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## ***ECONOMIC CHANGES IN A TIME OF CRISIS: CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES***

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- Deadline for sending final papers

15<sup>th</sup> June 2012

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## LOCATION AND DATES

*University of Coimbra  
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