



## UpdaTE >February 2020

This bulletin aims to supply all employees of the department Applied Economics with relevant information. We will keep you up to date on procedures, interesting information and events. If you have any questions or comments, or if you would like to post information, please contact Manuela ([ettekoven@ese.eur.nl](mailto:ettekoven@ese.eur.nl)).

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### UpdaTE also on the intranet

From now on you can also find our newsletter (UpdaTE) on the website. Click [here](#) to go to the website.

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### Publications/interviews of our colleagues

Please let Manuela know when you have a new publication, interview or something else you want to share with your colleagues.

For more media appearances of our colleagues in the media click [here](#)

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## Meeting rooms T18



We have 5 meeting rooms on our floor.

T18-25b for 13 – 23 persons

T18-29b and T18-30b for 7 – 9 persons

T18-31b and T18-32b for 4 – 6 persons

Click [here](#) for the room booking guide

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## Ordering books, office supplies and computer equipment



Be aware that you are not allowed to order books, office supplies and computer equipment yourself. You need to ask the secretariat to order this for you, because we have European tenders and we therefore obliged to order from these suppliers. If you place an order with another supplier, we cannot reimburse the costs.

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## PhD candidate Eric Slob accepts job offer at University of Cambridge



In October 2020, PhD candidate Eric SlobOpens external of Erasmus School of Economics and the Erasmus Research Institute of Management will join the Medical Research Council Biostatistics Unit at the University of Cambridge as a Research Associate.

[Read more](#)

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## What our paychecks look like in 2020

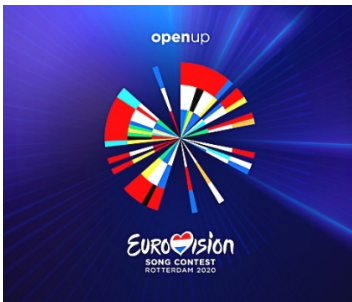


Labour productivity has barely risen over the past 10 years and the 2020 paycheck seems to look good for everyone. But are we really doing better? On Monday, 23 December 2019 Sandra Phlippen and Casper de Vries, holder of the Witteveen Chair of Monetary Economics at Erasmus School of Economics discussed this topic on the Dutch radio station BNR Nieuwsradio.

[Read more](#)

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## Hotel reservations during events in Rotterdam



Please note that during some events it will be difficult and/or expensive to make hotel reservations in Rotterdam.

The events and data are:

25.03.2020 t/m 26.03.2020 Premier League Darts  
03.04.2020 t/m 05.04.2020 Marathon of Rotterdam  
23.04.2020 t/m 25.04.2020 Flower Parade  
01.05.2020 t/m 18.05.2020 Eurovision Song Contest  
25.05.2020 t/m 28.05.2020 Congress ESPID  
09.06.2020 t/m 11.06.2020 TOC De Doelen Congress  
10.07.2020 t/m 12.07.2020 North Sea Jazz

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## Agenda

- 19 March 2020: Secretariat closed due to a SSO outing
- 26 June 2020: Department Outing 2020
- 18 September 2020: Inaugural lecture Hans van Kippersluis

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## Defense dates

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## Upcoming holidays 2019

Upcoming national holidays on which the EUR is closed:

- Friday 10 April – Good Friday

- Sunday 12 April – Easter Day
- Monday 13 April – Easter Monday
- Monday 27 April – King's Day
- Tuesday 5 May – Liberation Day
- Thursday 21 May – Ascension Day
- Sunday 31 May – Whit Sunday
- Monday 1 June – Whit Monday
- Friday 25 December – Christmas Day
- Saturday 26 December - Christmas Boxing Day
- Friday 1 January 2021 – New Year's Day

**Please note that EUR is closed from Monday 28 December 2020 until Friday 1 January 2021.**

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## Visitors

These persons are visiting Applied Economics at this moment:

- Hendrik Rommeswinkel, guest of Peter Wakker, till 31 May 2020
- Roberto Dellisanti, guest of Frank van Oort, till 4 May 2020
- Francesca Vargas Lopes, guest of Carlos Riumallo Herl, till 15 May 2020
- Georg Granic, guest researcher
- André van Stel, guest researcher



