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## January e-Bulletin

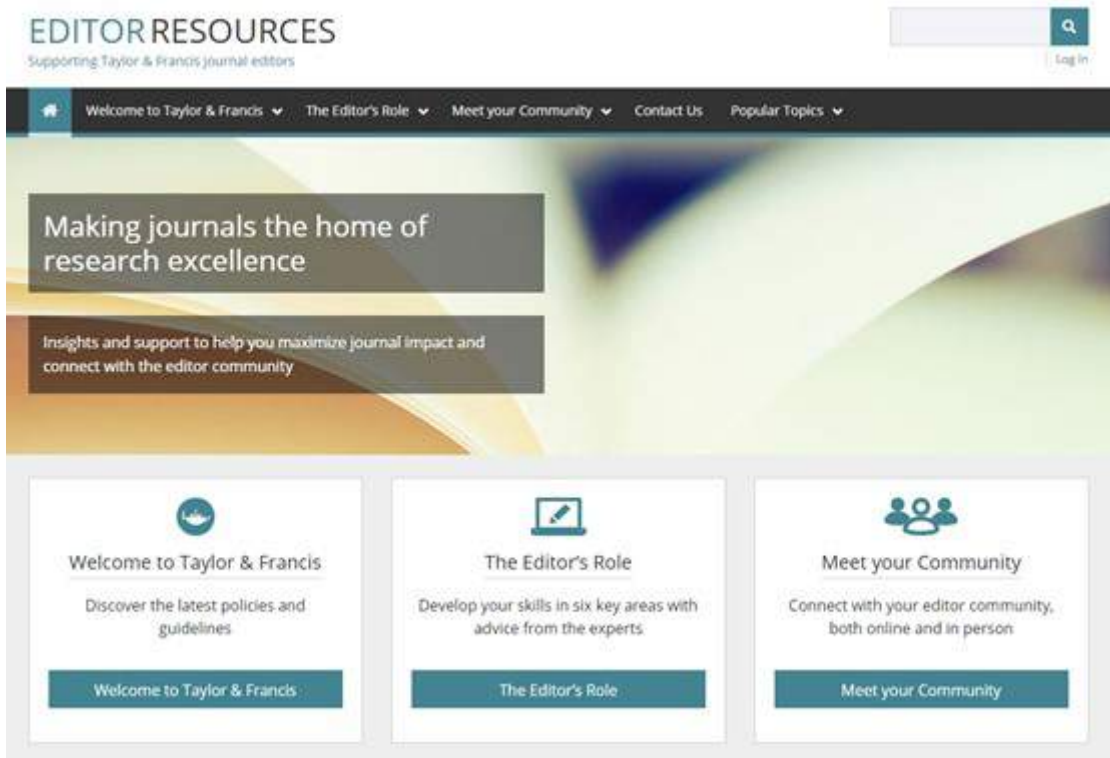
Welcome to the January edition of the RSA e-Bulletin sent via the Regional Studies Community JISC Mailing list. We would like to remind you that you have the option to [unsubscribe](#) from our e-Bulletin using the link found at the bottom of this email.

If you would like to subscribe to our main mailing list to get extra details about any of our activities, please click [here](#) (which will take you to our sign up form).

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[Taylor and Francis's](#) new [Editor Resources website](#) is now available online.

This website has been developed based on focus groups and interviews with editors around the world, and detailed persona analysis based on their responses. The site is structured around the key aspects of the editor's role along with a new content strategy that organises and optimises a wide range of resources.

Some of the highlights are:

- [Welcome to Taylor & Francis](#) - **discover the latest policies**
  - [The Editor's Role](#) - **develop your skills** in six key areas with advice from the experts
  - [Meet Your Community](#) – **connect with your editor community**, online and in person.
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[On the behalf of the RSA community, congratulations to the 2018 Policy Expo winners](#)



China's Belt and Road Initiative: Better Policies for Alleviating Risks and Enhancing Opportunities



Putting Universities in their Place – An Evidence Based Approach to Understanding the Contribution of Higher Education to Local and Regional Development

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[2019 Grant Scheme deadlines](#)

At the RSA, we try to support our members in their work, whether this be through their research projects, running networking events, or helping towards travelling costs in order to disseminate research to global audiences. For a summary and access to handbooks, application criteria and the like, please head to [Funding and Awards 2019](#). For clarification or if you have any questions, please email [Klara Sobekova](mailto:klara.sobekova@rsa.org.uk).

