



CESifo Conference on

“Macroeconomics and Survey Data”

Call for Papers

On **October 29-30, 2010**, the Business Cycle Analysis and Survey Department of Ifo in association with Rüdiger Bachman (Michigan University) will organize a conference in Munich on “Macroeconomics and Survey Data”. The conference is intended to discuss ongoing research on survey data and its role and usage in macroeconomics.

Papers, theoretical, empirical and policy oriented, are actively solicited on issues like (the list below is not exhaustive),

- methodology of business surveys
- uncertainty modelling
- survey data and the business cycle
- transmission of cyclical fluctuations
- forecasting performance of survey data in business-cycle research
- usage of micro-data in macroeconomics

Keynote speaker

The keynote lectures will be given by

Robert E. Hall Stanford University
Fernando Alvarez University of Chicago

The deadline for submission of papers or abstracts is **30 June 2010**. The paper or a 2-3 page abstract (pdf-file) should be sent via e-mail to:

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E-mails should have as a subject line “Submission”, and include the title, a short abstract, and the contact information of the submitter in the main body of the text. Authors of submitted papers will be notified before **31 July 2010** whether their paper has been accepted for the conference. Preference is given to papers over abstracts.

Presenters are expected to discuss another paper at the conference.

There is no registration fee for presenters or discussants. There is a fee for non-presenters of 100 Euros. This sum covers all-day refreshments, lunch, and the conference folder.

Further questions regarding the conference can be addressed to the conference organizer:

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