

# EFA 2017: Eastern Finance Association (EFA) Annual Meetings

April 5 - 8, 2017, Jacksonville, Florida

The preliminary program for the 2017 Eastern Finance Association (EFA) Annual Meetings at the Hyatt Regency Jacksonville Riverfront in Jacksonville, Florida, April 5 - 8, 2017 is now available online through <http://www.easternfinance.org> or directly through <https://etnpconferences.net/efa>. With over 50 sessions, approximately 168 papers, 6 panels, and Professor Roni Michaely as our keynote speaker, the 2017 EFA will provide an engaging venue for us. You can register at <https://etnpconferences.net/efa>

**FINANCIAL REVIEW EDITOR'S COMMENTS:** We are pleased to bring the following announcements to your attention.

1. The Financial Review now has an accelerated review track for submitted papers. The accelerated review track is intended for papers that are polished and are of publication-ready quality. An article submitted for accelerated review will receive an "outright/conditionally accept" or "reject outright" decision, usually within two months of submission. No revise and resubmits will be given under the accelerated review track.

Authors of accepted papers will have the opportunity to revise their work according to reviewers comments, but this revision is optional. Rejected papers will no longer be considered for publication at the Financial Review, and authors cannot submit them under the standard review track.

Further details are available at <https://financialreview.poole.ncsu.edu/2016/03/03/accelerated-reviews-at-the-financial-review>

2. The Financial Review is now indexed in the Web of Science, as part of the Emerging Sources Citation Index (ESCI). Coverage and citation records on the Web of Science start with articles published in the February 2016 issue.

3. The following articles will appear in the February 2017 issue of The Financial Review.

- Does the Probability of Informed Trading Model Fit Empirical Data?

(Authors: Gan, Quan; Wei, WangChun; Johnstone, David)

- Are Odd-Lot Orders Informed?

(Authors: Johnson, Hardy; Upson, James)

- Macroeconomic Announcements and the Distribution of Price-Endings in the U.S. Treasury Market

(Authors: Nikiforov, Andrei; Pilotte, Eugene)

- Foreign Institutional Investment, Ownership, and Liquidity: Real and Informational Frictions

(Authors: Ding, Mingfa; Nilsson, Birger; Suardi, Sandi)

- Contemporaneous Spillover Effects Between the U.S. and the U.K. Equity Markets

(Authors: Frijns, Bart; Finta, Marinela; Tourani-rad, Alireza)