- [RSA Policy Expo Grant Scheme](#) – Deadline for the application: 29th March 2019. Applications are invited on the following themes:
  1. Infrastructure connectivity
  2. Austerity urbanism and inclusive growth

### 3. Sustainable energy

#### Other Grant Deadlines

- [RSA Membership Research Grant Scheme](#) – Deadline: 15th May 2019
- [RSA Fellowship Research Grant Scheme](#) – Deadline: 15th May 2019
- [RSA Early Career Grant Scheme](#) – Deadline: 28th May 2019
- [RSA Research Network Grant Scheme](#) – Deadline: 27th September 2019
- [RSA Travel Grant](#) – First deadline: 28th February 2019



The 2019 [RSA Award nominations](#) are now open. Do you know of a recent Masters, PhD or Early Career researcher who has made an exceptional contribution to the field of regional studies? Nominate them for a [2019 RSA award](#)!

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We are always looking for interesting things to share on Twitter and across the social media platforms. Please copy [@regstud](#) into your tweets and I will retweet your news, blogs, events, calls for papers, vacancies or journal articles to our followers. You can also send me a direct message - I will always reply. ^Alex



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#### [Conferences and Events](#)

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## #EURegionsWeek University sessions and Master Class

Watch this space for the forthcoming call for #EURegionsWeek University sessions and applications for the 2019 Master Class on EU Cohesion Policy for PhD students and Early Careers.



### [RSA Australasia Conference 2019, Christchurch, Aotearoa New Zealand](#)

We are eagerly anticipating our first conference of 2019 to be held at Christchurch, in just under two weeks time, covering regional themes such as urban and rural well being, first nations economies and global value chains for regional sustainability. Abstract submission has closed, but there are a few places left for last minute [registrations](#), (and a substantial discount for RSA members). Click the links to find out about our [plenary speakers](#) and [special sessions](#).





This year, our Annual Conference will be held in beautiful Santiago de Compostela in Spain, where the theme is 'Pushing Regions beyond their Borders' and we have a fantastic line up of [plenary speakers](#). There are now 31 [special sessions](#). The abstract submission and early bird registration deadline is the 28th February. The [Policy Day](#) has a great panel line up, with Ignacio Sanchez Amor, Nathalie Verschelde, Jesús Gamallo, and Dr Franziska Sielker discussing how to promote growth of jobs in cross border regions and aims to go beyond the EU cooperation programmes. A day rate is available, which includes registration, lunch and refreshments, and all conference materials.

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Our website includes all the details of our forthcoming conferences into 2019. We are pleased to be able to include events across three continents over the next 12 months:

- [RSA Annual Conference, Santiago de Compostela, Spain](#)
- [2nd Networking Workshop for Early and Mid-Career Women in Regional Studies and Science](#)
- [RSA Europe's Socio-Spatial Dynamics Summer College, Sardinia, Italy](#)
- [RSA Central and Eastern Europe Conference, Lublin, Poland](#)
- [RSA North America Conference, Montréal, Canada](#)
- [RSA Student and Early Career Conference, Lincoln, United Kingdom](#)
- [RSA Winter Conference, London, UK](#)

- [2019 President's Event, London, UK](#)

Clicking on the images below will take you to the relevant web page where you can find out more details about each conference.



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Thinking about becoming a member of the Regional Studies Association? We have a range of [membership categories](#) and [territorial bands](#), with benefits that include online and printed journals, funding opportunities, access to our Expert Register and discounts on publications (there's much more - please see [here](#) for details).

**Members can also get up between 16-80% discount on conference fees.**

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### [RSA Research & Territorial Networks Events](#)

RSA Research Network [Sustainability Transitions in the Coastal Zone: Activating Real Coastal Transitions](#), 12 -16 April 2019

6th FINGEO Global Seminar: 6th [Geography, Finance and Uneven Development](#), 15 -17 May 2019

Nordic Division of the Regional Studies Association (NoRSA) Conference 2019: [Davids and Goliaths: Regions in the Age of Urbanisation and Digitalisation](#) 17 - 19 June 2019

1st FinGeo Global Conference 2019 [Global Financial Shift? Mapping a Financialized World in Transformation](#) 15 - 18 September 2019

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### [Rethinking the Political Economy of Place Conference](#)

We are delighted to be involved once again with the Cambridge Journal of Regions, Economy and Society Conference, to be held at St. Catherine's College on the 11-12th July 2019. For more information, please go to <http://www.cpes.org.uk/events/cjres2019/>

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### [The RSA goes to America](#)

Meet us at this year's AAG 2019 in Washington D.C., where once again we will have a strong presence. It will take place between the 3rd to 7th April 2019 in Washington D.C., USA. Read more about it [here](#).

