



## **CESifo Growth and Inequality Conferences**

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### **Call for Abstracts**

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CESifo and the Castor Endowment at the University of Washington, Seattle, ask for submission of papers or extended abstracts (300-500 words) on the question of "Growth and Inequality, Issues and Policy Implications" for the CESifo-Conferences in 2001/2002. Relevant topics include:

- **Assessment:** the establishment of stylised facts relating to inequality and growth
- **Causes:** isolating the determinants of inequality on growth
- **Consequences:** examining the implications of inequality on growth and human welfare
- **Policy:** how public policy can intervene to improve equality and accelerate growth.

Papers and abstracts should contain a theoretical background and/or applied work to address important policy issues.

The CESifo-Conferences are a two-stage process. Authors of accepted papers will be invited to give presentations at a workshop meeting in Munich, 19-20 May 2001. Selected authors are then invited to present revised versions of their papers at a second conference meeting in early 2002. The papers will be published in an MIT Press volume as part of the CESifo Seminar Series. There will be external refereeing of papers after both stages.

Abstracts or papers should be submitted by 1 December 2000. A decision on accepted abstracts or papers will be announced by 15 December 2000. For accepted abstracts, full papers must then be submitted by 1 March 2001. Authors will be notified of the decision to accept their full paper for the Munich meeting by 1 April 2001.

Electronic submissions are preferred. Please email Theo Eicher or Stephen Turnovsky at the addresses given below. Hard copies of abstracts or papers should be sent to: Theo Eicher or Stephen Turnovsky, Box 353330, University of Washington, Seattle WA 98195, USA. No faxed abstracts will be accepted.

CESifo will reimburse economy travel and accommodation for **CESifo Fellows** with accepted papers. Other authors with accepted papers may apply for funding to cover accommodation and/or economy travel.

Please do not hesitate to contact the conference organisers with any questions:

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