



CESifo-Delphi Conferences

A joint initiative of *DIEES-AUEB and CESifo*

CESifo and the Department of International and European Economic Studies (DIEES) at the Athens University of Economics and Business (AUEB) invite the submission of *policy-oriented* papers on the question of

“EMU: The Way Forward”

for the CESifo-Delphi Conference, *September 23-24, 2011, Hydra Island, Greece*. Among the relevant topics for this conference are:

- Reforming the Stability and Growth Pact
- Financial stability of the EMU
- The role of ECB
- Fiscal imbalances and sovereign default in the EU
- Debt consolidation strategies
- Dealing with Current Account Imbalances
- The role of EURO in the emerging world monetary system
- Other topics along these lines.

It is expected that selected papers from the conference will be published as a special issue of *CESifo Economic Studies*.

Full papers or extended abstracts (500-600 words) should be submitted by April 22, **2011**. For submission, please visit www.cesifo.org. Go to the “Conferences and Events”- page, click on the conference name and then on the “Submit Paper”- link below the conference description. Only online submissions are accepted. Should you have any (technical) difficulties with the online submission procedure, please contact office@cesifo.de for assistance.

A decision **on accepted papers for presentation** at the conference will be announced by May **20, 2011**. Authors with accepted papers will have their meals and accommodation provided and their economy travel costs reimbursed.

All papers presented at the conference will appear in the CESifo Working Paper Series.

Please do not hesitate to contact the scientific organizers should you have any questions:

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For more information about the CESifo -Delphi conference series see www.CESifo.de

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