



University  
of Economics  
in Katowice

**Department of Business Logistics**  
invites to II scientific conference  
with the participation of foreign guests

# Building the Supply Chains of the Future



Katowice, 24—25 September 2018

## **Aim and location of the conference**

The second edition of the conference is dedicated to the problems of supply chain development in uncertainties, risks and threats of destabilization of the geopolitical situation, which are still present and current. The conference will also focus on the vision of supply chain development and the possibility of combining different concepts to shape logistics in the future. A very important element of these visions is corporate social responsibility related to the acquisition and development of employees with specific competences and protection of natural resources. Important issues discussed during the conference will also include logistics services and modern IT solutions supporting supply chains and logistics; the role of small and medium-sized enterprises in the supply chain, as well. The conference will take place at Modern Information Technology Centre of the University of Economics in Katowice (5 Bogucicka Street).

## **The scope of conference**

1. Risks, uncertainties and opportunities in the functioning and development of supply chains in the future
2. Logistics under conditions of economic uncertainty
3. Building and developing competences of logisticians
4. Vision for development of supply chains and Logistics
5. The role of small and medium-sized enterprises in the supply chain – vision of the future
6. Directions for the development of urban Logistics
7. Logistics and supply chains in non-standard future applications
8. Economic and social trends and their impact on supply chain management
9. Socially responsible supply chains
10. Logistics services and their future development
11. Virtual supply chains
12. Technical and IT solutions supporting logistics processes and supply chains of the future

## **Conference Programme Board**

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## Deadlines

- **do Until 4 April 2018**  
sending the abstract in accordance with the format published on the website (e-mail: [scf@uekat.pl](mailto:scf@uekat.pl))
- **20 April 2018**  
confirmation of acceptance of the paper subject
- **Until 25 May 2018**  
sending the full version of the paper in accordance with the format published on the website (e-mail: [scf@uekat.pl](mailto:scf@uekat.pl))
- **12 June 2018**  
confirmation of the paper format to be included in the Proceedings in electronic form
- **The conference schedule will be circulated at the end of June**

## Poster Session

- **Until 25 czerwca 2018**  
Author will be informed in what form will be held the presentation (traditional presentation or poster)
- Guidelines for the format of the poster will be sent at a later date

## Conference fee

Payment amount and dates:

Until do 30.04.2016 – 240 EUR

Until do 31.05.2016 – 290 EUR

Until do 30.06.2016 – 325 EUR

## The fee includes

- Participation in the conference
- Conference materials and papers (Book of Abstracts + Proceedings on CD)
- Coffee breaks
- Lunch
- Gala dinner

## The fee also includes the participation in the Practical Workshops for a Computer-Aided Simulation of Supply Chain Management.

On 23 September 2018, we offer an attractive visit to the Silesian Museum in Katowice (great location in the Centre). All attendees willing to participate in the tour are asked to notify it in the conference form on the website ([scf.ue.katowice.pl](http://scf.ue.katowice.pl)).

In order to have the papers included in the Proceedings, at least one of the authors of the paper should pay the conference fee and participate in the Conference. **The fee does not include the costs of accommodation and transport.**

## Applications and registration of participants

Applications and registration should be done online. The link to the registration form (declaration of participation) is available on the conference website: [scf.ue.katowice.pl](http://scf.ue.katowice.pl)

Conference language: Polish and English

## Publication

After the Conference, the participants will have the opportunity to submit full versions of their papers for publication (if they meet the requirements of a scientific publication and receive positive peer reviews) in the following journals:

- [Journal of Economics and Management \(in English\)](#) 12 points,
- [Zeszyty Naukowe Uniwersytetu Ekonomicznego \(in Polish\)](#) 10 points.

The full versions of papers in Polish (12 pages) can also be submitted for publication in the postconference proceedings of University of Economics Publishing House.

The information about publication format is available on the website of University of Economics Publishing House:

[www.ue.katowice.pl/jednostki/wydawnictwo/czasopisma-naukowe](http://www.ue.katowice.pl/jednostki/wydawnictwo/czasopisma-naukowe)

Detailed information will be provided in further announcements.

## Bank account

The fees should be paid to the bank account with a note „Supply Chains of the Future 2018 – participant name and surname”

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