

# Submission form to the XVII Conference of SIET, Milano 29 June -1 July

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## Title of the presentation

**Empirical evidence from the UK airport industry**

## Abstract (400-500 words)

In this paper, we study whether competition in the airport market and the vertical interactions between upstream airports and downstream airlines influence the airport pricing decisions. Using a panel of the twenty-four largest UK airports, as well as a refined definition of competition between airports, we find that lower concentration in an airport's catchment area, higher airlines countervailing power and more intense downstream competition, as measured by lower degrees of product differentiation of airlines, are associated to lower aeronautical charges. We also find that stronger competition in the airport market and more intense competition between airlines are complements.

Keyword 1:	airport; competition; countervailing power; vertical relations
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### Suggested Session (max 3)

(To which of the following sessions do you think your contribution fits better?)

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### Session type

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### Language

(Will your presentation be in English or in Italian?)

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