

ISIR Elections & Awards

Call for nominations

According to the ISIR Constitution an election of some ISIR officials for 2016-2018 will take place at the General Assembly Meeting on August 25, 2016 in Budapest, Hungary. ISIR members has to elect new officials or re-elect the current person for the below (green) positions. **If you have an idea for a person please nominate him/her before May 31, 2016.**

President

The incoming President for 2016-2018 (current President-Elect) is *Ruud Teunter*.

President-Elect

New President-Elect (President for 2016-2018) has to be elected.

Executive Vice-President

Attila Chikán, his term lasts till 2016. He may stand for re-election.

Secretary General

Krisztina Demeter's appointment lasts till 2016. She may stand for re-election.

Deputy Secretary General

Zsolt Matyusz's appointment lasts till 2016. He may stand for re-election.

Section Chairpersons

Economics

James Kahn was re-elected in 2014, his term lasts till 2018.

Inventory Management

Peter Kelle was elected in 2012, his term lasts till 2016. He may stand for re-election.

Mathematical Modelling

Refik Güllü was elected in 2014, his term lasts till 2018

Forecasting for Inventories

John Boylan was reelected in 2012, his term lasts till 2016. (According to the constitution, he cannot be re-elected for the next term.)

Members of the Executive Committee

No election is due in 2016 since the majority of the officials were elected in 2014 for a 4-year period. Three members were reelected, but their term also lasts till 2018.

Nomination link: <http://bit.ly/1slwQU>

Deadline is May 31, 2016

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UPCOMING ISIR EVENTS

19th ISIR Symposium

August 22-26, 2016
Budapest, Hungary

ISIR session at the ASSA meetings

January 6-8, 2017
Chicago, IL, USA

Settle your ISIR membership dues for the reduced registration at the Symposium!

If you wish to continue your membership in ISIR you are kindly requested to fill the

[membership renewal form.](#)

<http://isir.hu/products-page/>

Please note that the membership year runs from 01 September to 31 August!

NEW MEMBERS OF THE ISIR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 2014-16

HONORARY PRESIDENT

KENNETH J. ARROW, Nobel Laureate, Stanford University, CA, USA

PRESIDENT

OU TANG, Linköping University, Sweden

VICE PRESIDENT AND PRESIDENT-ELECT

RUUD TEUNTER, University of Groningen, NL

EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

ATTILA CHIKÁN, Budapest Corvinus University, Hungary

SECRETARY GENERAL

KRISZTINA DEMETER, Budapest Corvinus University, Hungary

DEPUTY SECRETARY GENERAL

ZSOLT MATYUSZ, Budapest Corvinus University, Hungary

IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT (2012-2014)

STEFAN MINNER, Technische Universität München, Germany

SECTION CHAIRPERSONS

Economics:

JAMES KAHN, Yeshiva University in NY, USA

Management:

PETER KELLE, Louisiana State University, USA

Modelling:

REFIK GÜLLÜ, Bogazici University, Turkey

Forecasting:

JOHN BOYLAN, Buckinghamshire Chilterns University Collage, UK

MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

MARIA BOGATAJ, MEDIFAS, Slovenia

HUIPING DING, Beijing Jiaotong University, China

MOHAMAD JABER, Ryerson University, Canada

GUDRUN KIESMÜLLER, Otto von Guericke University of Magdeburg, Germany

PETRI NIEMI, Lappeenranta University of Technology, Finland

GERALD REINER, Université de Neuchâtel, Switzerland

ARIS SYNTETOS, Cardiff University, UK

SANDRA TRASCHEL, Kühne Logistics University, Germany

JOHN TSOUKALAS, University of Glasgow, UK

LUCIO ZAVANELLA, University of Brescia, Italy

AUDITING COMMITTEE

SZABOLCS DULEBA, University of Nyíregyháza, Hungary

CHRISTIAN LARSEN, Aarhus University, Denmark

JOHAN MARKLUND, Lund University, Sweden

CALL FOR PAPERS

ISIR Session at the ASSA meetings

January 6-8, 2017 – Chicago, IL, USA

Abstract submission deadline: May 31, 2016

The International Society for Inventory Research (ISIR) sponsors a session each year at the ASSA meetings. The 2017 meetings will be held in Chicago, Illinois on January 6-8, 2017. This year the session is being organized by Felipe Schwartzman of the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond.

