

CALL FOR PAPERS

The **2017 Annual Meeting of the Austrian Economic Association (NOeG)**
will be held at the Johannes Kepler University of Linz
May 26-27, 2017

Main conference topic is
THE EFFECTS OF TAXATION

With the increase of government activities, mainly during the 20th century, the ratio of tax revenues (including social security contributions) to GDP has risen to around 40 percent in European countries. Such a high level of taxation can be expected to significantly influence the behavior of private households as well as firms. Knowledge of the effects of taxes represents an indispensable prerequisite for the design of an efficient and equitable tax system.

Plenary speakers
Thiess Büttner (LMU Munich)
Henrik J. Kleven (London School of Economics)
Kurt Schmidheiny (University of Basel)

We invite you to submit papers either on the conference topic or on all other fields of economics.
Please submit a first version of your paper and an abstract via the conference homepage
<http://www.econ.jku.at/noeg2017> until **February 20, 2017**

Decisions about acceptance will be issued by the **end of March 2017**

Special Award for Young Economists:
The NOeG offers a prize of EUR 750 for outstanding papers of economists of age 35 or less.

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