CONFERENCE INVITATION

We are pleased to invite you to participate in the upcoming mini-conference on

"Medium Sized Towns in European Spatial Structure"

to be held in **Budapest on October 17 2018**. The conference is jointly sponsored by the Hungarian Central Statistical Office, and Területi Statisztika and Regional Statistics journals.

The venue for the conference

Hungarian Central Statistical Office

H-1024 Budapest, Keleti Károly str. 5-7. The conference will start at 10 am. Planned lectures of the conference:

Denise Pumain – University Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne (Paris): Which diversity in the hierarchical organisation of urban systems in Europe

Rob Atkinson – University of the West of England (Bristol): The Small Towns Conundrum: What do we do about them?

Evert Meijers – Delft University of Technology (Delft): European Medium-sized Cities in the Age of the Urban Triumph

Tosics, Iván – Metropolitan Research Institute (Budapest): The role and possibilities of functional urban areas in Central and Eastern Europe

Luděk Sýkora – Charles University (Prague): Size matters: issues and challenges of local development (with a special focus on small and medium sized towns in Czechia)

Csomós, György – University of Debrecen (Debrecen): Investigating smart city components in the urban development strategies of Hungarian cities

Fekete, Dávid– Széchenyi István University (Győr): The Modern Cities Program as a new tool in the Hungarian spatial development policy

Rechnitzer, János – Széchenyi István University (Győr) – *Berkes, Judit*– Széchenyi István University (Győr): The most important city development initiatives of Hungary in the last century

Participation at the conference is free of charge, but registration is required.

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We wait for all enquiring one with love!

