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in a Changing World*

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Dear IPSERA participants,

*I'm honoured to have you in Naples for the 21st edition of the IPSERA annual conference. The conference is organised and hosted by the Department of Management Engineering of the University of Napoli Federico II in collaboration with other universities and research centres. Naples is hosting an IPSERA conference for the second time after the 1996 edition held in the beautiful island of Ischia in the gulf of Naples. Including the 2004 conference held in Catania, Italy has hosted IPSERA conferences for three times.*

*The Department of Management Engineering is part of the School of Engineering that this year is celebrating the 200 year anniversary since its foundation by Joaquin Murat who was the king of Naples during the French domination more than two centuries ago.*

*Therefore, this is an important year for our University that is one of the largest universities in Italy and one of the oldest in Europe.*

*The Naples' conference follows the conference we had last year in Maastricht. While the theme of last year focused on future challenges, the main theme of this year conference explores the changing conditions that purchasing and supply management have to face, i.e., the growing market globalisation and competition, new customer requirements, new social conditions, the economic recession, and the speed in technological innovation diffusion. All this changes impact on the design and management of the supply chain.*

*The main aim of the conference is to discuss, exchange and sharing ideas and knowledge on purchasing and supply management in an era of dramatic changes. I hope this conference will help you to understand more in depth the complex dynamics and phenomena characterising this difficult period.*

*On behalf of IPSERA, the University of Napoli Federico II, the University of Napoli Parthenope, IRAT-CNR, the University of Catania and the local organising committee, I wish you to enjoy the conference and our beautiful city.*

EMILIO ESPOSITO  
Conference Chair IPSERA 2012

Our deep gratitude goes to the Scientific Committee for the invaluable support given to the review process of papers, organisation of the Doctoral Workshop, and chairing sessions at the conference.

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# Conference General Program

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## Sunday, April 1

9:30-16:20 **Doctoral Workshop**  
19:30 **Welcome reception**

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## Monday, April 2

8:15 **Registration**  
9:00-9:30 **Opening Plenary Session**  
9:30-9:35 **break**  
9:35-11:00 **CP Parallel Sessions C1**  
11:00-11:30 **Coffee break**  
11:30-12:10 **Plenary Keynote Speaker**  
12:10-12:15 **break**  
12:15-13:10 **WP Parallel Sessions W1**  
13:10-14:10 **Lunch**  
14:10-16:20 **CP Parallel Sessions C2**  
16:20-16:45 **Coffee break**  
16:45-18:10 **WP Parallel Sessions W2**  
20:15-22:30 **"Pizza" Dinner**

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## Tuesday, April 3

9:00-10:25 **CP Parallel Sessions C3**  
10:25-10:30 **break**  
10:30-11:10 **Plenary Keynote Speaker**  
11:10-11:40 **Coffee break**  
11:40-13:05 **WP Parallel Sessions W3**  
13:05-14:05 **Lunch**  
14:05-15:30 **WP Parallel Sessions W4**  
15:30-15:50 **Coffee break**  
15:50-17:00 **Plenary Roundtable**  
17:00-18:00 **IPSERA AGM**  
19:00-20:15 **IFPSM Reunion drink**  
20:15-23:45 **Conference Dinner**

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## Wednesday, April 4

9:30-10:25 **WP Parallel Sessions W5**  
10:25-10:30 **break**  
10:30-11:25 **WP Parallel Sessions W6**  
11:25-11:50 **Coffee break**  
11:50-13:00 **Closing Plenary Roundtable**

