

Rapporteur Report

**ELEVENTH INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE
ON GLOBAL ECONOMY : CHALLENGES AND
PERSPECTIVES**

May 26 - 28, 2010

THE Eleventh Annual International Scientific Conference was organised under the joint auspices of Slovak Agricultural University, Nitra, Delhi School of Professional Studies and Research (DSPSR), Society for Human Transformation and Research (SHTR), SHTR Consulting Group (SCG), and Value-one Info-Tech Ltd.

Partners of the event: FAO Sub-Regional Office for Central and Eastern Europe, Budapest, Szent István University, Gödöllo, Hungary.

The chairperson of the Scientific Committee was the Dean of the Faculty of Economics and Management of the Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra, Slovakia, dr.h.c.prof. Ing. Peter Bielik, Ph.D. Members of the Scientific Committee:

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Patrons of the event were **A.K. Balyan**, ONGC Ltd. from Delhi, India and **B.P. Singh**, S.H.T.R. Group of Institutions and DSPSR, Delhi, India.

The International Scientific days during May 26 – May 28, 2010 were focused on “Global Economy: Challenges and Perspectives”. The main goal of the conference was aimed at the community of professionals, researchers, academicians, and industrialists to share a common platform to learn, share, and add to the wealth of intellectual capital of the world as well as transform businesses across the world and to serve the humanity in a better way. 209 participants took part in the International Conference from the following countries – 1 person from Albania, Belgium, Croatia, Ireland, Italy, Russia, USA, 15 participants from Czech republic, 1 participant from Slovenia, Latvia, 2 participants from Syria, 24 from Hungary, 10 from India, 1 from Indonesia, 7 experts from Poland, 1 participant from Russia and 115 Slovak visitors.

During the plenary session several important keynote speakers presented current problems and standpoints related to overall crisis situation in the world and different regions. Our conference was supported also with presence of Her Excellency, Ambassador of India in Slovakia Mrs. Homai Saha and Minister of Economy, prof. Lubomir Jahnatek. As the one of the main keynote papers the paper “Impact of the Global Economic Crisis on the Agriculture and the Rural Development in the Countries of the Eastern Europe and Central Asia” was presented by the ex-representative of Regional Office of FAO, prof. Mária Kadleciková. Main ideas of her paper highlighted many problems related to the world and regional food crisis, distribution of food resources and impact on current regional development in the Eastern Europe and Central Asia. Her contribution met with a great interest from side of Russian, Asian, American, and European participants and great discussion after the plenary session.

The core of the Conference resided in Conference sessions bearing following topics which were conducted in parallel sessions:

Session 1: International Finance: Threats and Opportunities

Session 2: European and Asian Economies: Cooperation vs. Conflict

Session 3: International Business: Challenges and Opportunities

Session 4: Cross Cultural Dimensions in the Global Economy

Session 5: Economic, Social and Multicultural Dimensions of Contemporary World

Valedictory Session (Plenary)

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Benefits of the International Scientific Conference

Professional mutual relation among partner universities, faculties, and colleagues were definitely strengthened. At the same time important definite further collaboration steps in the field of education and research were pointed out. Discussion resulted in common ideas to develop mutual student and teacher exchanges, effective project teams and to create attractive joint international study programs. Beneficial contribution of the event to each participant will be multiplied in the important process of the transfer of knowledge among different regions and country experts.

Event attracted not only participants from the cooperating partner institutions from the EU countries, but also from Croatia, Albania, Russia, India, and Indonesia which will be very beneficial for further research cooperation connecting different regions of the Europe and the world in common agricultural research.

Edited by

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