

CALL FOR PAPERS – Abstract Submission is Now Open!

1st Vienna Workshop on Economic Forecasting 2018

Institute for Advanced Studies
Josefstädterstrasse 39, 1080 Vienna, Austria
February 15 – 16, 2018

We invite you to submit a paper to our 1st Vienna Workshop on Forecasting in Economics. The Workshop, hosted by the Institute for Advanced Studies, will take place on **February 15-16, 2018**.

Four invited lectures are given by (in alphabetical order):

Gianni Amisano (Federal Reserve Board)
Raffaella Giacomini (University College London)
Lucrezia Reichlin (London Business School)
David Turner (OECD)

The Scientific Committee comprises (in alphabetical order):

Manfred Deistler (TU Wien)
Domenico Giannone (Federal Reserve Bank New York)
Robert Kunst (University of Vienna and Institute for Advanced Studies IHS)
Hashem Pesaran (University of Southern California and Cambridge University)
Tommaso Proietti (University of Rome Tor Vergata)
Anders Rahbek (University of Copenhagen)
Martin Wagner (TU Dortmund and Institute for Advanced Studies IHS)

The conference welcomes contributions from different approaches to economic forecasting, including forecasts based on time series models (VAR, SVAR, Factor Models,...), DSGE models, large scale structural models. Another topic of interest is forecast evaluation.

The goal of this conference is to exchange ideas and to discuss recent results and developments in economic forecasting. Authors working in applications or theory of economic forecasting are invited to submit an abstract.

At the end of the workshop a panel of Austrian forecasters from different institutions, moderated by Manfred Deistler, will discuss the implications of the insights gained for practice. We expect that similar implications apply to the forecasting communities of other small countries.

In conjunction with the workshop we plan to publish a special volume of 'Empirical Economics' - Academic Journal of the Institute for Advanced Studies. Workshop participants are invited to submit.

Registration and online submission of an abstract is possible through the conference management system [Conftool](#) from September 30, 2017 and must be received by November 30, 2017. Acceptance for presentation (oral or poster) will be communicated by December 31, 2017.

Submission of papers: <https://www.conftool.net/forecasting2018/>
Conference website: <http://www.ihs.ac.at/conferences/forecasting/>

Best regards,

[Robert Kunst](#), [Martin Wagner](#) and [Helga Hanl-Lohn](#)

Your organizers of 1st Vienna Workshop on Economic Forecasting 2018.