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# Business & Economics Society International

**January 2011 Conference**  
**St Thomas / Virgin Islands, USA**

**January 11-14, 2011**

**Wyndham Sugar Bay Hotel**



## CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS

The Business & Economics Society International (B&ESI) invites you to participate in its **2011 Conference** to be held in **St. Thomas, Virgin Islands / USA**, at the **Wyndham Sugar Bay Hotel**, January 11-14. The conference welcomes academics (business/economics professors and administrators), as well as corporation / government executives and economists. Participants may organize panels, present papers, participate in poster sessions, chair sessions, discuss papers, participate in round-table discussions, or simply observe. The program will consist of small concurrent sessions with: chairperson, presenters, and at least one discussant assigned to comment on each paper; poster sessions; roundtable thematic discussion sessions with moderator; workshops and panels; time allocated for each presenter is 20 minutes. To ORGANIZE PANELS please ask for **Panel Organizer Guidelines**. The fee for each participant in the panel, except the organizer, is \$360. The fee for the panel organizer is \$190. To participate as a PRESENTER please submit ABSTRACTS and/or PAPERS:

### ABSTRACT/PAPER SUBMISSION AND REGISTRATION DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 30, 2010

Please, submit your abstract (of no more than 200 words) via email [hkan@besiweb.com](mailto:hkan@besiweb.com) by SEPTEMBER 30, 2010. Additionally, mail two hard copies of your abstract as follows: **B&ESI, 64 Holden Street, Worcester, MA 01605-3109, USA**. All abstracts submitted would be evaluated for presentation and publication in the Book of Abstracts, which will be available at the Conference. You may submit abstracts for no more than 2 papers. Abstracts/papers must not have been published, accepted, or submitted for publication elsewhere. The categories that best fit your paper must be typed on the top right corner of the front page (See below table titled "Subject Category Title and Number"). For co-authorships please include names, affiliations, and addresses of all authors and indicate who will serve as presenter. The title of your abstract(s) or paper(s) is(are):

### FINAL PAPER SUBMISSION DEADLINE: OCTOBER 30, 2010

Please submit via post 2 hard copies of the paper(s) and a disk or CD containing the manuscript(s) in Word by OCTOBER 30, 2010. Unless you instruct us otherwise, all papers will pass a blind peer review process for publication consideration in the '2011 GLOBAL BUSINESS & ECONOMICS ANTHOLOGY', a volume of selected papers from the Conference. Format instructions will be attached to the acceptance for publication letter. [Manuscripts of more than 12 single-spaced pages of text (font: times, size=10) inclusive of graphs, tables, endnotes and references will be considered at \$10 per additional page]. Authorship should be identified only on a removable cover page.

#### SUBJECT CATEGORY TITLE AND NUMBER 1/2:

ACCOUNTING (A1)  
MANAGEMENT SCIENCE (MS2)  
MARKETING (MR3)  
FINANCE & INTERNATIONAL FINANCE (F4)  
BUSINESS ETHICS (BE5)  
QUANTITATIVE METHODS (QM6)  
BUSINESS STATISTICS / ECONOMETRICS (BSE7)  
BUSINESS LAW / LAW & ECONOMICS (L8)  
ENTREPRENEURSHIP (E9)  
BUSINESS & ECONOMICS EDUCATION (BEE10)  
MICROECONOMICS (MIC11)  
GOVERNMENT REGULATION (GR12)

#### SUBJECT CATEGORY TITLE AND NUMBER 2/2:

INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATION (IO13)  
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ECONOMIC GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT (EGD17)  
BEHAVIORAL, HEALTH & EXPERIMENTAL ECONOMICS (BHE18)  
ENVIRONMENTAL BUSINESS / ECONOMICS (E19)  
MACROECONOMICS (MAC20)  
MONETARY ECONOMICS (ME21)  
GOVERNMENT FINANCE (GF22)  
URBAN, RURAL & REGIONAL ECONOMICS (URR23)  
OTHER - PLEASE SPECIFY (O24)

**CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM (B&ESI International Conference, January 11-14, 2011, St. Thomas / Virgin Islands, USA)**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name and M.I. \_\_\_\_\_

Nickname for Badge \_\_\_\_\_ Position/Title/Rank \_\_\_\_\_ Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_

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**CONFERENCE FEES (DUE SEPTEMBER 30, 2010)**

- 1. Registration Fee ..... \$360 x \_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Attending Co-Author Fee & Panel Organizer only ..... \$190 x \_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. After September 30, '10 Add Late Fee ..... \$50 x \_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. Guest Fee (Companion Fee) ..... \$75 x \_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Amount Due** ..... = \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** Registration fees include "guest speaker-awards" luncheon, reception, coffee/tea breaks, one copy of the 2011 GLOBAL BUSINESS & ECONOMICS ANTHOLOGY and access to all Conference presentations and sessions.

**PLEASE POST YOUR REGISTRATION FEES NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 30, 2010 TO:**

**B&ESI, 64 HOLDEN STREET WORCESTER, MA 01605-3109, USA**

**TELEPHONE: (508) 852-3937, FAX: (508) 595-0089**

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**Payments:**

\_\_\_\_ My check is attached payable to B&ESI  
(in U.S. dollars drawn on a U.S. bank).

Please charge my \_\_\_\_ Visa \_\_\_\_ MasterCard \_\_\_\_ American Express.

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Authorized Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Refunds:** Individuals applying for program participation but not accepted are eligible for fee refunds. Cancellations must be in writing and are subject to a \$40 handling fee. No refunds will be given for cancellations after November 30, 2010. Refunds will be processed after the conference.

**WYNDHAM SUGAR BAY HOTEL - RESERVATION FORM**

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The Wyndham Sugar Bay Resort & Spa has its own secluded white sand beach, three interconnecting pools and provides access to a wide array of activities for kids and grown ups. It is located just 7 miles from the STT - Cyril E. King Airport and near shopping and golf courses. **A block of rooms has been reserved until November 30, 2010.** Reservations made after that date will be subject to hotel availability and rates. **The rates, inclusive of buffet breakfast, are: Single (\$198), Double (\$221).** (Tax and service fees of about \$25 per night are not included.) You may book directly to the hotel via post, or fax. You may pay by international money order (payable in US Dollars to Wyndham Sugar Bay Resort & Spa) or via credit card (Visa, Diners, Master Card, Discover and American Express.) The first night's deposit is required with reservation.

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Arrival date \_\_\_\_\_ Departure date \_\_\_\_\_

Single \_\_\_\_ Double \_\_\_\_ King Bed \_\_\_\_ Two-Bedded Room \_\_\_\_ Number of People in Room \_\_\_\_

**Payments:**

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Please charge my \_\_\_\_ Visa \_\_\_\_ MasterCard \_\_\_\_ American Express.

Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp.Date \_\_\_\_\_ Authorized Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE KEEP A COPY OF THIS FORM FOR YOUR RECORDS AND MAIL OR FAX THE ORIGINAL TO:**

**Wyndham Sugar Bay Resort & Spa, 6500 Estate Smith Bay, St Thomas, Virgin Islands 00802, USA**

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