9.30	<b>REGISTRATION - COFFEE</b>		
10.00	<b>Welcome and opening by Dr Erik van Raaij - Room "Aragonese"</b>		
10.10	<b>Masterclass "Successful Publishing in Purchasing &amp; Supply Management: Research Methods and Strategies" taught by Prof. Jennifer Blackhurst, Associate Editor of the Journal of Purchasing &amp; Supply Management</b>		
11.00	<b>BREAK</b>		
	<b>Room "Aragonese"</b>	<b>Room "Catalana"</b>	<b>Room "Sveva"</b>
11.15	<b>Huang Yu (Sunny)</b> Sustainable supply chain  <i>discussants</i> Prof. Pietro Evangelista Mieko Igarashi Carolin Grampp	<b>Mohammad Eslami</b> Knowledge integration in NPD  <i>discussants</i> Prof. Stefano Ronchi Regien Sumo Eline Van Poucke	<b>Marika Tuomela-Pyykkönen</b> Procurement competencies  <i>discussants</i> Prof. Alessandro Ancarani Jorieke Manders Minh-Hoang Tran
12.15	<b>LUNCH</b>		
13.30	<b>Mieko Igarashi</b> Green supplier selection  <i>discussants</i> Prof. Jennifer Blackhurst Jury Gualandris Sari Viskari	<b>Lisa Melander</b> Collaborative NPD  <i>discussants</i> Prof. Arjan van Weele Marika Tuomela-Pyykkönen Andrea Patrucco	<b>PoonehIrani</b> Supply chain culture  <i>discussants</i> Prof. George Zsidisin Mohammad Eslami Nadine Kiratli
14.30	<b>BREAK</b>		
15.00	<b>Jury Gualandris</b> Sustainable supply networks  <i>discussants</i> Prof. Helen Walker Huang Yu (Sunny) Jelle de Vries	<b>Regien Sumo</b> Performance-based contracts  <i>discussants</i> Prof. Michael Essig Lisa Melander Anna Aminoff	<b>Jorieke Manders</b> Supply chain flexibility  <i>discussants</i> Prof. Guido Nassimbeni PoonehIrani Minh-Hoang Tran
16.00	<b>PANEL DISCUSSION AND CLOSING REMARKS - Room "Aragonese"</b>		
16.20	<b>END</b>		
16.30-17.30	<b>JPSM Board meeting</b>		
18.30-20.30	<b>Welcome reception and get-together</b>		

**9:35-11:00 SESSIONS C1: COMPETITIVE PAPERS**

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| <p><b>C1.1</b>    <i>Room 1</i>    <b>Purchasing 1</b></p> <p><i>Orchestrating an external resource base: How management profiles vary between the different purchasing situations?</i></p> <p><i>Savings Measurement for Capital Equipment Purchasing: Challenges and Conceptual Model</i></p>            | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p><b>Aki Laiho</b></p> <p><b>Daniel Maucher, Erik Hofmann</b></p>   |
| <p><b>C1.2</b>    <i>Room 2</i>    <b>Supply Network Management 1</b></p> <p><i>The Value of Spatial Proximity in Relationship Portfolio: A Case of Strategic Alignment</i></p> <p><i>Supply's strategic contribution is not the way it used to be</i></p>   | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Roberto Grandinetti,<br/>Raffaella Tabacco</p> <p>Jean Nollet, André Tchokogué,<br/>Julien Robineau</p>                         |
| <p><b>C1.3</b>    <i>Room 3</i>    <b>Purchasing and Sustainability 1</b></p> <p><i>An empirical analysis of German automotive suppliers</i></p> <p><i>Procurement of Logistics Services and Sustainable Development in Europe: Fields of activity and empirical results</i></p>                           | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Matthias Gehrsitz, Marjolein Caniels,<br/>Janjaap Semeijn</p> <p>Rudolf Large, Nikolai Kramer, Rahel<br/>Katharina Hartmann</p> |
| <p><b>C1.4</b>    <i>Room 4</i>    <b>Decision Making &amp; Communication</b></p> <p><i>Outsourcing Decisions - the case of parallel production</i></p> <p><i>Buyers and e-negotiations: which impact does the communication mode have on results, tactics and behaviour at the negotiation table?</i></p> | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Staffan Brege, Daniel Nordigården,<br/>Jakob Rehme, Helen Walker</p> <p>Wouter Faes, Gilbert Swinnen</p>                        |
| <p><b>C1.5</b>    <i>Room 5</i>    <b>Attractiveness in SC Relationships</b></p> <p><i>Exploration of congruence in perceptions of buyer-supplier attraction - dyadic multiple case study</i></p> <p><i>An overview of customer attractiveness: outcomes and antecedente</i></p>                           | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Anna Aminoff, Kari Tanskanen</p> <p>Davide Luzzini, Andrea Patrucco,<br/>Stefano Ronchi</p>                                     |
| <p><b>C1.6</b>    <i>Room 6</i>    <b>Buyer-Supplier Relationships 1</b></p> <p><i>Supply chain collaboration: A dyadic study of buyer-supplier relationships</i></p> <p><i>Uncertainty, supply risk management principles and the impact on supply risk management performance</i></p>                    | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Arjen Bout, Marjolein Caniels, Cees<br/>J. Gelderman</p> <p>Petra Hoffmann, Holger Schiele,<br/>Koos J. Krabbendam</p>          |

