

PROGRAMME

XXth Jubilee International Scientific-Practical Conference

Economic Growth in the Face of Global Challenges

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October 8-9, 2026



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Day 1 — Thursday, 8 October 2026

Venue: Conference Hall, ASEM Building B (ground floor)
[59 Mitropolit Gavriil Bănulescu-Bodoni Street, Chişinău](#)

Plenary Moderator – Victoria IORDACHI, PhD in economics

Plenary Session I | Join the Zoom meeting

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09:00-09:30	Participants registration
09:30-11:00	WELCOME AND OPENING SPEECHES Angela TIMUŞ, PhD in economics, Associate Professor, Director of the National Institute for Economic Research, Academy of Economic Studies of Moldova Alexandru STRATAN, Habilitated Doctor, University Professor, Academician of ASM, Rector of the Academy of Economic Studies of Moldova <i>Greetings from the conference guests</i> Representative of the Ministry of Education and Research of the Republic of Moldova Representative of the Ministry of Economic Development and Digitalization of the Republic of Moldova Representatives of the academic community
11:00-12:00	PLENARY SESSION I Simona MOAGĂR POLADIAN, Habilitated Doctor, Director, Institute for World Economy, Romanian Academy THE NEW FACES OF GLOBAL ECONOMIC ORDER IN THE CURRENT GLOBAL LANDSCAPE Camelia GAVRILESCU, PhD, Associate Professor, Senior Researcher, Institute of Agricultural Economics - Romanian Academy, Romania Ion CERTAN, PhD, Senior Researcher, University of Agronomic Sciences and Veterinary Medicine of Bucharest, Romania THE AGRI-FOOD SYSTEMS IN ROMANIA AND REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA – 20 YEARS OF EVOLUTION
12:00-12:30	Lunch Break

Presentation time limits in plenary session I – 20 min

Technical support for plenary speakers: Vlada DASCALESCU (Colesnicova), colesnicova.vlada@ase.md

THEMATIC PARALLEL SESSIONS

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12:30 – Parallel Sessions Begin | 14:30–15:00 – Coffee Break

SESSION I AI-SUPPORTED SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH: DIGITALIZATION, BIG DATA AND FORECASTING Join Zoom Meeting: https://us05web.zoom.us/j/83997554233?pwd=lwF1ZXaYabnjfPGquAJqZFYtb1dXdd.1 ID: 839 9755 4233 Passcode: 123	Conference Hall, ASEM Building B (ground floor)
SESSION II ENTREPRENEURSHIP, INNOVATION, COMPETITIVENESS AND ECONOMIC RESILIENCE Join Zoom Meeting: https://us04web.zoom.us/j/75374537621?pwd=f84HM1qs9bCsLa2FhVwnl2pwmtuKhJ.1 Meeting ID: 753 7453 7621 Passcode: 111	Room 202, Block F
SESSION III THE INTERPLAY BETWEEN FINANCE AND THE CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN THE FACE OF GLOBAL CHALLENGES Join Zoom Meeting: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82257459755?pwd=kjZb3b1A7KqcmnpAhL9GMQNXDqAI8d.1 Meeting ID: 822 5745 9755 Passcode: 563028	Room 203, Block F
SESSION IV SUSTAINABLE PATHWAYS FOR MODERN AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT Join Zoom Meeting: https://us05web.zoom.us/j/82322273170?pwd=RG5P1DySiTnm90zZC30QtILxxmIO4z.1 Meeting ID: 823 2227 3170 Passcode: 9btZpY	Room 104, Building B (1st floor)
SESSION V ADAPTING TO POPULATION CHANGE: RESILIENCE, INNOVATION, AND SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION Join by Zoom: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89112919816?pwd=bMQ4Ld2xPfPcuNu2kno6WwGD7JtbDc.1 Meeting ID: 891 1291 9816 Passcode: 200041	Student Hub, Building B (ground floor)
SESSION VI WELL-BEING, INCLUSION AND THE SOCIAL INEQUALITIES REDUCTION Join Zoom Meeting: https://us05web.zoom.us/j/82588271136?pwd=Hi2flmb74ZNTxo20yWSwehgC5fUXdb.1 Meeting ID: 825 8827 1136 Passcode: S6NIER	Room 414, Building B (4th floor)

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Plenary Moderator – Dumitru STRATAN, PhD in economics

Plenary Session II | Join in Zoom Meeting

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09:30-10:00	<i>Participants registration</i>
10:00-12:00	PLENARY SESSION II Alexandru MONAHOV, PhD in economics, National Bank of Moldova WHEN ONE CRISIS FOLLOWS ANOTHER: DO FUNDAMENTALS STILL MATTER IN COMMODITY PRICING? Olga GAGAUZ, Habilitated Doctor, Associate Professor, Head of the Centre for Demographic Research, National Institute for Economic Research, Academy of Economic Studies of Moldova THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF AN AGEING POPULATION Emilia GOGU (LUCA), PhD, Associate Professor, Bucharest University of Economic Studies INTERNATIONAL MIGRATION IN ROMANIA AND THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA: TRENDS AND SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTIONS OF THE DIASPORA IN THE EUROPEAN UNION Alexander DAVCHEV, PhD, Professor, University of Agribusiness and Rural Development, Plovdiv, Bulgaria OPPORTUNITIES FOR EXPANDING THE USE OF GEOTHERMAL ENERGY IN GREENHOUSE PRODUCTION IN BULGARIA
12:00-13:00	<i>Break</i>

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HOW WE VIEW DIGITALIZATION: DIVERGENT PERCEPTIONS OF ECONOMIC, ENVIRONMENTAL, AND SOCIAL CHALLENGES

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ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, BIG DATA AND INNOVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS FOR MANAGING MACROECONOMIC IMBALANCES AND REGULATING DEFI MARKETS AND CRYPTO-ASSETS

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THE RISKY PATH OF LEGAL TECH DEVELOPMENT: AGAINST GENERATIVE AI-BASED AUTOMATION IN THE LEGAL SECTOR

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THE ROLE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE IN REDUCING BEHAVIORAL BIASES

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ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND EDUCATIONAL EQUITY: POLICIES, PROMPT DESIGN, AND RISKS FOR SCHOOL INCLUSION IN ITALY

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DIGITAL CONNECTIVITY, EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, AND HOUSEHOLD WASTE MANAGEMENT BEHAVIORS: EMPIRICAL EVIDENCE FROM NATIONWIDE SURVEYS IN VIETNAM

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COMPUTER SERVICES EXPORTS AND THE STRUCTURAL TRANSFORMATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA: EVOLUTION, INSTITUTIONAL CHANGES AND AN ASSESSMENT OF MACROECONOMIC RELATIONSHIPS USING QUARTERLY DATA, 2009Q1–2026Q1

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