The ISIR encompasses research not just on inventories but also on related areas such as plant and equipment investment, or inventory-theoretic approaches to other areas of economics, including money and liquidity. Because your research has overlapped with these areas, we hope

you will be interested in participating in the ISIR session next January. If you have (or expect to have) a paper that would be suitable for the session, please send an abstract or a draft of the paper by **May 31, 2016** to Felipe at felipe.schwartzman@rich.frb.org.

I would also encourage you forward this e-mail to anyone else who might be interested in participating in the ISIR session.

James Kahn,
ISIR Section Chairperson

20th International Working Seminar on Production Economics

February 19-23, 2018 – Innsbruck, Austria

The 20th International Working Seminar on Production Economics will take place in Congress Innsbruck, Innsbruck, Austria, February 19-23, 2018.

For more information, please contact

Professor Robert W. Grubbström, robert@grubbstrom.com, or
Professor Hans H. Hinterhuber, hans.hinterhuber@uibk.ac.at.



Building the Supply Chains of the Future

September 26-27, 2016 – Katowice, Poland

The conference is dedicated to the problems of developing supply chains under conditions of uncertainty, risk and threat of geopolitical destabilization. It also covers the issues concerning the vision of development of supply chains and logistics concepts in the future. The problems of development of logistics services will be discussed as well.

The conference will take place at Modern Information Technology Centre of the University of Economics in Katowice.

The scope of conference:

- ▶ Formation and development of supply chains under conditions of uncertainty and geopolitical risk
- ▶ Building competences of logisticians
- ▶ Vision of development of supply chains
- ▶ Logistics under conditions of economic uncertainty and business risk
- ▶ The role of small and medium enterprises in building competitive advantage of supply chains in the future
- ▶ Areas of application of logistics in the future and its significance
- ▶ Modern directions of development of urban logistics
- ▶ Logistics and supply chains in non-standard future applications
- ▶ Trends influencing the development of supply chain formation and management
- ▶ Logistics services and their directions of development



Deadlines

Abstract submission June 15
Early bird May 31

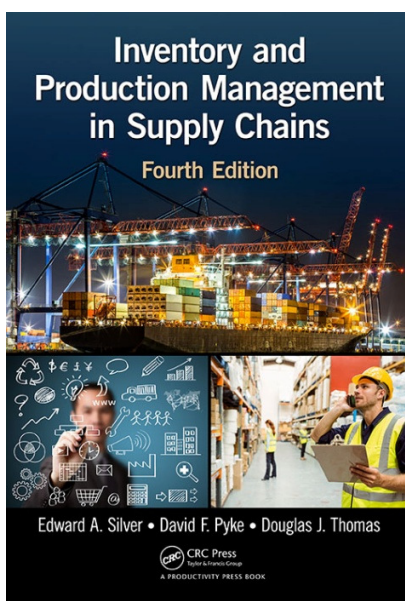
Further details and registration:

Website: scf.ue.katowice.pl
E-mail: scf@uekat.pl

BOOKSHELF

Inventory and Production Management in Supply Chains

by Edward A. Silver, David F. Pyke and Douglas J. Thomas



Key points regarding the 4th edition:

- 1) There is a continued emphasis on bridging the gap between theory and practice.
- 2) New material has been added to address several key supply chain management concepts. This includes a new chapter addressing coordination of inventory and planning decisions within and across firms. For example, treatment of collaborative forecasting, vendor managed inventory, sales and operations planning, and postponement has been added or expanded.
- 3) This edition includes expanded discussion of modern information systems to support inventory and production decision making.
- 4) As with the earlier editions, references throughout have been updated to provide the reader with an up-to-date, extensive bibliography.

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