**12:15-13:10 SESSIONS W: WORKING PAPERS**

**W1.1 Room 1 Purchasing 1**

*Governing Purchasing - the use of purchasing portfolio models in corporate multinationals in the Netherlands*

*Exploring the sourcing strategy in China in low volume, high complexity business: Evidences from the field*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Bert van der Stouwe, Onno Omta, Jacques Reijniers, Geoffrey Hagelaar

Paolo Barbieri, Isabella Vettolani

**W1.2 Room 2 Green SCM 1**

*Improving Sustainability in Supply Chains: an SME Perspective*

*The impact of lean-green management on firm's performance - A literature review*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Osama Meqdadi, Thomas Johnsen, Rhona Johnsen, Joe Miemczyk

Alain Fercoq, Samir Lamouri, Valentina Carbone, Andrée-Anne Lemieux

**W1.3 Room 3 Procurement 1**

*Apples and Oranges? An empirical study of ex ante cost and ex post problems in product versus service IT procurement*

*Terms of Procurement*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Finn Wynstra, Yajing Zhu, Gerrit Rooks, Chris Snijders

Guy Callender, Catherine Pardoe, Trevor Nongwa

**W1.4 Room 4 Knowledge Management in PSM**

*Capturing supplier knowledge in new product development: the effects of trust*

*Knowledge integration with buyers in new product development - Taking a supplier perspective*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

David T. Rosell, Nicolette Lakemond, S. Nazli Wasti

Mohammad H. Eslami, Nicolette Lakemond

**W1.5 Room 5 Attractiveness in SC Relationships**

*Organizational antecedents of early purchasing involvement in new product development*

*Comparing Customer Involvement and Supplier Involvement: Theoretical elaboration and a comparative case study*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Holger Schiele, Bernd Zunk, Michael Song

Juho Ylimäki

**W1.6 Room 6 Models and Methods for SM**

*A study on compatibilities in Operations Management: Just in time vs. high demand variability*

*Value based sourcing: Economic comparison of different offers using a multiple scenario model*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Thomas Bortolotti, Pamela Danese, Pietro Romano

Andreas Glas, Florian C. Kleemann, Michael Essig

**14:10-16:20 SESSIONS C2: COMPETITIVE PAPERS**

<p><b>C2.1</b>    <i>Room 1</i>    <b>Globalisation</b></p>	<p><i>Factors affecting Global Supply Chain Design</i></p> <p><i>Captive or outsourcing offshoring? The performance implications of locations specific characteristics under different governance models</i></p> <p><i>Establishing successful supplier relationships with Chinese companies: The Chinese paradigm of Global Supply Relationship Management</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Muhammad Abid, Lars Bengtsson, Mandar Dabhilkar, Roland Hellberg</p> <p>Federico Caniato, Stefano Elia, Davide Luzzini, Lucia Piscitello, Stefano Ronchi</p> <p>Mihalis Giannakis, Des Doran, Shanyin Chen</p>
<p><b>C2.2</b>    <i>Room 2</i>    <b>Innovation in SCM</b></p>	<p><i>Supply's Organizational Roles and Responsibilities: A Canadian Perspective</i></p> <p><i>Sourcing technology from suppliers in new product development. Purchasing's role as a trouble shooter</i></p> <p><i>You can leave your head on! Voyeuristic versus exhibitionistic social media behavior in creating social capital among purchasing professionals</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Fraser Johnson, Michiel Leenders, Amrou Awaysheh, Asad Shafiq</p> <p>Lisa Melander, Nicolette Lakemond</p> <p>Frank Rozemeijer, Lieven Quintens, Konstantin Kinast</p>
<p><b>C2.3</b>    <i>Room 3</i>    <b>Models and Methods for SM</b></p>	<p><i>Inventory control systems to satisfy high service level requirements in a Supply Chain</i></p> <p><i>A unifying optimization model for cross-docking approach to improve supply chain performances</i></p> <p><i>Developing a scale for measuring the use of intuition in supplier selections</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Giuseppe Bruno, Elena Costagliola</p> <p>Giuseppe Bruno, Ilaria Di Mattia, Andrea Genovese</p> <p>Lutz Kaufmann, Claudia M. Wagner, Matthias Ehrigott, Felix Reimann</p>
<p><b>C2.4</b>    <i>Room 4</i>    <b>Public Procurement</b></p>	<p><i>A perspective of supplier relationships in the South African public procurement sector</i></p> <p><i>Public Procurement and Cohesion Policy</i></p> <p><i>The supply of the integrated water service in Italy: a benchmarking study of operating efficiency</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Micheline J. Naude</p> <p>Györgyi Nyikos, Tátrai Tünde</p> <p>Corrado Io Storto</p>

