
3RD ADVANCES IN MACRO-FINANCE

Tepper-LAEF CONFERENCE

CALL FOR PAPERS

Santa Barbara, California
September 14-15, 2012

The Tepper School of Business at Carnegie Mellon University and the Laboratory for Aggregate Economics and Finance at the University of California Santa Barbara will hold the 3rd conference on **Advances in Macro-Finance**, designed to bring together leading scholars in the field. The meeting will take place at UC Santa Barbara, Friday September 14, and Saturday September 15, 2012. The conference will consist of selected papers with formal discussants for each paper.

Conference theme:

The conference is to focus on research at the intersection of finance and macroeconomics. Topics include, but are not limited to: time-varying uncertainty; structural estimation and empirical asset pricing; heterogeneous agent economies; capital structure and firm dynamics; pricing currencies, commodities and sovereign debt. Preference will be given to recent papers that have not previously been presented at major conferences.

Submission procedure:

Please submit an electronic version of the paper (PDF format) no later than June 15th, 2012 to: TepperLAEF2012@gmail.com. Paper selections will be finalized by the end of June 2012. Funding is available for presenters and discussants.

Tentative schedule:

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| Friday Sept. 14 | Presentations 10:00 to 17:30 | Dinner: 20:00 |
| Saturday Sept. 15 | Presentations: 10:00 to 15:00 | |

Organizers: Lars-Alexander Kuehn, Finn Kydland and Nicolas Petrosky-Nadeau