Announcement: Call for papers

The impact of banking regulation on financial markets

A joint conference by the Basel Committee’s Research Task Force and the Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR)

Bank for International Settlements, Basel, Switzerland
6–7 September 2017

This conference seeks to attract theoretical and empirical contributions examining the various effects of the regulatory rules enacted after the 2008 financial crisis. In particular, we aim to enhance our understanding of the consequences – both intended and unintended – of the Basel III standards and compliance supervision on the market structure of the banking sector. Possible topics include, but are not limited to, the impact of Basel III and the associated recovery/resolution regimes on:

- Bank business models and profitability;
- Intermediation chains in decentralised markets;
- Market-making and liquidity provision;
- Credit availability and the cost of funding;
- Cross-border banking and the integration of capital markets;
- Too-big-to-fail or too-big-to-succeed banks;
- Non-performing loans and deferred tax assets;
- “Zombie” banks and “gambling for resurrection”;
- Shadow banks and the regulatory perimeter;
- Competition between banks and shadow banks; and
- Fintech and access to services.

The conference aims to bring together leading academics, representatives of the Basel Committee member organisations, other central bankers and bank supervisors, and market participants.

Preference will be given to complete papers, but preliminary drafts are also welcome. Interested parties should submit their draft papers and any queries to Martin Birn of the Basel Committee’s Secretariat at Martin.Birn@bis.org. The submission deadline is Thursday 15 June 2017. Contributors will be notified by the end of July 2017. The Basel Committee will contribute toward the cost of academic speakers’ travel and accommodation expenses.
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