**C2.5 Room 5 Supply Chain Management 1**

*Conceptual and Practical Barriers  
Toward the Introduction of Supply Chain  
Management in the Construction Sector*

*Competing for supplier resources:  
an empirical study into firm resource  
appropriation capabilities*

*Three is a crowd, but in which ways?:  
Performance Based Contracting in Buyer-  
Supplier-Customer Triads*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Davide Aloini, Riccardo Dulmin,  
Valeria Mininno, Simone Ponticelli

Niels Pulles, Jasper Veldman,  
Holger Schiele

Finn Wynstra, Tim Robbe, Gerrit  
Rooks, Regien Sumo, Hülya  
Türksever, Wendy van der Valk

**C2.6 Room 6 Value Chain Management**

*Factors influencing supplier performance and  
satisfaction in agro-commodity value chains*

*Competing with the negative cycle time of  
working capital in ICT value network*

*Connection between working capital  
management and profitability in the value  
chain of automotive industry*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Richard Glavee-Geo, Arnt Buvik

Lotta Lind, Miia Pirttilä, Sari Viskari,  
Timo Kärri, Florian Schupp

Sari Viskari, Lotta Lind, Miia Pirttilä,  
Timo Kärri, Florian Schupp

**16:45-18:10 SESSIONS C4: WORKING PAPERS**

**W2.1 Room 1 Supply Network Management**

*Supplier satisfaction with the process  
of competitive tendering for business  
services*

*Network Governance: Co-ordination  
mechanisms, opportunities and  
contradictions*

*Purchasing complexity in construction  
material supplier network*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Stephen Kelly

Tero Vuorinen, Tero Kurki

Mika Ojala, Tommi Mahlamäki

**W2.2 Room 2 Green SCM 2**

*Do they jump or are they pushed?  
Influences on the adoption of supply  
chain sustainability practices*

*Understanding power in sustainable supply  
chain relationships*

*The implementation of green supply  
management in Finnish firms*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Donna Marshall, Vincent Hargaden,  
Christina Dowling

Anne Touboulic, Daniel Chicksand,  
Helen Walker

Katrina Lintukangas, Jukka  
Hallikas, Anni-Kaisa Kähkönen

**W2.3 Room 3 Procurement 2**

*The changing role of procurement contracts*

*Current State and Challenges in Procurement - A Danish Perspective*

*Procurement of customer service delivery in Telcos: A case study*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Sylvie Lacoste, Gwenaëlle Oruezabala

Morten Munkgaard Møller, Michael Klausen, John Johansen

Ananda Jeeva

**W2.4 Room 4 Buyer-Supplier Relationships 1**

*Buyer-supplier opportunism: myth or reality?*

*Supplier Relationship Management - Anathema for Government Procurement?*

*A measurement instrument for supplier relationships*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

John Ramsay, Stephen Kelly, Beverly Wagner

René Kling

JD Nel, JA Badenhorst-Weiss, IM Ambe

**W2.5 Room 5 Attractiveness in SC Relationships**

*Customer attractiveness, supplier satisfaction, and preferred customer status: an empirical exploration of the concepts and their influence on firm's market performance*

