

# INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON APPLIED ECONOMICS AND FINANCE (ICOAEF-XVI) PROGRAM

VENUE: [Black Sea Trade and Development Bank Thessaloniki/GREECE](#)

<b><u>9<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2026-TUESDAY</u></b>	
<b>09:00 - 10:00 Greece (GMT+3)</b>	<b>Conference Frontdesk - Registration</b>
<b>10:00-12:00</b>	<b>SESSIONS-I</b>
<b>12:30 - 13:15 Greece (GMT+3)</b>	<b>Opening Ceremony and Speeches (<a href="#">CLICK FOR GOOGLE MEET LINK</a>)</b> <b>→ Evangelos ARVANITIS – Directorate of Investment Promotion, Enterprise – Greece</b> <b>→ Beyond Traditional Uncertainty: Country-Level ESG Risk as a Predictor of Gold Volatility—Assoc. Prof. Onur POLAT—Hacettepe University/Türkiye</b>
<b>13:15-14:00</b>	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
<b>14:00-17:30</b>	<b>SESSIONS-II</b>
<b><u>Welcome Speeches:</u></b> <b>Prof. Hasan Murat ERTUĞRUL (Anadolu University-Türkiye)</b> <b>Prof. Dimitrios KOUSENIDIS (Aristotle University-Greece)</b> <b>Prof. Nikolas HOURVOULIADES (Anatolia American University-Greece)</b> <b>Dr. Serhat KÖKSAL (President-BSTDB-Greece)</b>	

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>AI and Digital Transformation</b> <b>CHAIR: Assoc. Prof. Naqeeb Ur Rehman - Assoc. Prof. Onur POLAT</b></p> <p>✓ <b>AI UNCERTAINTY AND GLOBAL STOCK MARKET VOLATILITY ANY SIGNALS OF A DOT COM 2.0?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Brahim Gaies — ICN Business School, France</li> </ul> <p>✓ <b>ARE TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATIONS ENVIRONMENT-FRIENDLY? EVIDENCE FROM CENTRAL ASIA</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ NAQEEB UR REHMAN — King Fahd University of Petroleum &amp; Minerals, Saudi Arabia</li> </ul> <p>✓ <b>IS GREEN TRANSITION PREDICTIVE A MACHINE LEARNING EVALUATION OF CARBON PRICE SPILLOVERS ON EUROPEAN EQUITY SECTORS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Onur Polat — Hacettepe University, Türkiye</li> </ul> <p>✓ <b>AI-BASED DECISION SUPPORT SYSTEMS: LEADERSHIP STYLE, EFFECTIVENESS, AND ETHICAL DIMENSIONS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tamerlan AKBAROV — Odlar Yurdu University., Türkiye</li> <li>○ Yavuz Tansoy YILDIRIM — Bandırma Onyedi Eylül University., Türkiye</li> <li>○ Sertaç ERCAN — Bandırma Onyedi Eylül University., Türkiye</li> <li>○ Yasin Nuri ÇAKIR — Bandırma Onyedi Eylül University, Türkiye</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Financial Markets &amp; Banking</b> <b>CHAIR: Prof. Iordanis Petsas</b></p> <p>✓ <b>INVESTIGATING DIFFERENTIAL STOCK MARKET REACTIONS TO TARIFF ANNOUNCEMENTS. EVIDENCE FROM THE US, EUROPEAN AND JAPANESE MARKETS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Dimitrios Zerzis — American College of Thessaloniki Graduate, Greece</li> <li>○ Ioannis Krassas — Anatolia American University, Greece</li> </ul> <p>✓ <b>PRIVATE INFORMATION AND TRADING HOURS: THE NATURAL EXPERIMENT FROM HONG KONG</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Iordanis Petsas — University of Scranton, United States</li> </ul> <p>✓ <b>BONUS ISSUE ANOMALY: SHORT AND LONG TERM PRICE EFFECTS IN BORSA ISTANBUL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Devran Deniz -- Bandırma Onyedi Eylül Unv., Türkiye</li> <li>○ Fatih AYHAN -- Bandırma Onyedi Eylül Unv., Türkiye</li> </ul>
<p><b>10:00-11:00</b> Greece (GMT+3)</p>	

