) "The longterm impact of R&D expenditures on technical efficiency and total factor productivity in two panels of countries"

Elena Fedorova, A.Nikolaev ,Bella Korkmazova, A.Tolkachev, F.Fedorov, M.Lazarev (Financial University under the Government of the Russian Federation, HSE, MIREA) "Assessing the effectiveness of FDI based on the spillover effects"

Andrej Srakar (University of Ljubljana) "Revenue Efficiency of Slovenian Public Institutions in the Field of Culture: A Comparison of Estimators"

18:30 Welcome party

Friday, September 25

9:00-10:30 Invited lectures

Mikhail Zitlukhin (Steklov Mathematical Institute) "Monotone measures of investment performance"

Svetlana Makarova (University College London) "Footprints of economic policy in a univariate dynamic model"

Walter Distaso (Imperial College London) "Realized Co-Skewness"

10:30-10:50 Coffee break

10:50-12:10 Session 5.

Levon Kazarian, Gregory Kantorovich (HSE) "Taking into account the rate of convergence in CLT under Risk evaluation on financial markets"

Elena Fedorova (Higher School of Economics), Dmitriy Afanasyev (Financial University under the Government of Russian Federation) "The long-term trends on Russian electricity market: comparison of empirical mode and wavelet decompositions"

Andrey Maksimov, Zeryukaeva Darya (Higher School of Economics) "Forecasting of the electricity price on the day-ahead electricity market in Russia"

Vladimir Balash, S. Sidorov, A. Faizliev, E. Korobov (Saratov State University) "Long-term correlation detection for news flow intensity"

12:10-12:40 Coffee break

12:40-14:00 Session 6.

Kirill Furmanov, Ekaterina Rumyantseva (Higher School of Economics) "Building up forecasting model for mortgage survival: methodological aspects"

Evgenii Gilenko (St. Petersburg State University), Elena Mironova (University of Amsterdam) "Modern Claim Frequency and Claim Severity Models: An Application to the Russian Motor Own Damage Insurance Market"

Elena Kopnova (Higher School of Economics) "Statistical analysis of social and environmental risks of international trade in virtual water"

Andrey Aistov (Higher School of Economics), Ekaterina Aleksandrova (HSE and Graduate School of Management SPbSU) "Time Distributed Difference-in-Differences Estimates of Return to Training"

14:00-15:30 Lunch

15:30 City tour

Saturday, September 26

9:00-10:30 Invited lectures

Shakeeb Khan (Duke University) "Informational Content of Factor Structures in Simultaneous Discrete Response Models"

Alexander Tsyplakov (Novosibirsk State University) "Quasi Itering for time-series modeling"

Rustam Ibragimov (Imperial College Business School), Jingyuan Mo (Stanford University), Artem Prokhorov (University of Sydney & CIREQ) "Fat tails and copulas: limits of diversi?cation revisited?"

10:30-10:50 Coffee break

10:50-12:10 Session 7. Spatial Econometrics - 2

Olga Balash (Saratov State University) "Spatial modeling of population growth rate of Russian cities"

Olga Demidova, Elena Semerikova (Higher School of Economics)
"Misspecification Issues of Spatial Econometric Models: Application to Regional Unemployment in Russia and Germany"

Evgeniya Polyakova, Larisa Smirnykh (Higher School of Economics) "The impact of sectoral segregation on earning differential between natives and immigrants in Russia"

Alexander Larin, Anna Novak, Irina Khvostova (Higher School of Economics) "Euler equation under Epstein-Zin preferences and liqudity constraints"

12:10-12:40 Coffee break

12:40-14:00 Session 8. Macroeconomics

Alexander Apokin, Irina Ipatova (CMASF, Higher School of Economics) "Structural Breaks in Potential GDP of Four Major Economies: just impaired credit or the «New Normal»?"

Boris Demeshev, Oxana Malakhovskaya (Higher School of Economics)
"Macroeconomic forecasting with the BVAR: an application on Russian data"

Yaroslav Murashov, Tatiana Ratnikova (Higher School of Economics) "Estimation of the size of informal economy in Russian Federation based on the household budget survey data"

Anna Pestova (Center for Macroeconomic Analysis and Short-Term Forecasting), Mikhail Mamonov (CMASF, Higher School of Economics) "On the Effects of Monetary Policy Shocks in Russia: Structural Bayesian VAR Approach"

14:00-15:30 Lunch

16:00 Departure