

CALL FOR PAPERS

ITAM-PIER Conference on Macroeconomics and Finance Mexico City, 22-23 September 2022

The Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM) and the Pennsylvania Institute for Economic Research (PIER) of the University of Pennsylvania will organize the seventh edition of the annual conference on Macroeconomics and Finance.

The goal of the ITAM-PIER Conference is to bring together researchers from around the world to discuss frontier articles in leading topics on Macroeconomics and Finance. This year we expect to host an in-person event, although we will be closely monitoring the pandemic situation to assess if this is feasible or if we should switch to a hybrid format.

The focus of the conference is very broad, aiming to include theoretical and empirical work, work with a positive or normative focus, as well as work from either a domestic or international perspective. We expect to cover about ten papers in detail.

This year, we are looking for new papers focusing on the broad theme of macroeconomics and finance, macro policy, sovereign debt, financial intermediation, and their implications for the real economy. The range of topics spanning this main theme is very large, and we welcome submissions from all of their angles, including but not limited to:

- Firm dynamics, labor markets, financial frictions, and the macroeconomy
- Public debt dynamics and sovereign debt crises
- Frictions in international finance
- Monetary policy, financial markets, and financial intermediation
- Expectations and the macroeconomy
- Sectoral and labor market shifts in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic

The submission deadline is May 30th, 2022. Authors of selected papers will be notified by June 17th. Papers should be submitted in electronic format (PDF) to macrofinance@itam.mx. More information about the conference and its previous editions can be found at <http://macrofinance.itam.mx>.

The conference will reimburse participants for air tickets in economy class, local transportation in Mexico City, and three nights of hotel accommodation.

We hope to see you in Mexico this fall!

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