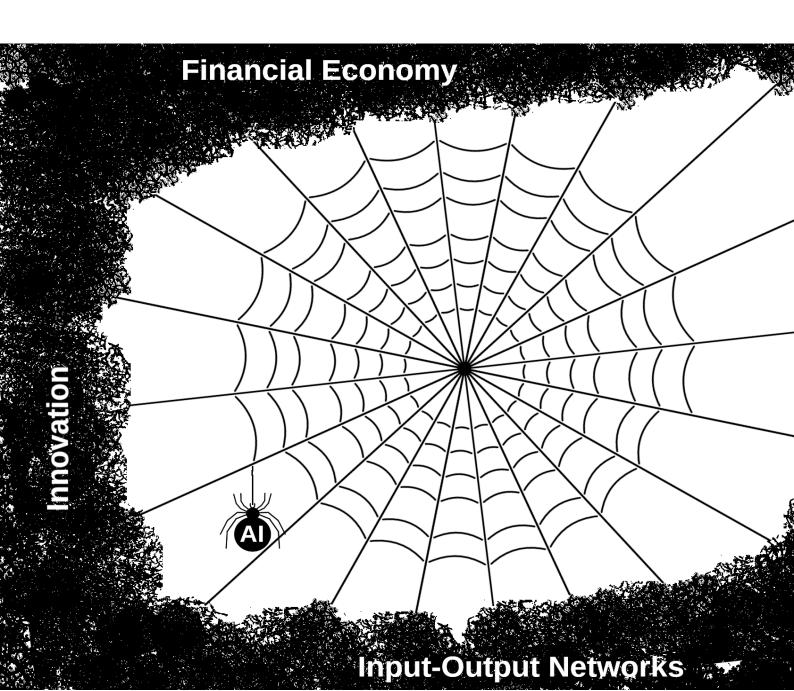**Call for Papers for the Sessions of the Research Area [Q] - Complexity Economics**
at the Annual Meeting 2024 of the EAEPE
in Bilbao, Spain, Sep 4-6 2024

New entanglements:
Changing technology and its impact on supply chains, finance, innovation, and the economy as a whole
Research Area [Q] Main Conference Topic

The last year has seen unprecedented progress in the development and deployment of artificial intelligence and other technologies. The impact on both research and economic system is difficult to overstate. Profound changes in many fields of the economy are about to occur. Like no other field, complexity economics is positioned to help us understand, anticipate, and manage these changes. We invite submissions on this and other topics with a complex systems perspective on highly interconnected systems. Both empirical and theoretical contributions are welcome.

Research Area [Q] Secondary Conference Topics

Beyond this, we also encourage submissions in any of the long-standing topics of Research Area [Q]:

  • Theoretical contributions on complex systems approaches to economics,
  • Methodological contributions in economic complexity (including ECI, ABM, machine learning approaches, NLP and others), and
  • Empirical papers relevant to complexity economics or applying complex systems approaches in economics.

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How to submit

Extended Abstracts (300-750 words) should be submitted on the EAEPE website, https://eaepe.org/?page=events&side=annual_conference&sub=abstract_submission where Research Area [Q] can also be selected as the primary research area the submission is meant for.

Submission deadline: April 12 2024

Research Area [Q] Complexity Economics of the EAEPE is dedicated to providing a forum for complex systems approaches in economics. This includes both perspectives, methods, and applications. We aim to raise awareness that while simplification may be necessary in model building, the complexity of reality and the qualitatively different characteristics it gives rise to must be considered. Today, we have both the tools and the computation power to do so. The research area works in close exchange with other research areas of the EAEPE (e.g., S - Simulation, X - Networks, and C - Institutions). Since the establishment of the research area in 2016, we organized a variety of events ranging from our regular session at the annual conference to special sessions to workshops.

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