*Why and how to become your suppliers' preferred customer. Linking contractor satisfaction, preferred customer status and maturity in managing supplier relationships in the Dutch construction industry*

*Exploring preferred customer status: results of a world café*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Niels Pulles, Holger Schiele, Jasper Veldman

Jeroen Bemelmans, Hans Voordijk, Bart Vos, Geert Dewulf

Holger Schiele, Lisa Hüttinger, Dennis Schröer

**W2.6 Room 6 Purchasing and Sustainability**

*Organising for Sustainable Purchasing*

*The Relevance of Internal Coordination for the Implementation of Corporate Sustainability: Results from Multiple Case Studies*

*Sustainability in Purchasing and Supply Chain Management. A Systematic Literature Review*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Danielle Castagnoni, Robert Spencer, Florence Crespin-Mazet, Philippe Portier, Olivier Menuet

Lena Schneider, Carl Marcus Wallenburg

Anne Quarshie, Asta Salmi

**9:00-10:25 SESSIONS C3: COMPETITIVE PAPERS**

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| <b>C3.1</b> | <i>Room 1</i> | <p><b>Purchasing 2</b></p> <p><i>Managing internal and external interfaces in purchasing and supply management: the resource allocation challenge</i></p> <p><i>50 Years of Research on Organising the Purchasing Function: Status Quo and Suggestions for Future Research</i></p> | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Sonja Saloranta, Riikka Kaipia</p> <p>Lena Schneider,<br/>Carl Marcus Wallenburg</p>                          |
| <b>C3.2</b> | <i>Room 2</i> | <p><b>Supply Network Management 2</b></p> <p><i>Connected Service Triads. Supplier management in complex consumption services</i></p> <p><i>The relationship between internal and supplier integration: effects on product quality, cost efficiency and market performance</i></p> | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Anne-Maria Holma</p> <p>Suntichai Kotcharin, Steve Eldridge, James Freeman</p>                                |
| <b>C3.3</b> | <i>Room 3</i> | <p><b>Purchasing and Sustainability 2</b></p> <p><i>Diffusion of Sustainable Supply Chain Management A conceptual theory building approach</i></p> <p><i>Sustainable supply chain management: the role of supply chain management investments and global sourcing</i></p>          | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Valentina Carbone, Valérie Moatti, Craig Wood</p> <p>Ruggero Golini, Jury Gualandris, Matteo Kalchschmidt</p> |
| <b>C3.4</b> | <i>Room 4</i> | <p><b>Buyer-Supplier Relationships 2</b></p> <p><i>Buyer-supplier-supplier Collaboration in New Product Development projects: An Exploratory Model</i></p> <p><i>A providers' perspective on supplier relationships in Performance-based Contracting</i></p>                       | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Melek Akin Ates, Guido Ianniello, Jan van den Ende</p> <p>Florian Kleemann, Michael Essig</p>                 |
| <b>C3.5</b> | <i>Room 5</i> | <p><b>Supply Chain Management 2</b></p> <p><i>Supply Chain integration as a multi-dimensional concept and its impact on performance: A survey-based study</i></p> <p><i>Supply Chain Integration: A Contingency Approach</i></p>   | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Pamela Danese, Thomas Bortolotti</p> <p>Boyana Petkova, Vaiva Petrikait, Dirk-Jan F. Kamann</p>               |
| <b>C3.6</b> | <i>Room 6</i> | <p><b>Human Resources in PSM</b></p> <p><i>Supply chain as an autopoietic system</i></p> <p><i>Profiling Purchasing Skills by Purchase Type: A survey of buyers in Taiwan</i></p>  | <p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Rainer Breite, Kaj U. Koskinen</p> <p>Yi-Hsi Tu, Louise Knight</p>  |

