

# ECONVN 2021

## THE FOURTH INTERNATIONAL ECONOMETRIC CONFERENCE OF VIETNAM

*Theme: Prediction and Causality  
in Econometrics and Related Topics*

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BANKING UNIVERSITY OF HO CHI MINH CITY

Dear: .....

It is our pleasure and privilege to invite you to attend:

THE FOURTH INTERNATIONAL ECONOMETRIC CONFERENCE  
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**Date:** During 11 – 13 January 2021.

**Place:** Banking University of Ho Chi Minh City (BUH),  
36 Ton That Dam Street, District 1, Ho Chi Minh City,  
Vietnam.

**For further information, please visit the website at:**

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We looking forward to meeting you at this year's conference.

Yours faithfully,



The president of BUH

Dr. Bui Huu Toan

#### Notes:

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# CONFERENCE PROGRAM

## • 11 January 2021

### Morning: Opening Ceremony and First Plenary Session

8:00–9:00: Registration

9:00–10:00: Opening

10:00–12:15: First Plenary Session (03 Keynotes):

10:00–10:45: On Random Sets for Inference in Statistics and Econometrics

(**Prof. Hung T. Nguyen**)

10:45–11:30: Efficiency Effects in a Copula based Stochastic Frontier Model

(**Prof. Woraphon Yamaka**)

11:30–12:15: Practical Steps to Improve Specification Testing

(**Prof. Austin Nichols, Prof. Mark E. Schaffer**)

### Afternoon: Parallel Sessions

14:00–17:00: Discussion

18:00–21:00: Gala Dinner at Elisa Floating Restaurant

## • 12 January 2021

### Morning: Second Plenary Session

8:00–8:15: Registration

8:15–12:00: Second Plenary Session (05 Keynotes):

- 8:15–9:00: How the Proportion of People Who Agree to Perform a Task Depends on the Stimulus: A Theoretical Explanation of the Empirical Formula (Dr. Laxman Bokati, **Prof. Vladik Kreinovich**, Assoc. Prof. Doan Thanh Ha)

- 9:00–9:45: How to Explain the Anchoring Formula in Behavioral Economics  
(Prof. Laxman Bokati, **Prof. Vladik Kreinovich**, Dr. Chon Van Le)

- 9:45–10:30: Luders Rule and Conditional Probability for Commuting Events  
(Prof. John Harding, **Prof. Hung Nguyen**)

- 10:30–11:15: A Different Kind of Effect Size Based on Samples from Two Populations with Delta Log-Skew-Normal Distributions (Prof. Ziyuan Wang, **Prof. Tonghui Wang**, Prof. David Trafimow, Prof. Zhaohui Xu)

- 11:15–12:00: Turning Points of CO2 Emissions for G20 Economies  
(Prof. Kejia Yan, **Prof. Rakesh Gupta**)

### Afternoon: Parallel Sessions

14:00–17:00: Discussion

## • 13 January 2021

### Morning: Third Plenary Session

8:00–8:15: Registration

8:15–12:00: Third Plenary Session (05 Keynotes):

- 8:15–9:00: Models Only Say What They're Told To Say (**Prof. William M. Briggs**)

- 9:00–9:45: Commonsense Explanations of Sparsity, Zipf Law, and Nash's Bargaining Solution (Prof. Olga Kosheleva, **Prof. Vladik Kreinovich**, Prof. Kittawit Autchariyapanitkul)

- 9:45–10:30: Why Most Empirical Distributions Are Few-Model  
(Prof. Julio Urenda, Prof. Olga Kosheleva, **Prof. Vladik Kreinovich**)

- 10:30–11:15: Why LASSO, Ridge Regression, and EN: Explanation Based on Soft Computing (Prof. Woraphon Yamaka, Prof. Hamza Alkhatib, Prof. Ingo Neumann, **Prof. Vladik Kreinovich**)

- 11:15–12:00: On Solving Image Deblurring Problem via Nash Equilibrium

(Prof. Wachirapong Jirakitpuwapat, **Prof. Poom Kumam**, Prof. Nuttapol Pakkarang)

### Afternoon: Parallel Sessions

14:00–17:00: Discussion

17:00: Closing Session