
Call for Papers

Tenth IFC Conference on

“The future of finance: implications for central bank statistics”

BIS Basel, 27 and 28 August 2020

The Tenth biennial IFC Conference, the flagship event of the Irving Fisher Committee on Central Bank Statistics (IFC), will discuss: *“The future of finance: implications for central bank statistics”*, covering amongst other issues:

- (i) the impact of innovation and fintech on the measurement and classification of new types of financial intermediation;
- (ii) financial inclusion and literacy issues;
- (iii) data management issues faced by central banks as compilers of financial statistics as well as users of this information.

In addition to central banks, the IFC Conference is open to members of the International Statistical Institute (ISI) as well as to international organisations.

An award will be granted for the best paper submitted by a young statistician (see [criteria](#)).

Papers presented at the conference will be published in the [IFC Bulletin](#).

Please send the title and abstract of your paper together with the filled in form on the back of this call to the IFC.Secretariat@bis.org by **30 April 2020**.

Important dates:

- Abstract submission (100 words): 30 April 2020
- Acceptance notification: mid-May 2020
- Submission of papers for Young Statistician Award: 30 June 2020
- Submission of presentations (max. 8 slides): 10 August 2020
- Submission of papers (5,000 words) and CV: 31 July 2020
- Submission of final papers for IFC Bulletin: 31 October 2020

Contact:

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- I am interested in contributing a paper for the conference and I will submit an abstract of my paper to the IFC Secretariat **by 30 April 2020**.

Title of the paper:

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- This paper will be submitted for the “Best Paper by a Young Statistician Award”
- I am interested in acting as a discussant

Please return this form by **30 April 2020** to:

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