

PURPOSE, VISION OF ISINI

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Every professional organization is striving to have something new, some new ideas or practice in its own field, but the vision of ISINI transcends this usual, common purpose.

ISINI has a new message: its very existence finds justification in the motto "In searching for new ideas, new better concepts, new better theories and new better interpretations of past and/or present ideas".

Of course, we are in favor of an open dialogue, not only with other already established directions: mainstream economics, social economics, institutional economics, evolutionary economics, etc, but also in addition with other fields, first the other sisters in social sciences and also with natural sciences.

But ultimately, our motto remains as a new message. Its roots are in *methodology of science*, and in *analysis* the *final dream* is a *methodological unification* of all sciences. Indeed, if economics pretends to be a science then it must have a common denominator - of course retaining and keeping its individual character - with all other sciences, i.e. the rest of our sisters in the vast field of studying human societies of today and other times, together with the study of *Mother Nature*, i.e. natural sciences.

This is the first final dream in analysis: *the methodological unification of all sciences*. The *second final dream*, actually a continuation of the first one, namely in practice, in application of methodology of science, is to show *consistently* and *systematically* how to realize and to maintain in the real world the great ideal of all nations, of all races, that is of HUMANITY: the dream of a Free, Just and Stable Economy and Society.

With this new message ISINI was officially founded in the fall of 1988 and registered as a non-profit institution in Boston, MA, USA.

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