CALL FOR PAPERS

“Finance & Society”
Paris, March 20-21, 2023

The Financial Risks International Forum on “Finance & Society” is an International Research Forum for academics and professionals organized by the Institut Louis Bachelier.

We invite academics, professionals and regulators to submit research papers for this event, which will take place in Paris, on March 20-21, 2023.

What is the benefit of finance for society? Finance interacts with all parts of our daily lives, politics and the economy. Numerous economic theories have emphasized the crucial role played by the financial sector to our society: managing risks, allocating capital, providing price signals, reducing agency issues, benefitting economic development. But economists’ views are not necessarily shared by society at large. After the Subprime crisis, trust in banks dropped. Finance is perceived as a rent-seeking activity. Defi is developed as an alternative to traditional finance. It is difficult to restore trust, despite advances in regulation and the development of sustainable finance.

This upcoming 16th Financial Risks International Forum aims to discuss the interactions between finance and society, and the contributions of financial innovations, regulation, green finance and financial technology to our society.

GUEST SPEAKERS
David THESMAR, Franco Modigliani Professor of Financial Economics, MIT
Tarun RAMADORAI, Professor of Financial Economics, Imperial College London

We welcome the submission of research papers on the following and other relevant topics:
- Financial development, innovations and growth, real effects of monetary policy
- Green finance, ESG, socially responsible investment, climate change and inequalities, just transition, climate risk and stress testing
- Financial regulation: capital requirements, ESG standards
- Retail finance and insurance: equitable access to credit, mortgage and students’ loans, inclusive finance, financial advisors, pension and retirement funds, structured products, annuities, insurance products
- Fintechs and digital innovations: cryptos, Decentralized Finance (DeFi), digital investment and credit platforms, robo advisors, crowdfunding, social media and investment
- Artificial Intelligence (AI) in finance: ethics, fairness, explainability, regulation
- Trust in finance: stock market aversion, bank bailouts, financial scandals, fraud, greenwashing

New deadline: January 9th 2023

Complete papers in PDF format should be submitted electronically, using the submission form below. The results of the selection procedure will be announced by mid-January 2023.
EXPENSES
The Institut Louis Bachelier may cover part of travel and accommodation expenses for the authors of the papers selected (upon request and the decision of the Scientific Committee, and for speakers only).

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