

**LA SALLE UNIVERSITY  
1<sup>st</sup> CONGRESS OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY  
BOGOTÁ - COLOMBIA  
OCTOBER 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

**CALL FOR PAPERS**

La Salle University will host the Congress of International Political Economy that will take place in Bogotá, Colombia, on October 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>. The congress aims to promote the discussion of connections between economics and politics that is relevant for Latin American and Caribbean economies. There will be a dedicated discussant for each panel, as well as open floor discussion. Anoop Madhok, from York University – Canada, Alicia Puyana from FLACSO – Mexico will be delivering keynote presentations.

We are inviting submissions of papers to be considered for presentation at the Congress. The accepted contributions are expected to be relevant for understanding the International Political Economy problems of Latin America and Caribbean countries. This allows for papers addressing issues in other regions when those issues are deemed relevant to the Latin American context. The focus of the meeting will be on the connection between business, economics and political institutions in the following subjects:

- Business Models and competitiveness in emerging and developing markets.
- International Political Economy of Natural Resources.
- Regional Integration and Development.

Extended Abstracts (1-2 Pages), written in English or Spanish, must be submitted no later than July 17<sup>th</sup>. Selected abstracts must submit full papers, written in English or Spanish, no later than August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2015. A double blind review will determine the final papers to be presented at the Congress; the final decision will be informed no later than September 15<sup>th</sup>.

Submitted papers will be judged on their relevance and academic merit. Both theoretical and empirical contributions are welcome, as well as work by young scholars and graduate students.

Each author can submit and present at most one paper, make submissions via: <https://cmt.research.microsoft.com/IPE2015/>.

Please provide complete contact details in your submission, including affiliation and position.

For information on attending the meeting as part of the audience, please contact Daniel Castillo, Academic Assistant, [dacastillo@lasalle.edu.co](mailto:dacastillo@lasalle.edu.co)