

57th
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Symposium



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de Langue Française

Territories and Digitalization

innovations, mutations, and decision

1st, 2nd & 3rd September, 2021, Avignon (France)

Call for Papers

Every day sees an ever-greater impact of the digital world on our way of living in, working with, understanding, and managing territories. From professional habits to individual behaviour, from business models to political good practices, digitalisation has (re)structured whole sections of our society. Political and economic power relations have been reconfigured by it, and territories partially recomposed. This certainly represents a challenge for regional science. It is obliged to gain a better insight into the way the enormous amount of “new” data linked to a digital world is produced, distributed, and used, to understand its impacts on social and spatial practices, as well as on the form and nature of work, and to analyze its growing place in the decision-making process and in the regulation of economic and territorial policies.

The 57th ASRDLF Symposium therefore seeks to encourage participants to adopt a view somewhat removed from these evolutions, different from the “techie” approach which, overly focused on just the technical innovations, pays less attention to their political, social, and economic dimensions.

In parallel with the main theme *Territories & digitalization*, which is divided into **15 targeted sessions**, papers may also be registered for one of the **usual sessions** or of the **special sessions proposed**, which give a wide coverage to research issues in regional science. The complete list of these sessions can be consulted via the following link:
<https://asrdlf2021.org/sessions>

Instructions

The paper propositions must include the following:

1. Author contact information (Family name(s), First name(s), title(s), affiliation, email)
2. Paper title
3. The name of one or two sessions (targeted, usual, or special) in which the paper should be registered
4. An **800 word summary** explaining the paper's objective, the originality of the subject, the method used, and the results obtained
5. A list of 5 key words
6. The proposition's specific bibliography (maximum 10 titles)

A prize will be awarded to the best written paper presented by one or several PhD students or young PhDs (special conditions for participation:
<https://asrdlf2021.org/appel-communications>).



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If you have any questions concerning the submission of your paper, please contact us by email: asrdlf2021@univ-avignon.fr

The call for papers is open until 30th April 2021.

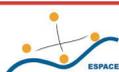
Papers should be submitted online: <https://asrdlf2021.org>

Targeted themes

- Data massification and production of territorial knowledge
- Geolocation, real-time information and recommendations: IT and new spatial and social practices
- E-health, e-culture, teleworking, etc.: spatial impacts of IT-related changes in the nature of work
- Territorial digitalization, innovation and specialisation
- Digitalization and territorial identities
- Territorial digitalization policies
- Digitalization and space optimization
- Digitalization and local democracy
- Big data and production of knowledge: from *Data mining* to *Data manufacturing*
- New markets for geographical information
- Spatial structures of employment related to digitalization
- Digitalization and increasingly management-oriented territorial policies
- Market disintermediation and re-intermediation by digitalization

Special sessions

- Agricultural production, public action and feeding cities: definitions, scales and scenarios
- The geography of discontent
- Regional science and territorial economic intelligence: engaging a dialogue
- Regional science, peace science: what renews in the 21st century?
- Research films
- Daily mobility and transport systems in the cities of the South
- Blockchain and territories, what future?
- Proximity, commercial territories and connected retail
- Digital nomads, new places, new connections?
- Migrations, residential mobility and territories
- Digital platforms: new forms of intermediation for and by business ecosystems and territories?
- Shrinking territories
- Borders in times of crisis
- Entrepreneurship(s) and sustainable territories



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- The financing of local public action
- borders in times of crisis

Usual sessions

A - Methods and modelling

- A1 – Spatial models
- A2 - LUTI models (land use transport interaction)
- A3 - Geographical Information Systems
- A4 - Geomatics
- A4 - Cognitive systems for spatial planning
- A5 – Econometrics and spatial statistics
- A6 – Models of agglomeration economics and of geographical economics

B - Resources and factors of sustainable regional and urban growth

- B1 - Infrastructures and public services
- B2 – Social capital and territorial capital
- B3 - Accessibility, mobility, transport and communication
- B4 - Evolution of the labour market
- B5 – Migratory phenomena
- B6 - Demographic trends
- B7 – Sustainable cities
- B8 - Environment and sustainable development
- B9 – Urban and territorial risks
- B10 - Usage conflicts and land dynamics

C – Regional and urban policies, evaluation

- C1 – Regional and local policies, multi-level programming
- C2 - Community programmes
- C3 - Evaluation of territorial policies: instruments and methods
- C4 – Strategic planning
- C5 – Planning of the European space
- C6 - New orientations in territorial and urban planning
- C7 – Integrated territorial projects
- C8 – Urban regeneration plans and policies

D – Territorial development

- D1 - Globalisation, growth, and local development
- D2 – Dynamics of the urban system and peri-urbanization
- D3 - Metropolisation
- D4 – Rural development
- D5 – Differentiated regional developments
- D6 - Development of the Mediterranean space



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- D7 - Tourism, sustainable regional development
- D8 – Residential economy

E - Spatial competition, public economy, local and territorial taxation

- E1 - Credit, financial services and local development
- E2 – Natural goods
- E3 - Cultural goods
- E4 - Knowledge, competitiveness, and cohesion
- E5 – Inter-regional cooperation
- E6 - Territorial marketing
- E7 - Institutions, governance and local development
- E8 - ITC and territorial organisation

F - Urban economy, territory, space, theorization and modelling

- F1 - Urban and regional development theory
- F2 - Location of activities
- F3 - Industrial districts, clusters, local system and global network
- F4 – Economic and productive transformations of the territory
- F5 - Innovation and new technologies

Registration fees

	Before 15 th July 2021 / After 15 th July 2021
Full price	250 euros TTC / 320 euros TTC
Student or retiree price	130 euros TTC / 160 euros TTC
Gala cocktail/buffet price	40 euros TTC / 40 euros TTC

Internet sites

- Association de Science Régionale De Langue Française
<http://www.asrdlf.org/>
- 57^{ème} Colloque de l'ASRDLF 2021 (57th ASRDLF Symposium 2021)
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