

Review of: "Attitude towards business activity risk: evidence using logit models for two groups of OECD countries"

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The authors of the paper "*Attitude towards business activity risk: evidence using logit models for two groups of OECD countries*" address a relevant topic, namely entrepreneurship, because of some factors highlighted by the authors of the paper. However, we suggest the authors of the work, especially because we are part of the digital era, to review on the one hand the specialized scientific literature (respectively the completion of the work from the years 2021-2023, using international scientific databases), the representative entrepreneurship a direct socio-economic contribution oriented towards the societal good, especially in the context of the current multi-crises existing globally. The work presents a multiplying effect, the problem addressed being specific and existing globally.

The concepts, bibliographic references and citations are adequately mentioned by the authors within the paper, but as I mentioned, we suggest revising and completing the bibliographic sources, respectively by introducing a new chapter of "*literature review*".

The research methodology is appropriate, the authors use "non-linear logit probability models, to verify, in the period 2001-2016, if the factors education, experience, knowledge, skills, age, among others, directly influence a person to decide to start a business". However, from our point of view, the data series is limited, given the fact that the authors stop at 2016, while we are in 2023, and the factors in this period are very different and relevant to the topics addressed by the authors. That is why we suggest the authors of the paper review the data series and its related factors, so that the personal scientific contributions are as clear as possible.

The results of the study are relevant in relation to the data used by the authors, respectively, they are justified by the fact that "for each group of countries, statistically significant variables and odd rates were detected that increase the probability that a person feels aversion to the risk of to fail when starting a new business". However, as we have already suggested, we believe that the data series should be brought as close as possible to the year 2023, and the bibliographic sources as updated as possible, so that the data are relevant for the current moment. Moreover, *we suggest the authors of the work highlight as clearly as possible what are the personal innovative scientific contributions to international specialized scientific literature.*

The conclusions presented by the authors of the work highlight the fact that "entrepreneurship has grown in the universities of the world faster than in any other field", and the orientation of the research is applied and with direct reference to policies. *At the same time, we suggest that the authors of the paper highlight as clearly as possible the*

limitations of the study, as well as future research.

We congratulate the research team for the topic addressed, and after the review according to the recommendations mentioned in the report, we propose a re-evaluation and in the event of the appropriate review, we recommend for publication.