

**Exchange Rates and Prices in General Equilibrium:
Theory, Evidence, and Policy Implications**

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CALL FOR PAPERS

This call for papers invites you to submit a paper to, or express your interest in attending, the above conference on 'Exchange Rates and Prices in General Equilibrium: Theory, Evidence, and Policy Implications', which will be held in Barcelona on 29/30 May 2000. The conference will be organized by Jordi Galí and Andrew Rose, sponsored by the Center for Research in International Economics (CREI) and the Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR), and hosted by Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona.

The conference aims to provide a forum for new research on the macroeconomics of open economies and will stress, among others, the following themes:

- Optimal Monetary and Fiscal Policies for the Open Economy
- Properties of Alternative Exchange Regimes in General Equilibrium
- Price-Setting in the Open Economy: Evidence and Implications
- The Sustainability of Inflation Differentials in a Monetary Union
- Monetary Policy Rules for the Open Economy

Meals and accommodation will be provided for all participants during the conference. Travel expenditures (economy class) will be reimbursed by CEPR according to the enclosed guidelines. If you could contribute to the costs of your attendance from a research grant at your disposal this would free up space for someone else. Please indicate on your reply form whether you will be able to cover your own travel costs, or whether you will require funding from the organization.

There will be no publication of the conference proceedings. The present call for papers is being distributed to all members of CEPR's International Macroeconomics Programme and NBER's International Finance Program. Please feel free to circulate it beyond that circle to researchers working in the area and, especially, to younger members of the profession.

It would be a great help to us in the organization of this meeting if you could please complete the enclosed reply form indicating whether or not you wish to present a paper (in which case an abstract or summary should be attached), or would be willing to act as discussant, **and return this to Monique Muldoon (mmuldoon@cepr.org) at CEPR by Wednesday 15 December 1999, at the latest.** We will confirm your participation in January 2000.

We look forward to hearing from you.

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Notice for participants in the CEPR European Summer Symposium in Macroeconomics (ESSIM):
CEPR's eighth annual European Summer Symposium in Macroeconomics will take place in Tarragona on 31 May–4 June 2000, and will be hosted by the Banco de España. Since Tarragona is located near Barcelona – where the 'Exchange Rates and Prices....' conference will take place – the organization will provide those participants attending both meetings with transportation to Tarragona after the first conference ends on 30 May.