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## [Publication News](#)

For those of you who are keen to publish, please visit the relevant journal pages on our website for more details about topics, themes and submissions. You can find details of the most recent articles for each journal below.

### **Latest articles in [Regional Studies \(Vol 53\)](#)**

[Call for Papers: Emerging Industries](#) Deadline 1st July 2019

[The impact of spatial spillovers on interprovincial migration in China, 2005–10](#) Pu et al. **Published online:** 28 Jan 2019

[Internal migration of the ‘creative class’ in Germany](#) Vossen et al. **Published online:** 25 Jan 2019

[Towards a comprehensive understanding of new regional industrial path development](#) Hassink et al. **Published online:** 23 Jan 2019

[The influence of the local context on the implementation and impact of EU Cohesion Policy](#) Bachtrögl et al. **Published online:** 22 Jan 2019

[Job matching in connected regional and occupational labour markets](#) Fedorets et al. **Published online:** 21 Jan 2019



### **Latest articles in [Spatial Economic Analysis](#)**

[A test for deterministic dynamics in spatial processes](#), García-Córdoba et al. **Published online:** 21 Jan 2019

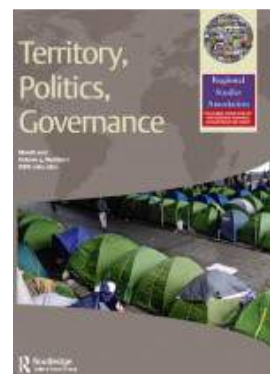
[Testing for redlining in the labour market](#) L'Horty et al. **Published online:** 7 Jan 2019

[Heteroskedasticity-consistent covariance matrix estimators for spatial autoregressive models](#) Taşpınar et al. **Published online:** 23 Dec 2018

## Latest articles in [Territory, Politics, Governance](#)

CfP Special Issue: [New Geographies of Development](#)

[Transforming fast and loose arguments into sound scholarly debate: a response to the critique of 'partial independence beats full independence'](#) Rezvani **Published online:** 28 Jan 2019 [Spatial planning through the political landscape of Ghana: examining the nexus between election manifestos and planning](#) Ibrahim et al. **Published online:** 25 Jan 2019 [What is policy assemblage?](#) Savage **Published online:** 21 Jan 2019 (OPEN ACCESS) [Cheap talk or policy lock? Nationalist frames and sympathetic audience costs in international territorial disputes](#) Zellman **Published online:** 21 Jan 2019 [From urban congestion to political confinement: collecting waste, channelling politics in Lagos](#) Salvaire **Published online:** 21 Jan 2019



## Latest articles in [Area Development and Policy](#)

Now indexed in Clarivate Analytics' Emerging Sources Citation Index and Scopus

[The reproduction of regional inequality through university access: the Gaokao in China](#) Hamnett et al. **Published online:** 28 Jan 2019 [Extending BRICS to BRICS+: the potential for development finance, connectivity and financial stability](#) Lissovolik et al. **Published online:** 28 Jan 2019 [Unlocking the potential of private forests in Madhya Pradesh, India](#) Sushant **Published online:** 1 Jan 2019 [Spatial spillovers of innovation and transport in Brazil](#) Moralles et al. **Published online:** 24 Dec 2018

**Latest articles in [Regional Studies](#), [Regional Science](#) (open access)**

[Institutionalization of cross-border regional innovation systems: the role of university institutional entrepreneurs](#), [Jos van den Broek](#), [Paul Benneworth](#) & [Roel Rutten](#) Pages: 55-

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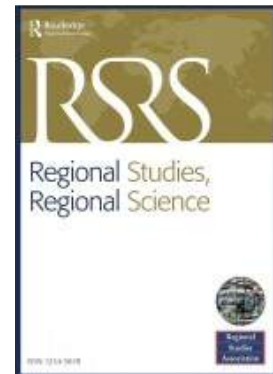
[The evolution of SME policy: the case of New Zealand](#), [Tanya Jurado](#) & [Martina Battisti](#) Pages: 32-54 **Published online:** 17 Jan 2019

