CEPR European Workshop on Household Finance Call For Papers

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The CEPR Network on Household Finance and the Copenhagen Business School, supported in part by the Think Forward Initiative (TFI), are organizing the 2017 CEPR European Workshop on Household Finance. The objective is to present state-of-the-art empirical and theoretical research on household financial behavior and on how it is influenced by other choices, government policies, and the overall economic environment.

TOPICS: The organizers particularly encourage submissions from PhD students in household finance planning to go on the job market in Winter 2017 (who are asked to indicate their status when submitting). Top student submissions will be included in the regular workshop programmer, and the best student paper will be awarded the CEPR Network Prize on Household Finance, sponsored by TFI. We solicit papers in the following areas, but other related areas may also be considered:

- Asset allocation and debt behavior over the life cycle
- Financing retirement and the demographic transition
- Consumer indebtedness, financial distress, and default decisions
- Behavioral approaches to household finance
- Financial literacy and financial education programs
- Trust, subjective expectations, pessimism, and financial decisions
- International comparisons of household finances using micro-data
- Financial advice and legal protection of investors and borrowers

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LOCAL ORGANISER: Steffen Andersen (Copenhagen Business School and CEPR)

CONFERENCE VENUE: The workshop will be held at Copenhagen Business School

PAPER SUBMISSION PROCEDURE: Authors who are CEPR members can upload their submission on http://dev3.cepr.org/accounts/login.asp?NewURL=/accounts/config/accountconfig.asp. Authors who are not CEPR members can email their submission to Chloe Smith at csmith@cepr.org. Please indicate in your email whether you will be able to cover your own travel and accommodation costs, or whether you will require funding. The deadline for submissions is 18:00 (GMT), **Friday 10 February 2017.**

The organizers plan to confirm inclusion in the programme by Friday, 10 March 2017. We expect to be able to cover costs for speakers and discussants and to provide some support for junior researchers.

Conference registration and hotel reservations will be organized by Copenhagen Business School. Information will be posted on the CEPR Network website (http://cepr.org/content/cepr-network-household-finance) as it becomes available.