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CALL FOR PAPERS for CONFERENCE

**EPEI 2018 "ECONOMIC POLICIES FOR ECONOMIC IMBALANCES:
INSTITUTIONS, ACTORS AND EMERGING ISSUES"**

Naples, 28-29 September 2018



VENUE: Villa Doria D'Angri, Via Petrarca, 80
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Conference Objectives

How effective are monetary and fiscal policies in highly indebted countries? Are traditional government interventions sufficient to restore macroeconomic balance and vigour in sluggish economies? These questions have entered the research agenda with force and energy after the failure of standard government measures tackling the consequences of the 2008 financial crises. In many countries, deep fiscal imbalances coupled with slow growth and high level of unemployment have forced governments in an area where policies appear to be completely ineffective or even damaging. This is particularly true for EU countries with high levels of sovereign debt. The failure is presumably the result of frictions in the working of markets and the effect of a resilient institutional framework which affects the channel of transmission of fiscal and monetary policies to the economy. The conference has the objective to discuss the power of government policies in alleviating economic imbalances and, hence, it aims at addressing an old issue through the force of new evidences and theoretical arguments. The role of institutions in allocating resources, the power of policies to produce sound growth and development, the interplay between monetary and fiscal policy in achieving specific goals, are only some of the issue that the conference will address.

Main conference themes:

The future of democracy and the economic policy autonomy in a globalized context

Poverty and Inequality inside the policy framework of the Eurozone

Welfare Policies

Environmental policies

Budgetary institutions and budgetary choices

European institutions accountability and Citizens' trust

Policies for development

Finance for development and growth

Financial Instability in a Global Economy

Monetary Policy in an Era of Fiscal Deficits: the new macroeconomic consensus

After the crisis: new Paths to Economic Growth

Invited speakers:

Toke Aidt
Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge

Ayhan Kose
Director Development Prospects Group, World Bank

Chris Papageorgiou
Deputy Division Chief, International Monetary Fund

Organizing committee: Mariangela Bonasia, Rosaria Rita Canale, Salvatore Capasso, Elina De Simone, Marcella D'Uva, Pasquale Foresti, Oreste Napolitano.

Scientific committee: Mariangela Bonasia, Rosaria Rita Canale, Salvatore Capasso, Elina De Simone, Marcella D'Uva, Pasquale Foresti, Oreste Napolitano.

Publication opportunities

Selected papers from conference, after being extended, will be submitted to the following journals – for being considered for possible publication – following the normal reviewing process of each one, with the view to publishing the highest quality submissions:

Metroeconomica



Online ISSN: 1467-999X

The call for paper for Metroeconomica will be announced after registration has closed.

Journal of Economic Studies



ISSN: 0144-3585

The call for paper for Journal of Economic Studies will be announced after registration has closed.

Important Dates:

- **Conference Dates:** Friday and Saturday, 28-29 September 2018
- **Abstract Submissions:** May 30th 2018
- **Notification of Acceptance:** June 15th 2018
- **Deadline for Paper submission:** July 15th 2018
- **Deadline for Participant Registration:** July 31st 2018

Submission process:

Complete manuscripts or extended abstracts (max 500 words) should be submitted electronically in a Microsoft Word format to EPEI2018@uniparthenope.it. All abstracts should include the title, keywords, JEL classification, authors' names, affiliation and an email address. Please underline the name of the presenting author.

Workshop Fees

Conference fee is 200 euro. The fee include participation in the workshop, coffee breaks and social dinner

Registration form and payment:

A registration form will be activated on the conference website. Please, visit the **conference website** at <http://www.epeiconference2018.com/> for complete information

Selected participants should make payment by bank transfer with the following details:

Account owner: Università degli studi di Napoli "Parthenope"

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