[Cities in 'multiple globalizations': insights from the upstream oil and gas World City Network](#), [Moritz Breul](#) Pages: 25-

**31 Published online:** 17 Jan 2019

[Inequality and social capital in the EU regions: a multidimensional analysis](#), [Francesca Parente](#) Pages: 1-

**24 Published online:** 03 Jan 2019



[View the online Special Issue on Regional Innovation Systems](#)



### [Regions e-Zine](#) Issue 3: Engaging, Exchanging and Impacting: Regional Research for All

The third edition *Smart Specialisation for Research and Practice* will be released shortly, and is themed around smart specialisation for regional research. Articles in previous editions have now been issued with the DOIs (digital object identifiers). Each DOI is a persistent link that gives the most up-to date URL of the article online, making it useful in citations.



### Recent RSA Blogs

[News from the Pacific Northwest: Debating 'Regional Second Cities' in City-Regional](#)

[Complexes](#) by Yonn Dierwechter. Published 29 Jan 2019

[Public Policy Effects on Capital Flows for Growth-oriented Enterprise: The Case of Canada](#) by Geoff Gregson Published 23 Jan 2019

[Sustainable cities need more than parks, cafes and a riverwalk.](#) by Alexandre Dubois. Published 16 Jan 2019

[Territorial futures – what’s in it for Europe’s alter-metropolitan places?](#) by Trina Hamilton. Published 16 Jan 2019

If you are currently involved with regional research, policy, and development, and want to elaborate your ideas in a different medium, please contact our blog editor, [Joshua Barrett](#).

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### [Other Publication News](#)

Have you visited the Publications area in the Members Area on our website? Members can now access 23 e-journals, including the most current RSA journal articles. More details can be found [here](#).

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### [Non-RSA Events](#)

We promote a wide variety of non-RSA events on the [Opportunities](#) page of our website. If you have an event or Call for Papers that you would like promoting, please get in touch with [Alex](#).

#### Forthcoming events

- [Spatial Econometric Analysis with STATA and R, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Spain](#) Closing date: February 11, 2019
- [The 2019 European Triple Helix Congress on Responsible Innovation & Entrepreneurship, Thessaloniki, Greece](#) Closing date: February 25, 2019
- [Rethinking the Political Economy of Place: Challenges of Productivity, Inclusion and Power Conference, St Catharine’s College, Cambridge.](#) Closing date: March 1, 2019
- [Comparative Urbanism: Global Perspectives conference , Georgia State University, Atlanta USA](#) Closing date: March 7, 2019



- [Productivity Insights Network conference](#), University of Sheffield, Wednesday 13th March 2019

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## **Vacancies and Opportunities**

We have a variety of PhD scholarships, post-docs and career vacancies listed on our website. Below are just a small selection of the current career openings - many more can be found on the [opportunities](#) pages of our website. Please contact [Alex](#) if you have vacancies that you would like added to our website.

[Two PhD scholarships: Environmental justice 1\) Climate justice, 2\) Women environmental defenders, ICTA UAB, Barcelona, Spain](#) Closing date: February 6, 2019

[Postdoctoral Opportunity – Consumption in Smart Workplaces, Trinity College, University of Dublin, Ireland](#) Closing date: February 11, 2019

[Lecturer in Spatial Sciences, Geography and Spatial Sciences \(GSS\), University of Tasmania, Australia](#) Closing date: February 11, 2019

[PhD research fellowship in innovation and regional studies, University of Stavanger, Norway](#) Closing date: February 15, 2019

[Tenure Track Position as Associate Senior Lecturer, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences \(SLU\), Uppsala, Sweden](#) Closing date: February 18, 2019

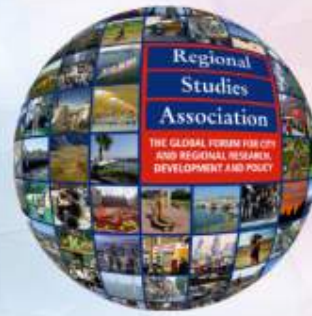
[Tenure-Track Associate Professor/Assistant Professor in Global Health Policy and Evaluation, University of Hong Kong, China](#) Closing date: February 28, 2019



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