11:40-13:05 SESSIONS W3: WORKING PAPERS

<p><b>W3.1</b> Room 1 <b>Purchasing 2</b></p>	<p><i>Purchasing centralization: drivers, change processes and impacts</i></p> <p><i>A Review of Methods Supporting Cost Reductions in Purchasing</i></p> <p><i>International and Hungarian trends in ethics of purchasing</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Minh-Hoang Tran, Thomas Johnsen, Joe Miemczyk, Frantz Rowe, Thierry Sauvage</p> <p>Volkan Ünlü, Günther Schuh</p> <p>Gyöngyi Vörösmarty, Zsolt Matyusz</p>
<p><b>W3.2</b> Room 2 <b>Green Logistics</b></p>	<p><i>Sustainable freight transport purchasing</i></p> <p><i>A case study investigation on purchasing green transport and logistics services</i></p> <p><i>The Design of an Emergency Logistics in Sustainable Eco Packaging at the Conceptual Design Phase: A Case Study in Hard Disk Drive Industry</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Sara Rogerson, Dan Andersson, Mats I. Johansson</p> <p>Pietro Evangelista, Maria Hugel-Brodin, Karin Isaksson, Edward Sweeney</p> <p>Jeeranuch Buddeejeen, Athakorn Kengpol, Markku Tuominen</p>
<p><b>W3.3</b> Room 3 <b>Procurement 3</b></p>	<p><i>The Role of Procurement in Supply Chain Management</i></p> <p><i>Evaluating Procurement Objects and Suppliers in Low-Cost Countries with a Focus on Quality</i></p> <p><i>Interpersonal Trust Determinants in Virtual Teams Planning Strategic Procurement in a Defence Organisation</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Anil Ponweera</p> <p>Gisela Lanza, Stefan Ruhrmann</p> <p>Hector Gaete</p>
<p><b>W3.4</b> Room 4 <b>Buyer-Supplier Relationships 2</b></p>	<p><i>Failures in collaborative design with suppliers: Literature review and future research avenues</i></p> <p><i>Supply Chain Collaboration under Uncertainty</i></p> <p><i>Two faced monster: The buyer – seller relation observed from two sides</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Hélène Personnier, Marie-Anne Le Dain, Richard Calvi</p> <p>Saad Hasan, Claudia Eckert, Chris Earl</p> <p>Sicco C. Santema, Daniëla Verheul</p>

**W3.5 Room 5 Innovation in SCM 1**

*Critical innovation attributes of user-specific medical devices. Key Stakeholders: Suppliers, Users and Managers*

*Performance-based contracting as an enabler of innovation*

*Supply management must become external resource management*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Hans Bax, Dirk-Jan Kamann

Regien Sumo, Wendy van der Valk, Arjan J. van Weele

Kari Tanskanen, Kari Iloranta, Aki Laiho, Riikka Kaipia, Sonja Saloranta

**W3.6 Room 6 Human Resources in PSM**

*Key Characteristics of SME Procurement: An Empirical Study*

*Are supply chain managers risk averse? An exploratory analysis*

*Supplier's Sales Engineer as a Knowledge Worker*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Peter James, Mohammed Saad, Andrew Douglas, Wendy Phillips

Carmela Di Mauro, Francesco Mascali

Jarmila A. Kopecka, Sicco C. Santema, Erik Jan Hultink

**14:05-15:30 SESSIONS W4: WORKING PAPERS**

**W4.1 Room 1 Managing Service SC**

*Sourcing of facility management services. A global strategy approach for manufacturing companies*

*The development of extended service models through business relationships: A Swedish trucking industry study*

*Development of maintenance in the nuclear industry - A study of service classification*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Jari Laine, Uma Jagadeesa

Susanne Hertz, Leif-Magnus Jensen, Henrik Agndal, Veronika Pereseina, Benedikte Borgström

Johan Larsson

**W4.2 Room 2 Green SCM 3**

*Sustainability and green economy: strategies and relationships in the context of Weee reverse supply chain*

*Sustainability in Supply Chains: A Social Identity Approach*

*Introducing Corporate Social Responsibility in Purchasing: Proposition of a methodology*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Assunta Moccia, Renato Passaro, Antonio Thomas

Yu Huang, Mickey Howard, Fu Jia

Alexandre Tanneur, Richard Calvi

**W4.3 Room 3 Procurement 4**

*Can the use of Price versus non-Price factors in the evaluation of tenders undermine the pursuit of Quality and Value?*

*Social Media for procurement professionals: is it on their radar?*

*How can semantic technology support a procurement early warning system?*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Martin Sykes

