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“I am deeply moved by this special honour. It symbolizes the great spirit in the Romanian science system where intellectual resources and social capital have led to a promising merger which will be so important for a joint future. The fact that the Academy of Economic Studies has given regional economics a full recognition as a mature discipline indicates the sense of science in this country. I feel honoured to be now a member of this scientific community which I deeply respect and admire. I will do my utmost to strengthen our relationship in the spirit of the European cooperation model. Thank you so much”.

Peter Nijkamp

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