



Associazione Europea
per il Diritto Bancario e Finanziario

CALL FOR PAPERS

How is the business of financial intermediaries changing?

The Associazione Europea per il Diritto Bancario e Finanziario, the Italian Society affiliated with the Association Européenne pour le Droit Bancaire et Financier / European Society for Banking and Financial Law invites its members and, more generally, scholars of banking and financial law and the economics of financial intermediaries to submit research papers to the 2023 **Annual Conference, "How is the business of financial intermediaries changing?"**, organised in cooperation with the Milan office of the Bank of Italy and the Faculty of Banking, Finance and Insurance Sciences of the Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, which will take place on 7 November 2023. The conference will be held at the Bank of Italy's Milan Branch.

Scientific legal and economical work on the following indicative topics will be considered:

- Principle of proportionality and banking
- Social responsibility in banking
- Trends in banking activity and profitability in Italy and the EU
- Productivity and employment in banking
- Recent banking crises in Italy and abroad
- Over-indebtedness and banking
- Implications of inflation on banking activity

The purpose of the Call for Papers is to solicit papers - critical or empirical and not simply descriptive - that aspire to be the subject of presentation and discussion at the conference.

DEADLINES FOR SENDING CONTRIBUTIONS

The deadlines are as follows:

- by **30 September 2023**: send the abstract as an attachment to an e-mail message (to aedbf.segreteria@gmail.com) to submit it for selective refereeing (peer review); the abstract must be at least 3000 characters long and contain a brief description of the topic of the paper and the problem profiles that the author intends to address;
- by **10 October 2023**: notification of admission to the AEDBF Annual Convention;
- by **23 October 2023**: submission of the complete paper by the same means and to the same address.

For admission, written works in both Italian and English will be considered.

In the case of contributions involving more than one author, the identification of a corresponding author is requested, who will be in charge of carrying out the procedure for the computer dispatch of abstracts and papers. Any communication from AEDBF (acceptance, rejection of the paper, etc.) will be addressed to the corresponding author.

PUBLICATION OPPORTUNITIES

When submitting the abstract, the corresponding author must state whether he/she wishes the work to be considered for publication in a special issue of the *Journal of Financial Management, Markets and Institutions* published by a prestigious international publisher (World Scientific Publishing Corporation). This academic journal is indexed on Scopus and band A+ for the AIDEA ranking. After the conference, these articles will be subject to a *fast-track* process in the standard *submission* procedure.

Please note the possibility of submitting submitted papers dealing with legal issues (written in Italian) to the journal *Banca, borsa, titoli di credito* published by Giuffrè, Francis Lefebvre. After the conference, these papers will also be subject to an independent refereeing process.

All papers will also be evaluated with a view to the publication of a collected volume, as has been done in previous years with the publisher Il Mulino.

Hoping for a broad and widespread response to our Call, we extend our warmest greetings and best wishes to all.

Milan, 16 June 2023.

The President
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