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	<b>Governance, Tax &amp; Institutional Efficiency</b>		<b>Sustainability &amp; Green Economy</b>
	<b>CHAIR: Assoc. Prof. Merve Hamzaoğlu.</b>		<b>CHAIR: Assoc. Prof. András Bethlendi</b>
<b>11:15-12:15</b> <b>Greece</b> <b>(GMT+3)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>BEYOND INTEGRATION: EVALUATING FINANCIAL DEEPENING AND GROWTH EFFECTS OF FDI INFLOWS INTO THE BRICS+ ECONOMIES.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Kholiswa Malindini — University of South Africa, South Africa</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>ENDOGENOUS BENCHMARKS AND REVENUE DRAG IN REAL ESTATE TRANSFER TAX ENFORCEMENT</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ N. Merve Hamzaoglu — Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>THE IMPACT OF HUMAN CAPITAL ON ECONOMIC GROWTH IN ASIAN COUNTRIES: A CURRENT PANEL DATA ANALYSIS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Meltem INCE YENILMEZ — Izmir Democracy University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Burak DARICI — Bandırma Onyedi Eylül University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Waleck Dalpour — University of Maine at Farmington, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>EVALUATION OF BANKING SECTOR STOCK PERFORMANCE IN BORSA ISTANBUL USING AN ENTROPY-BASED ARAS APPROACH</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Mesut ULU — Bandırma Onyedi Eylül University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Ufuk BINGÖL — Bandırma Onyedi Eylül University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Coşkun KALP — Bandırma Onyedi Eylül University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>FROM FIELDS TO FACTORIES: MALARIA ERADICATION AND STRUCTURAL TRANSFORMATION IN POST-WAR ITALY</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Vitantonio Mariella — University of Southern Denmark, Denmark</li> <li>○ Paolo Buonanno — University of Bergamo, Italy</li> <li>○ Laura Ogliari — University of Bergamo</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>Giampaolo Lecce — University of Bergamo, Italy</b></li> <li>✓ <b>THE ROLE AND APPLICATIONS OF COST ACCOUNTING IN MEASURING COMPANIES' SUSTAINABILITY PERFORMANCE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Cem Niyazi Durmuş — Kadir Has University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Ömer Faruk Görçün — Kadir Has University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Mustafa Çanakçıoğlu — , Istanbul Gelisim University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>DO INSTITUTIONS UNLOCK GREEN ECONOMIC GROWTH? EVIDENCE FROM GREEN INNOVATION, TRADE, AND ENERGY.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Trinh Vu Nguyen — Budapest University of Technology and Economics, Hungary</li> <li>○ András Bethlendi — Budapest University of Technology and Economics, Hungary</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>THE ROOTS OF HOPE: A MICROECONOMETRIC ANALYSIS OF PERSONAL AND ECONOMIC FACTORS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Cemal Öztürk — Iğdır University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

