

**PRESENTATION: INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES**

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**Abstract**

For the first time, in 23 years of publication of journal Revista Galega de Economía (RGE), we have the opportunity to launch an special issue, in year 2014, on international perspectives in English. Until now the journal has published a few articles in English and many articles with regional, national and international perspectives in Spanish. This issue is one important step to increase the level of internationalization of the RGE, both to foster the international readership of interesting publications by researchers from this region and country and to integrate international perspectives for development by authors from other countries. Here we present the contributions of this issue and references to other interesting articles, with international perspective, published in Galicia.

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JEL Codes.

**1. International Perspectives in the RGE.**

In this issue, we present several articles in English corresponding to Volume 23-4 of the Revista Galega de Economía (RGE). This issue includes two articles related with Europe and Eurasia, one written by Metaxas(2014) on urban development of two areas of Southern Europe, and another one by Morozova et al (2014) on university partnership with business for regional development in Russia. It also includes several articles on America: one article by Warburton(2014), related with macroeconomic stabilization in the United States, and four articles on Latin America written by Alarcon-Osuna and Diaz-Perez(2014), Chiarello et al (2014), Dutra et al (2014), and Louzada(2014). A perspective of agriculture in an African country is presented in the article on Mozambique written by Nhlengethwa et al(2014). We also include two studies related with Asia: One written by Bhatt(2014) on Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) in ASEAN countries for the period 1990-2012, and another one, by Zali et al(2015) on tourism development, at local level, in Iran.

The journal RGE has been published by the Faculty of Economics of the University of Santiago de Compostela since year 1992 and has evolved from a regional journal of Galicia to include also international perspectives. It has special focus on regional development of Spain and the European Union, but also includes perspectives of America and other areas.

Until year 2014 only a few articles were published in English, including three in Volume 14-1 on Latin America coordinated by Carames, Piñeiro and Herranz(2005), like the article by Moreno-Brid et al(2005) on the Mexican economy after NAFTA, Piñeiro et al (2005) on NAFTA lesson for Europe, and the article by Palloni et al(2005) on the Elderly in Latin American and the Caribbean. There are also other interesting articles published in English in Volume 19-3, with international perspectives, including Borghi et al(2010) on European clusters, and other ones.

Besides the journal has published other interesting articles on Europe, America and international development in Spanish, as those cited in the reports by Guisan(2015).

**2. Other international journals of Economic research published in Galicia.**

Besides the RGE there are other interesting journals, with international perspectives, published in Galicia, which are included in Econ-Lit and other prestigious indexes:

*Applied Econometrics and International Development*, published by the Euro-American Association of Economic Development Studies, (in Econlit since year 2001).

*Atlantic Review of Economic*, published by the Association of Economics (Colegio de Economistas) of A Coruña, (in Econlit since year 2011).

*Regional and Sectoral Economic Studies*, published by the Euro-American Association of Economic Development Studies (in Econlit since year 2001).

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