



FINAL PROGRAMME
EU KLEMS 3rd Consortium Meeting, 7-9 May 2006
Valencia (Spain)

Saturday 6 May:

Arrival of participants (most participants will stay at Hotel Astoria)

Evening: 19.30: Walking tour around downtown Valencia (start in hall of Hotel Astoria)

 21.00: Welcome "tapas" dinner at "Los Arcos" restaurant

*Sunday 7 May: **Meetings on Sunday (location Adeit, walking distance from Hotel Astoria)***

 Guided tour from Hotel Astoria to Adeit leaves at 9.10 from the lobby of the hotel.

Morning: 09.30 – 10.30: Business meeting (Bart van Ark)

 10.30 – 11.00: coffee break

 11.00 – 13.30:

Session 1a: Discussion of Results of Preliminary Database:

- Presentation of some results for Austria (Serguei Kaniovski, WIFO)
 - Presentation of some results for Germany (Berndt Görzig, DIW)
 - Presentation of some results for The Netherlands (Rutger Hoekstra, Statistics Netherlands)
 - Presentation of some comparative results (Bart van Ark, RUG)
- Discussion and reports on feedback from NSI's

Afternoon: 13.30 – 15.00: buffet lunch at hotel Astoria

 15.00 – 18.00:

Session 1b: Next Steps towards Public Version of Database

Presentation WP 1 and 3 (Marcel Timmer, RUG) followed by discussion

 18.00 – 18.30: coffee break

18.30 – 20.30:
Bilateral meetings between RUG/NIESR teams and consortium members to discuss database issues

Evening: Free

Monday 8 May: Meetings on Monday (location Adeit)

Morning: 09.30 – 11.30: Session 2b:
Session 1c: Next Steps towards First Public Version Database
Presentation WP2 (Kate Robinson, NIESR), followed by discussion

11.30 – 12.00: coffee break

12.00 – 14.00:
Session 2a: Discussion and Planning of Research Proposals

- Overview (Mary O'Mahony, NIESR)
- Presentation on WP 7 (Mary O'Mahony, NIESR) followed by discussion
- Presentation on WP 8 (Kurt Kratena, WIFO) followed by discussion

Afternoon: 14.00 – 15.30: buffet lunch at hotel Astoria

15.30 – 17.30:
Session 2b: Discussion and Planning of Research Proposals

- Presentation on WP 9 (Bart Los, RUG) followed by discussion
- Presentation on WP 10 (Eric Bartelsman, AMBER/VU) followed by discussion
- Research Proposals: The way forward (Mary O'Mahony, NIESR)

Evening: 18.00: Visit to "La Albufera", a fresh water lake (the main part of a natural park) - 25 km away from downtown Valencia.

21.00: "Paella" dinner in the "Oceanographic" restaurant

Tuesday 9 May: Meetings on Tuesday (location Adeit)

Morning:

09.30 – 10.30:

Session 2c: Planning session on database, research and future conferences (Bart van Ark, RUG)

10.30 – 11.00: coffee break

11.00 – 13.00

Session 3: Additional research and methodology papers

- Henry van der Wiel (CPB): Scale Effects in Business Services in Relation to Productivity and Market Characteristics
- Kyoji Fukao (Hitotubashi University): The Japanese Industry Productivity (JIP) Database
- Robert Inklaar (RUG): Productivity and ICT use in Europe, U.S., Australia and Canada
- Dale Jorgenson (Harvard University): Blueprint for Expanded and Integrated U.S. National Accounts: Review, Assessment, and Next Steps

If necessary, additional bilateral meetings between RUG/NIESR teams and consortium members to discuss database issues

13.00: Closing of conference