**LUNCH TIME: 13:30-14:30**

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## ONLINE SESSIONS

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<b>11:00-12:00 Greece (GMT+3)</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Finance, Banking &amp; Literacy</b> CHAIR: Assoc.Prof. Hale Kırer SILVALECUNA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>IS THERE A CAUSAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CDS PREMIUMS, EXCHANGE RATE AND INFLATION IN THE TURKISH ECONOMY?</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Suna Korkmaz — Bandırma Onyedi Eylül University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Oya Korkmaz — Tarsus University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>ANALYSIS OF THE BIST LIQUID BANK INDEX USING CAMELS AND MULTI-CRITERIA DECISION-MAKING TECHNIQUES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Çağlar Karamaşa — Anadolu University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Mustafa Orhan Özer — Anadolu University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>FINANCIAL LITERACY AS A MULTIDIMENSIONAL CONSTRUCT: CORE AND DIGITAL DIMENSIONS FOR GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Aristeia Vidra — Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (AUTH), Greece</li> <li>○ Georgios Panos — Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (AUTH), Greece</li> <li>○ Vasiliki Tzora —University of Piraeus,, Greece</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>BEYOND COMMAND AND CONTROL: HOW CLARITY AND FEEDBACK SHAPE OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY-EVIDENCE FROM ALBANIAN MANAGERS.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Marsela ÇENGELI —University of Tirana, Albania</li> <li>○ Mimoza MANXHARI — University of Tirana, Albania</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>International Policy &amp; Governance</b> CHAIR: Assoc.Prof. Özlem ORHAN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>STANDARDIZATION OF COMMUNICATION TERMINOLOGY AMONG TURKIC STATES: A MODEL PROPOSAL FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF PUBLIC DIPLOMACY.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Mehmet Yuce — Bursa Uludağ University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>TRADE INTEGRATION AS A CATALYST FOR GOVERNANCE: PANEL GRANGER CAUSALITY EVIDENCE FROM BRICS+ AND TÜRKİYE (2002-2023).</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Mertcan Erdemir — Anadolu University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Jasin Muhaj — Anadolu University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Hasan Murat Ertuğrul — Anadolu University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>RUSSIA'S FOREIGN POLICY IN CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC: HISTORICAL BACKGROUND AND FUTURE PROSPECTS.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ John Paul NGABIRANO — European University of Lefke, Cyprus</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>GERMAN INDUSTRIAL POLICY UNDER SYSTEMIC COMPETITION: THE RETURN OF THE STRATEGIC STATE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Ana-Cristina Bâlgăr — Institute for World Economy, Romanian Academy, Romania</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>POLITICAL INCLUSIVENESS, INNOVATION SYSTEMS AND DEVELOPMENT PATHWAYS IN EUROPE: THE CAPABILITIES' SQUEEZER FRAMEWORK.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Eirini Drakou — University of Thessaly, Greece</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Environmental Economics</b> CHAIR: Assoc.Prof. Hikmet Gülçin BEKEN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>DETERMINANTS OF CARBON INTENSITY IN TÜRKİYE: ENERGY INTENSITY AND CAPITAL DEEPENING.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Ayşegül UÇKUN ÖZKAN — KTO Karatay University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>CLIMATE RISK AND THE ISTANBUL HOUSING MARKET: AN XGBOOST QUANTILE BASED EMPIRICAL ANALYSIS.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Ebru Çağlayan Akay — Marmara University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Hoşeng Bülbül — Marmara University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Zeynep Şengül — Marmara University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN RENEWABLE ENERGY CONSUMPTION, UNEMPLOYMENT, AND INFLATION IN GREECE.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Mustafa Orhan Özer — Anadolu University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Hasan Murat Ertuğrul — Anadolu University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>ENERGY POLICIES AND ECONOMIC SECURITY IN THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN: CHALLENGES OF REGIONAL COOPERATION IN THE CONTEXT OF CYPRUS.