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Economics and Psychology: New ways of thinking about economic policy

Conference: Call for Papers

The National Institute of Economic and Social Research, Warwick University, Centre for Macroeconomics and the Bank of England are organizing a conference on *Economics and Psychology: New ways of thinking about economic policy* to be held on July 9th and 10th 2018 at the Bank of England. The organizing committee consists of Roger Farmer, Roberto Pancrazi, Philippe Bracke, Wouter Den Haan and Jagdish Tripathy.

We have confirmed opening remarks by Ben Broadbent (Deputy Governor of the Bank of England) and keynote speeches by Seppo Honkapohja (Aalto University School of Business and former Deputy Governor of the Bank of Finland) and Vítor Constâncio, (Deputy Governor of the European Central Bank). The conference dinner on July 9th will be hosted by Silvana Tenreyro, Professor of Economics at the London School of Economics and member of the Bank of England Monetary Policy Committee.

The conference will last for two days and we envisage that it will consist of 12-14 papers with discussants. We are looking for high quality research papers that may help to guide monetary, and micro or macro prudential policy. Papers may be theoretical or empirical and preference will be given to papers that are imaginative and in an early stage of development.

Participants will be selected on the basis of papers or abstracts of about 500 words, with a strong preference for completed papers. The deadline for submissions is March 31st 2018. Authors chosen to present papers will be notified by April 27th, 2018. Final drafts of the papers will be due at NIESR on June 25th, 2018. The organizers will pay travel and hotel expenses for one author per paper as well as for discussants.

If you are interested in participating, please email your paper or abstract by March 31st to callpapers@niesr.ac.uk. We look forward to hearing from you.