Important Announcement

**Deadline Extension**

“The 5th GLUNLAB Workshop of RCEA”
Rimini, Italy

The deadline for the submission of abstracts for “The 5th GLUNLAB workshop of RCEA” to be held in Rimini on 9-10 June, 2014 has been extended to **May 1st, 2014**

For details, see the conference website at: [http://www.rcfea.org/](http://www.rcfea.org/) and attached Call for Papers.

GLUNLAB ([http://www.rcfea.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=13&Itemid=27](http://www.rcfea.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=13&Itemid=27)) is a research group of RCEA (Rimini Centre for Economic Analysis) which was originally created to link the impact of labour/job reallocations with the processes of regional specialization and localization. In this context GLUNLAB has been focusing mainly on labour market flows within an equilibrium spatial configuration of economic activities. GLUNLAB has been aiming at combining aspects of Economic Geography with the analysis of the aggregate effects of labour/job reallocation. GLUNLAB has also developed in different directions and has been analysing the relationships between unemployment and other socio-economic indicators with growth and development. Particular interest has been devoted to signs of social progress as well as labour market linkages to the spatial divisions of poverty and wealth. The 5th GLUNLAB workshop is planning a full set of parallel sessions in Economic Geography, Regional Economics, Spatial Economics and Econometrics inside the RCEF2014. Papers within these fields linked to Labour Economics, Economics Development and Economic Growth are particularly welcome.

“The 5th GLUNLAB workshop of RCEA” will be held within <<The Rimini Conference in Economics and Finance 2014: “The Next Convergence”>> at the same venue.

**Location:** Centro Congressi SGR, Via G. Chiabrera 34/D, 47924 Rimini, Italy, [http://www.centrocongressisgr.it/](http://www.centrocongressisgr.it/)

The RCEF2014, “The next Convergence” is also organised by the Rimini Centre of Economic Analysis (RCEA).

**Plenary Session of the 5th Rimini GLUNLAB Workshop**

“The First Tapan Biswas Memorial Lecture in Economics of RCEA”

**Plenary Speaker**

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