

## 4th Call for Papers



Extended submission deadline: February 28, 2013

# The Annual Meeting of the Austrian Economic Association (NOeG) will be held at the University of Innsbruck Faculty of Economics and Statistics

May 10<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>, 2013

Main conference topic is

### **EUROPEAN INTEGRATION: QUO VADIS?**

In recent decades, the European integration has made major steps forward. Yet, since the financial crises 2008/2009 severe disequilibria have become manifest questioning the sustainability and the further development of the European integration. Specifically, within the European Monetary Union these disequilibria are reflected by large trade deficits, capital outflows, fiscal deficits and the accumulation of large debt in some of its member states. Taking a long-run view, the major topic of the conference will revolve around the perspectives of the common currency and the economic mechanisms and policies required promoting sustainable growth and further integration in Europe. Beside this main topic, contributions from all other fields of economics are welcome.

#### **Keynote speakers**

Richard Baldwin (Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva, CH) Gianmarco I.P. Ottaviano (London School of Economics, UK)

Panel discussion (organized in cooperation with MCI Management Center Innsbruck);
Panelists: Fritz Breuss (WIFO), Christian Keuschnigg (IHS and University St. Gallen, CH), Christoph Gerin-Swarovski (Tyrolit Schleifmittelwerke Swarovski K.G.), Richard Seeber (European Parliament).

We invite papers either on the conference topic or on all other fields of economics. Please submit your paper in pdf-format via the conference website: <a href="http://www.uibk.ac.at/news/noeg2013/">http://www.uibk.ac.at/news/noeg2013/</a> by February 28, 2013. Decisions about acceptance will be issued by April 1, 2013.

#### Special Award for Young Economists (all topics)

The Austrian Economic Association awards two prizes of EUR 750 each for outstanding papers of economists of age 35 or less. The prices are sponsored by the Oesterreichische Nationalbank (OeNB). In case of joint papers, all co-authors have to fulfill this condition. The papers have to be presented at the Annual Meeting. Please indicate your participation when you submit your paper.

#### **Publication of Papers**

Accepted papers may be published in a special conference issue of "Empirica - Journal of European Economics". In case you would like your paper to be considered for the special issue, please indicate this on the submission website under "Remark/Message to the Program Committee and Chairs".

#### Registration

Should be made via the conference website: <a href="http://www.uibk.ac.at/news/noeg2013/">http://www.uibk.ac.at/news/noeg2013/</a>. NOeG members have free access to the Annual Meeting. The conference fee for non-members is EUR 100. For further information, see <a href="http://www.uibk.ac.at/news/noeg2013/">http://www.uibk.ac.at/news/noeg2013/</a>.

#### The Organisational Committee

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