Frank Rozemeijer, Nadine Kiratli, Ruud Olthoff

Herbert V. Ruile, Pan Theo Grosse-Ruyken, Frank Seidl

**W4.4 Room 4 Supply Risk Management**

*The Functions of Intermediaries in Global Supply Chain Risk Management - Findings from the Clothing Industry*

*Managing Price Risk in the Supply Chain*

*Supply Chain Risk Perceptions in Thailand*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Mette Vedel, Chris Ellegaard

Janet L. Hartley, George A. Zsidisin, Lutz Kaufmann

Montira Yingvilasprasert, Jyri Vilko, Ruth Banomyong

**W4.5 Room 5 Innovation in SCM 2**

*E-Auctions Software: A Case Study of a Niche Provider in a 'Mature' Market*

*Improving innovation of fashion supply chain through sustainability*

*Open Innovation in a value chain perspective. Knowledge transfer across permeable boundaries*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Peter James, Alun Rafique, Nick Drewe

A. Moretto, L. Macchion, F. Caniato, P. Danese, M. Caridi, G. Spina, A. Vinelli, R. Cappellari, A. Sianesi

Mikael E. Malmgren, Matthew Copeland

**W4.6 Room 6 Public Procurement 2**

*The Remedies Directive - An Understanding of its impact on public procurement - An Irish Case Study*

*How are environmental criteria dealt with in public procurement? - A database investigation in Norway*

*The Uses and Abuses of Public Procurement in Hungary*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Paul Davis, Michael Doherty, Emma McEvoy, Anthony Flynn, David Mc Kevitt

Mieko Igarashi, Luitzen de Boer, Ottar Michelsen, Annik Magerholm Fet

Tünde Tátrai, Györgyi Nyikos

## 9:30-10:25 SESSIONS W5: WORKING PAPERS

## W5.1 Room 1 Purchasing 3

*Are Women the Better Purchasers?  
Gender Impacts on the Negotiation  
Process from a Purchasing Perspective*

*Structural analysis of supply markets*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Ulli Arnold, Stefanie Opitz

Jennifer Kreysa, Günther Schuh

## W5.2 Room 2 Public Procurement 1

*Policy goals and public procurement in  
the EU: measuring the effect of policy  
considerations on public procurement  
output of European public authorities*

*From black and white to shades of grey:  
public contracting and SME engagement*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Michael Essig, Markus Amann, Thu  
Ha Vu Thi

David McKeivitt, Anthony Flynn,  
Paul Davis, Emma McEvoy

## W5.3 Room 3 Aligning Sourcing &amp; Business Strategy 1

*Strategy alignment in buyer-supplier  
relations: a behavioural perspective*

*Controlling of strategy implementation  
in purchasing and supply management.  
A suggestion of suitable ratios*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Alessandro Ancarani, Carmela  
Di Mauro, Florian Schupp, Heiko  
W hner

Nadine Hund, Florian Schupp

## W5.4 Room 4 Globalisation

*The practice of international sourcing: a  
comparative study of Italian and Brazilian  
importers*

*Sourcing from low cost countries:  
Organizing and governance perspectives*

Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Bernardo Dantas, Rebecca  
Arkader, Otavio Figueiredo

Mervi Vuori, Aki Laiho, Zhongbo  
Fan

10:30-11:25 SESSIONS W6: WORKING PAPERS

<p><b>W6.1</b> Room 1 <b>Purchasing 4</b></p> <p><i>Towards World Class Purchasing Performance: What Differentiates the Best from the Rest</i></p> <p><i>Material cost reduction comprehensively - Cross-functional process approach</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Jukka Hallikas, Katrina Lintukangas, Anni-Kaisa Kahkonen, Veli-Matti Virolainen</p> <p>Günther Schuh, Volker Richters, Toni Drescher, Volkan Ünlü</p>
<p><b>W6.2</b> Room 2 <b>Green SCM 4</b></p> <p><i>Sustainable Hazardous Substances Management in the Supply Chain</i></p> <p><i>Sustainable Supply Chain Management in Food Industry. Case: German Organic Markets</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Henk Veenvliet, Arjan J. van Weele, Wendy van der Valk</p> <p>Ulla Lehtinen</p>
<p><b>W6.3</b> Room 3 <b>Aligning Sourcing &amp; Business Strategy 2</b></p> <p><i>Focus on Fairtrade: examining supply chain structures for Alternative Trading Organisations</i></p> <p><i>Short Supply Chain Configurations in the Italian Food Industry</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Claire Moxham, Katri Karjalainen</p> <p>Federico Caniato, Luca Crippa, Ruggero Golini, Davide Luzzini</p>
<p><b>W6.4</b> Room 4 <b>Purchasing and Globalization</b></p> <p><i>International Purchasing Offices: literature review and research directions</i></p> <p><i>From Point of the Sword to Point of Sale: the Dark Side of Procurement</i></p>	<p>Chair: _____</p> <p>Marco Sartor, Guido Orzes, Guido Nassimbeni, Fu Jia, Richard Lamming</p> <p>Guy Callender</p>