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Büşra Üzehan — Independent Researcher, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>JUST TRANSITION: NAVIGATING SUSTAINABILITY AND INDIGENOUS SELF-DETERMINATION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Gökhan Karahan — University of Alaska Anchorage, United States</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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<b>12:15-13:15 Greece (GMT+3)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>AI ADOPTION AND TRANSPARENCY IN FINANCIAL REPORTING</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Edona Qerimi -- Agricultural University of Tirana, Albania</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>CHINA'S AI COMPANIES FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE – WHAT DOES THE FUTURE HOLD FOR THEM?</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Klemens Katterbauer — Euclid University, Central African Republic</li> <li>○ Sema Yılmaz — Yıldız Technical University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Rahmi Deniz Özbay — Istanbul Ticaret University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Hassan Syed — Euclid University, Central African Republic</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS OF AI REGULATION IN CHINA AND EURASIAN COUNTRIES: IMPLICATIONS FOR TRADE AND ECONOMIC ENGAGEMENT</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Klemens Katterbauer — Euclid University, Central African Republic</li> <li>○ Sema Yılmaz — Yıldız Technical University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Rahmi Deniz Özbay — Istanbul Ticaret University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Hassan Syed — Euclid University, Central African Republic</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>THE DUAL ECONOMIC IMPACT OF MAFIA-TYPE ORGANIZATIONS IN ITALY: EVIDENCE FROM 106 PROVINCES.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Gaetano Perone (University of Pisa, Italy)</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>ENHANCING TECHNICAL ANALYSIS WITH MACHINE LEARNING: EVIDENCE FROM ASEAN STOCK MARKETS.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Wong Chee Yew, University of Malaysia Terengganu, Malaysia</li> <li>○ Safwan Mohd Nor, University of Malaysia Terengganu, Malaysia, Victoria University, Australia</li> <li>○ Mukhriz Izraf Azman Aziz, Universiti Utara Malaysia, Malaysia</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>LEADERSHIP DURING MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Anisa Semaj -- University of Tirana, Albania</li> <li>○ Mimoza Manxhari -- University of Tirana, Albania</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>CORPORATE FINANCING GAP IN ROMANIA: STRUCTURAL CAUSES, ECONOMIC IMPLICATIONS, AND POLICY RESPONSES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Mihnea-Tudor Orjan -- Bucharest University of Economic Studies, Romania</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>WHEN DIVERSITY IS NOT ENOUGH: BOARD STRUCTURE AND ESG PERFORMANCE IN BORSIA ISTANBUL</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ H. Merve Alagöz -- Pension Monitoring Center, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Dedi Kurniawan -- Selcuk University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>EVALUATION OF THE COMPLIANCE OF THE COURT OF ACCOUNTS REFORM IN TÜRKİYE WITH INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Şükrü Mert Karıcı — Manisa Celal Bayar University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>FINANCIAL SECTOR DEVELOPMENT AND SOCIAL WELFARE IN EAST AFRICA: THE MEDIATING ROLE OF INCOME INEQUALITY</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Abdissa Demise Damasa — Jimma University, Ethiopia</li> <li>○ Jayamohan M.K. — Jimma University, Ethiopia</li> <li>○ Wondaferahu Mulugeta Demissie — Ethiopian Civil Service University, Ethiopia</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENTS IN THE FOOD INDUSTRY IN TÜRKİYE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Nazmiye Avcı -- Kocaeli University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Fatma Nur İmamoğlu --Kocaeli University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>THE CAUSAL EFFECT OF EMPLOYMENT ON WOMEN'S BMI IN TÜRKİYE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Didem Pekurnaz -- Başkent University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>EXCHANGE RATE AND STOCK MARKET – A COMPREHENSIVE LITERATURE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Faruk Erokay -- Adana Alparslan Türkeş Science and Technology University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>AN ASSESSMENT OF SOLAR ENERGY INSTALLED CAPACITY IN CHINA FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF REGIONAL TOTAL FACTOR PRODUCTIVITY</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Mustafa Ozcag -- Aydin Adnan Menderes University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Onur Akkaya -- Kilis 7 Aralik University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> <li>✓ <b>BALANCING PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY: THE ROLES OF BIOCAPACITY AND RENEWABLE ENERGY IN G20 ECONOMIES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Billur Cohen -- Loyola University Maryland, United States</li> <li>○ Hale Kirer Silva Lecuna -- Bandirma Onyedi Eylul University, Türkiye</li> <li>○ Hikmet Gülçin Beken -- Gümüşhane University, Türkiye</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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