RN9 Economic Sociology
- Biennial Report (October 2019 to September 2021)

1. Elected Coordinators and Board term 2019-2021

Coordinator: Andrea Maurer, University of Trier, Germany
Cocordinators: Alberto Veira Ramos, University Carlos III de Madrid, Madrid, Spain
Sebastian Nessel, University of Graz, Austria

Board: Philip Balsiger, Université de Neuchâtel, Switzerland
Donna J. Carmichael, London School of Economics & Political Science, UK
Matias Dewey, Max-Planck-Institute for the Study of Societies, Germany
Marta Olcoń-Kubicka, Polish Academy of Sciences, Poland
Valentina Ausserladscheider, University of Cambridge, UK
Marta Olcoń-Kubicka, Polish Academy of Sciences, Poland

2. Elected Coordinators and Board term 2021-2023

During the digital Business Meeting on Sept. 2nd, 2021 24 network members voted. We used the online tool provided by ESA.

Elected are:

Coordinator: Andrea Maurer, University of Trier, Germany
Cocordinators: Sebastian Nessel, University of Graz, Austria
Alberto Veira Ramos, University Carlos III de Madrid, Madrid, Spain

Board: Giacomo Bazzani, University of Firenze, I
Donna J. Carmichael, London School of Economics & Political Science, UK
Matias Dewey, University of St Gallen, Switzerland
Carlos de Castro Preicacho, Autonomous University Madrid, Spain
Meropi Tzanetakis, University of Vienna, Austria

(In alphabetical order.)

2. Governance structure and elections

During the conference in Manchester in 2019 the business meeting decided for a new governance structure that covers: coordinator, co-coordinator(s) and board (3 to 5 members).

During the virtual business meeting in 2021 we discussed establishing an additional advisory board.
3. Conferences and meetings

a) Due to the Corona Pandemic the planned mid-term conference in 2020 had been cancelled.

b) ESA Virtual Conference (planned for Barcelona) in 2021

At the ESA general conference that was completely virtual (planned for Barcelona) in 2021 we organized 2 semi-plenaries, 5 joint sessions and regular sessions with a total of 80 presentations, selected from over 120 submissions to our network.

The sessions covered a wide range of topics reaching from theories to markets and morality to coping with the pandemic. The corona crisis was a leading topic in our network. We also hosted quite a lot joint sessions

In addition our network co-organized 2 semi-plenaries:

c) The next midterm conference will be taking place at the University of Warsaw, Poland in fall 2022 (8 to 9 September 2022) and will be organized and hosted by our board members Mikolaj Pawlak and Marta

4 Network related publications

We have just started to work on an edited book on “European Economic Sociology” and applied for fund at the ESA committee.

5 Homepage and mailing list

We have moved our former website to the esa webpage: to at https://esaeconsoc.wordpress.com/. We renew the website regularly. Coordinator and coordinator were responsible for doing this. We still use our old mailing list: esa_econsoc@mailman.uni-konstanz.de. Through this mailing list we disseminate Call for Papers, job opportunities, information by the ESA etc.
6 Collaboration with other networks

We extended our interaction with other networks and collaborate with more and other networks. We found the opportunity to organize joint-sessions at the ESA conferences an especially good vehicle to start collaborations and bring researchers together.

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