The Research Centre of the Faculty of Economics cordially invites you to a research seminar on **Tuesday, 15th November 2016** at 1 p.m. in room P-119 at the Faculty of Economics, University of Ljubljana.

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will present the article:

"Critical reflection on the measurements of residents' attitudes towards tourism: evidence from the empirical models on residents' support for tourism"

“Resident attitudes towards tourism remain one of the most popular research topics, but the literature served up limited empirical evidences on the reasoning for why residents’ grant their support for tourism. This paper utilizes meta-synthesis approach to critically reflect on measurements of resident attitudes towards tourism by reviewing empirical models on resident support for tourism that evolved from 1990 till 2015. Further, Perdue, Long and Allen (1990) model (e.g., the first measurement model on residents’ support for tourism) was utilized as a framework to report on improvements and extensions of (1) antecedent variables, (2) tourism impacts’ variables, and (3) dependent variables, and on their significant relationships. The literature is consistent in reporting on the impact of residents’ personal benefits from tourism and their perceptions of positive tourism impacts on residents’ support for tourism. On the other hand, it has been very scarce in furthering the understanding of how residents, in their support for tourism, distinguish between perceptions of tourism impacts on his/her quality of life and that of the community’s overall life quality.”

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