



Groupe de Recherche en Economie Théorique et Appliquée

GREThA is a joint research unit between Bordeaux IV University and CNRS. The unit gathers more than 40 permanent active researchers, with an activity of constant research and scientific production.

The scientific project of the unit includes five research programs where all competences present within the unit are put forward to ensure a credible articulation with the recent developments of economic science around theoretical and empirical issues.

Our research program covers the current questionings of the economic analysis concerning :

The decentralization of the economic coordination and the importance of local logics in the economic dynamics ;

The fragility of the banking and financial structures, and need for new forms of regulation regarding a process of globalisation characterized by a strong financialisation of the economic activities ;

Importance of a sustainable management of the natural resources, in particular of water, whose scarcity weighs more and more on human activities, including in Northern countries.

A reconsideration of the industrial policies in the light of dynamics where the technological development, logics of actors and the increasing capitalization question the vision that we have of these policies.

A detailed analysis of the evolution and determinants of the distribution of wealth, especially regarding a process of globalisation in which this distribution is parallel to an impoverishment in the South but also in North.

Our research programmes

Program A: Space and industry

Dynamics and sustainability of urban forms
The evolution of the geographical distribution of economic activities
Regulation and Industry financialization

Program B: Environment, welfare and development

Assessment and regulation of natural heritage
Environmental innovation and sustainable demand
Inequalities, risks and vulnerabilities
The diversity of trajectories of emergence

Program C: Structures and finance market

Incentives, risk and behaviors
Interactions, networks and learning
Macroeconomics and monetary and financial history

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Working papers

Initiated in 2007, GREThA's working papers are electronic documents. They are referenced in the REPEC database (Research Papers in Economics).

More information about REPEC:
<http://ideas.repec.org/s/grt/wpegrt.html>

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Seminars

Seminars are organised regularly to dynamise scientific exchanges within the laboratory around the topics of the research programmes. PhD students' seminars are also organized, allowing members of GREThA to discuss future publications.

Partnerships

The GREThA is involved in partnerships and benefit from local and regional support (Urban Community of Bordeaux Aquitaine Regional Council, GRES), national (ANR, Ministries), International (Implications in several projects resulting from the research & Development framework programmes of the European Union).