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## **Dear EBES Members.**

As we stand on the threshold of a new year, it is with great pleasure and gratitude that we extend our warmest wishes to each and every one of you. As the Officers of EBES, we are honored to reflect upon the accomplishments, challenges, and shared experiences that have shaped our journey over the past year.

In 2023, our association achieved remarkable milestones that underscored our commitment to excellence in academia. From hosting successful conferences that fostered interdisciplinary collaboration to publishing groundbreaking research in our journals (EAER & EABR), and we have seen increase in their impact factors.

While celebrating our successes, it is essential to acknowledge the challenges that tested our resilience and unity. The global landscape of academia is evolving rapidly, presenting us with both opportunities and obstacles. Financial constraints, adapting to new technological landscapes, and the ongoing challenges of the pandemic have required us to be adaptable and innovative in our approach in our conferences. In 2023, we have successfully organized hybrid conferences in Budapest, Istanbul, Madrid and Lisbon and our number of in-person participants have been increasing. We are expecting more in-person attendance in 2024!

As we turn the page to 2024, we are filled with optimism for what the future holds for our association. The lessons learned from the past year will undoubtedly guide us as we navigate the evolving landscape of academia. We remain steadfast in our dedication to fostering a vibrant academic community that thrives on curiosity, collaboration, and the pursuit of excellence.

In the coming year, we have exciting plans to further enhance our programs, expand our outreach, and provide more opportunities for meaningful engagement among our members. Your continued involvement and support will be invaluable as we collectively shape the future of our association.

As we bid farewell to 2023 and welcome the possibilities of 2024, we extend our heartfelt wishes for a year filled with joy, success, and fulfillment. May the upcoming months bring you new opportunities for growth, learning, and achievement. Together, let us embark on this journey with enthusiasm, camaraderie, and a shared commitment to the pursuit of knowledge.

Thank you for your unwavering dedication to our association. We look forward to another year of collaboration, discovery, and success.

Wishing you a Happy New Year!

Sincerely, EBES Officers

## **Call for Papers**

47th EBES Conference - Berlin
April 18-20, 2024
Jointly Organized with
GLO (The Global Labor Organization)
In Collaboration with
FOM University of Applied Sciences

(HYBRID with both in-person and online paper presentation)
Abstract Submission Deadline: February 29, 2024

47th EBES Conference – Berlin will take place on April 18th, 19th, and 20th, 2024 in Berlin, Germany. It will jointly be organized with GLO (Global Labor Organization) with the support of the Istanbul Economic Research Association and in collaboration with the FOM University of Applied Sciences. The conference will be held in a hybrid mode. The first two days of the conference (April 18th and 19th) will be in-person and the last day will be online. Thus, participants can either attend the sessions and present their papers face-to-face at the conference venue or choose to do the same through online platforms. Abstract submission for the 47th EBES Conference is now open. For online submission, please visit <a href="https://ebesweb.org/47th-ebes-conference/berlin-abstract-submission/">https://ebesweb.org/47th-ebes-conference/berlin-abstract-submission/</a>.

In addition to the regular sessions organized by EBES and GLO, the conference will host several special sessions. During the conference, EBES will dedicate a session to honoring the life-long achievements of our president, Klaus F. Zimmermann, and celebrating his work. Additionally, the conference will feature leading scholars in their respective fields as invited speakers, sharing insights and recent trends from their disciplines. Furthermore, two other sessions, namely the "Editors Session" and "Publisher Session", will be conducted to provide insights from SSCI journal editors and Springer publishers regarding the editorial and publishing processes.

## **EBES JOURNALS**



## **Upcoming EBES Conferences**

47th Berlin	48th Istanbul	49th Prague
April 18-20, 2024	July 4-6, 2024	To be Announced

