

Portuguese Political Economy Association

Political Economy of the Territory Thematic Section

7th Annual Meeting of Political Economy

Thematic panel on the Political Economy of the Territory

Call for papers

The Thematic Section of Political Economy of the Territory is organising one or more thematic panels on issues relating to the relationship between political economy, territory and development.

We invite you to submit proposals that address the themes of the 7th Annual Political Economy Meeting, especially those that promote a better understanding of how territorial dynamics reflect or reinforce unequal patterns of economic and social development or others.

Given that the meeting is promoting reflection on the last five decades of democracy in Portugal, we encourage papers that focus on the evolution of the Portuguese territory during this period, both in terms of inter- and intraregional dynamics within the country itself as well as in terms of the impact of global processes on these dynamics. As such, papers on the following topics, among others, will be particularly relevant:

- From coastalisation to Lisbon-Oporto bipolarity: consequences on territorial development;
- Cohesion policies and the increase in territorial inequalities
- The financialisation of real estate and the housing crisis in Portugal
- Rurality and the return to the countryside: new development dynamics or reinforcement of peripheralisation?

Abstracts, formatted according to the instructions in the general call, should be sent to Paulo Miguel Madeira (paulo.madeira@campus.ul.pt) and Pedro Marques (p.marques@ingenio.upv.es) by 29 September 2023, indicating "7th EcPol Meeting - Thematic Panel on Political Economy of the Territory" in the subject line.