

Call for Proposals For The 21st NBER Macro Annual Conference

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Cambridge, Mass.

We are inviting proposals for the NBER's 21st Macro Annual Conference, to be held on April 7th and April 8th, 2006 in Cambridge, Massachusetts. As in previous years, we plan to solicit papers for the conference. However, in keeping with our new practice, we would also like to consider proposals from the outside and strongly encourage submissions. In keeping with the tradition of the Macro Annual, we invite submissions on any important topic within the field of macroeconomics (including open economy macroeconomics and economic growth). We are particularly interested in papers with a strong empirical content and policy relevance. Discussions centered around important theoretical controversies are also welcomed, though generally papers should have a significant empirical dimension. To get a more explicit sense of the type of paper that is appropriate, it may be helpful to examine recent issues of the Macro Annual and also the program for the Spring 2005 meeting on the NBER's Conference website:

(<http://www.nber.org/~confer/2005/macro05/program.html>).

Proposals should be no more than 3 double spaced pages. The deadline for submission is June 18, 2005. "Bob Hall" rules are in effect: we will contact only authors of accepted proposals. However, proposals not accepted for the 2006 conference may be considered for the future. Those interested in applying should send a pdf of the proposal to Daron Acemoglu (daron@mit.edu), Kenneth Rogoff (krogoff@harvard.edu) and Michael Woodford (mwoodford@nber.org) no later than June 18, 2005