

2016 CESifo Area Conference on Employment and Social Protection



Call for Papers

On **8–9 April 2016**, CESifo will organise the annual CESifo Area Conference on Employment and Social Protection in Munich for all members of the CESifo Research Network with an interest in this research area.

The purpose of the workshop is to bring together CESifo members to present and discuss their ongoing research, and to stimulate interaction and co-operation between them. All CESifo Research Network members are invited to submit their papers, which may deal with any topic within the domains of employment and social protection. Both domains are to be broadly defined, the former including, in particular, issues of the organisation of labour. The latter domain, in turn, includes not only governmental institutions of the welfare state, like social insurance, but also other non-governmental institutions of the welfare society, such as the family, or charities and informal networks, social norms and altruistic behaviour.

The keynote lecture will be delivered by **Bertil Tungodden** (Norwegian School of Economics).

The **deadline for submission of papers is 20 January 2016.** Only online submissions will be accepted. To submit a paper click on the following link: <u>Submit a paper</u>

Should you have any (technical) difficulties with the online submission procedure, please contact office@cesifo.de for assistance.

Please note that the **same paper** is allowed to be submitted to **only one** of the CESifo area conferences. Authors of submitted papers will be notified no later than 8 February 2016 as to whether their paper has been accepted for the workshop. Papers which are more related to the topic of other area conferences may be re-directed to the respective area coordinator.

CESifo will provide accommodation, and reimburse economy travel costs for CESifo Research Fellows/Affiliates with accepted papers. All papers presented at the conference will appear in the CESifo Working Paper Series.

Further questions regarding the organisation and scientific content of the workshop should be addressed to the conference organizer, Kai A. Konrad, Max Planck Institute for Tax Law and Public Finance (kai.konrad@tax.mpg.de).

Distinguished CESifo Affiliate - Call for Nominations

The Distinguished CESifo Affiliate prize, aimed at encouraging talented young scholars, will be awarded to the best paper presented by a young author at this conference. Candidates will be accepted from close to completion of their PhD, to no more than five years after having completed it. The same limit applies to co-authors in the case of papers with multiple authors. The criteria for the award are scientific originality, policy relevance and quality of exposition. The winning paper will appear in the CESifo Working Paper Series and the winner will receive a €3000 prize.

All CESifo Research Fellows are welcome to nominate candidates for the award (please note that it is not mandatory for candidates to be from the research network).

To nominate a candidate, a CESifo Research Fellow must submit a paper that is authored or coauthored by the nominee, along with the nominee's CV and a short letter that confirms that the above listed requirements for the nominee and possible co-authors of the nominated paper are fulfilled. Also, the letter should give a short explanation for the nomination.

The nomination should be sent to Kai A. Konrad, Max Planck Institute for Tax Law and Public Finance (kai.konrad@tax.mpg.de) at the latest by **20 January 2016.**

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