## Evening Program

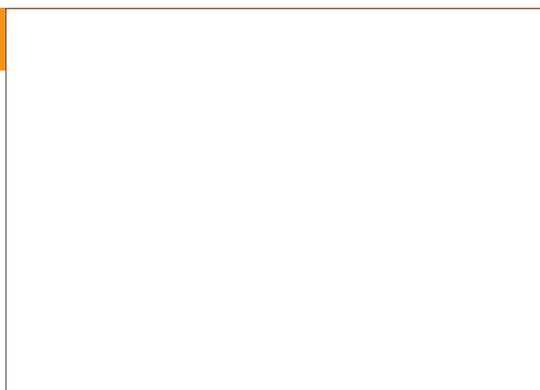
### Sunday, April 1

**19:00 - 22:00**

The IPSERA welcome reception will take place at the Hotel Royal Continental that is located just few walks from the conference site.

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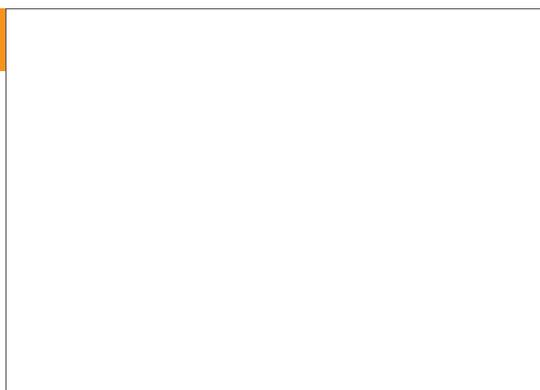
### Monday, April 2

**20:30**

The conference participants will have a nice dinner at the Pizzeria Manicomio a typical Neapolitan restaurant where it will be possible to taste genuine pizza and other Mediterranean food in an informal and friendly environment.

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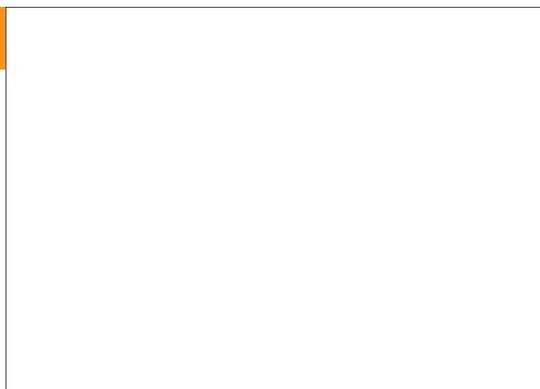
### Tuesday, April 3

**20:30**

The conference dinner will be held at the Royal Continental Hotel.

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Wednesday, April 4

14:00

Immediately after the end of the conference it will be possible to visit the *Bourbon Tunnel*. It was designed 150 years ago by the king Ferdinand II of Bourbon to connect the Royal Palace with other places of the old town in order to allow the royal family to escape in case of riots.

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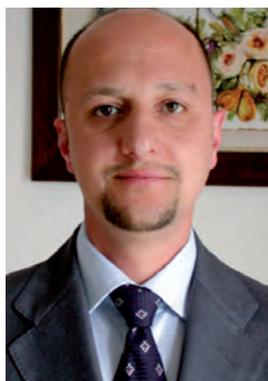
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**3<sup>rd</sup> floor** *Room D and E*

**2<sup>nd</sup> floor** *Room C*

**1<sup>st</sup> floor** *Aula Magna*

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