

Conference Diary

2008

july

14-16 July

Sheffield

Annual conference of the **Work, Pensions and Labour Economics Study Group (WPEG)** to be held at the University of Sheffield. Keynote speakers include: Professor Paul Gregg (Bristol, CMPO), Professor Steve Nickell (Oxford) and Professor Julia Lane (NORC, Chicago).

Further information from:

<http://wpeg.group.shef.ac.uk/callforpapers.htm>

5-6 September

Athens, Greece

CALL FOR PAPERS

Third symposium of the **European Association of Evolutionary Political Economy on Markets as Institutions: History and Theory**. The purpose is to explore new directions in historical and theoretical research on the institutional properties of markets. Submissions should be sent to Professor Ioanna Minoglou (iminoglou@aueb.gr).

Further information from: www.de.aueb.gr

8 September

Bristol

Conference of the **Economics Network for Key Contacts** to be held at the University of Bristol. The conference will focus on employability and student skills; and small-scale innovations in teaching. The keynote speaker is Andy Ross (GES and HM Treasury). Free of charge, including accommodation on the 8 September to allow delegates to attend the eLearning Symposium on the 9 September.

Further information from:

www.economicsnetwork.ac.uk/news/

9 September

Bristol

eLearning symposium to be held at the University of Bristol. The symposium aims to introduce Economics teachers to the wide range of eLearning technologies available. Technologies will include blogging, podcasting and social networking applications as well as personal response systems and interactive tools for economics. Free of charge.

Further information from:

www.economicsnetwork.ac.uk/news/

10-11 September

Nottingham

CALL FOR PAPERS

Second annual Granger Centre conference on **Bootstrap and Numerical Methods in Time Series** to be held at the University of Nottingham. Confirmed keynote speakers include:

Peter Boswijk (Universiteit van Amsterdam), Jörg Breitung (University of Bonn, Silvia Gonçalves (Université de Montréal), Patrik Guggenberger (UCLA), Javier Hidalgo (LSE), Tim Vogelsang (Michigan State University). **Papers (or extended abstracts) should be submitted by 18 July 2008** to Robert Taylor (robert.taylor@nottingham.ac.uk).

Further information from:

<http://www.nottingham.ac.uk/economics/grangercentre/conf2008/>

10-12 September

London

The **40th Annual Conference of the Money, Macro and Finance Research Group** will take place at Birkbeck College, University of London. The Keynote Speakers will include: Michael B Devereux (University of British Columbia), George Evans (University of Oregon) and Paul Tucker (Bank of England)

Further details are available from:

www.worldeconomyandfinance.org/mmf2008.html

15-19 September

Zalesie, Poland

Summer school on **Firm-level analysis of innovation, competitiveness and employment**, organised by the MICRO-DYN consortium, will be held in Zalesie, near Warsaw.

Further information from: www.micro-dyn.eu

17-18 September

London

Sixth annual **OxMetrics User conference** to be held at Cass Business School. The conference aims to provide a forum for the presentation and exchange of research results and practical experiences within the fields of computational and financial econometrics, empirical economics, time-series and cross-section statistics and applied mathematics.

Further information from: Giovanni Urga (g.urga@city.ac.uk) or www.cass.city.ac.uk/conferences/oxmetrics2008/index.html.

18-20 September Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Twentieth annual conference of the **European Association of Labour Economists (EALE)** to be held at the University of Amsterdam. The aim of the conference is to facilitate the exchange of research ideas and results across a range of fields in Labour Economics.

Further information from:
www.eale.nl/Conference2008/Call%20for%20Papers.htm

19-21 September

Evora, Portugal

CALL FOR PAPERS

Tenth annual conference of **INFER**. The conference is open to any field of research in economics. Researchers, especially young researchers, are invited to submit theoretical and applied papers across all areas of economics. Young researchers are also encouraged to apply for the young economist award of INFER. Researchers are encouraged to submit their own sessions. **Deadline: 9 May 2008.**

Further information from: <http://www.infer-research.net>

october

17-19 October

Cluj-Napoca, Romania

Eight workshop organized by INFER on **International Economics**. The workshop provides an opportunity for economists interested to exchange ideas, to create links in research and to meet fellows in related subject. Researchers are invited to submit theoretical and applied papers broadly consistent with the workshop's special topic Globalization, Integration and transition.

Further information from: www.infer-research.net

31 October - 1 November

Berlin, Germany

12th conference on **Macroeconomic Policies on Shaky Foundations - Whither Mainstream Economics?** organised by the Research Network Macroeconomics and Macroeconomic Policies in Berlin. Invited speakers include David Colander, John King, Bruno Amable, Philip Arestis, Marc Lavoie, Charles Goodhart and Tom Palley.

Further information from:
Susanne-Stoeger@BOECKLER.DE

november

7-9 November

Florence, Italy

Annual meetings of **ASSET** to be held at the European University Institute.

Further information from: www.eui.eu/ECO/Asset2008/

28 November

Cambridge

CALL FOR PAPERS

One day workshop on **Forecasting Under Model Instability** to be held at Trinity College Cambridge. The aim of the workshop is to provide a forum for discussing current research on forecasting in environments that are characterized by structural breaks or model instability using classical or Bayesian approaches. Confirmed invited speakers include: David Hendry, Gary Koop, Andrew Patton. Papers should be submitted (pdf file) by **1 September 2008** to Sharon Swan at sharon.swann@econ.cam.ac.uk.

Further information from:
www.econ.cam.ac.uk/cimf/news/cimf-confFMI.htm

december

5-6 December

London

First annual Chicago/London conference on **Financial Markets** to be held at Cass Business School. The conference aims to stimulate an ongoing dialogue among academics, practitioners, and policymakers with mutual interests in financial markets. The theme of the conference will be: What Went Wrong?: Financial Engineering, Financial Econometrics, and the Current Stress.

Further information from: Giovanni Urga at g.urga@city.ac.uk and www.cass.city.ac.uk/conferences/Chicago_London/index.html.

2009

january

14-15 January

Vallendar, Germany

CALL FOR PAPERS

Annual research conference on **Finance** to be held at the WHU. Academics and practitioners are invited to submit papers (in English) by **15 August 2008** on all areas of finance.

Further information from:
www.campus-for-finance.com/index.php?id=685

march

23-24 March

Berlin, Germany

CALL FOR PAPERS

Conference on **Forecasting and Monetary Policy** will be held at the Bundesbank facility, Berlin. Deadline for submissions is **November 30 2008**.

Further information from:
<http://www.wlu.ca/viessmann/conferences.html> also provides the details

april

20 – 22 April

Surrey

CALL FOR PAPERS

Annual conference of the **Royal Economic Society** to be held at the University of Surrey.

Further information from: see p22 also
www.res.org.uk/society/annualconf.asp

23-25 April

Marina Del Rey, Los Angeles

CALL FOR PAPERS

Biennial conference of the **European Union Studies Association**. Paper proposals for inclusion in the economics stream of the conference should be submitted to David Mayes and Patrick Crowley at d.mayes@auckland.ac.nz and pcrowley@cob.tamucc.edu.

Further information from: David Mayes and Patrick Crowley at addresses above and www.eustudies.org.

28-30 April

Waterloo, Canada

CALL FOR PAPERS

Conference on **Central Bank communication, decision-making and governance** at the Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada. Deadline for submissions: **December 31, 2008**.

Further information from:
www.wlu.ca/viessmann/conferences.html

june

11-12 June

Helsinki, Finland

Conference on **Chinese Financial markets and the World Economy**. Deadline for submissions: **31 November 2008**.

Further information from:
www.wlu.ca/viessmann/conferences.html