

1st Call for Papers

Annual Meeting & 100th Anniversary of the
Austrian Economic Association (NOeG)
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at the

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Institute of Statistics and Mathematical Methods in Economics
Research Group Economics

organized in collaboration with the

Vienna Institute of Demography
Austrian Academy of Sciences



“The Future of Health Care Systems”

Progress in medical treatment and improvements in preventive health care have contributed to a significant increase in life expectancy in most industrialized countries during the last decades. At the same time, health care systems have come under increasing funding pressure due to the extended application of cost-intensive medical technologies on the one hand, and population ageing on the other. In the light of these facts, a debate on policy reforms has to address the structure of the health sector as well as its organizational efficiency. A second set of concerns relates to the fact that health outcomes, health behaviour and the access to health care differ across individuals. With income and wealth inequality being on the rise in many Western countries, this raises policy issues about the role of health care systems in generating, or mitigating, health-related inequality.

Keynote Speakers

Jonathan S. Skinner
(Dartmouth College, USA)

Andrew Jones
(University of York, UK)

Paper Submission

We invite submission of a first version of papers and an abstract on the conference topic as well as all other fields of economics via <http://noeg2018.econ.tuwien.ac.at/submission/> to be uploaded between 12 December 2017 and 19 February 2018. Notifications regarding acceptance will be sent out by 21 March, 2018.

Publication of Papers

Accepted papers may be published in a special conference issue of “*Empirica – Journal of European Economics*”. In case you would like your paper to be considered for the special issue please indicate this on the submission website.

Young Economists Award

The Austrian Economic Association offers a prize of EUR 750 for outstanding papers – to be presented at the conference – by economists up to the age of 35 years. In case of joint papers this age limit holds for all co-authors.

Registration

Please register at <http://noeg2018.econ.tuwien.ac.at/registration/> by 30 April 2018. The conference fee amounts to EUR 100 (bank transfer) and is waived for NOeG members (membership fee is EUR 55 per year – see <http://www.noeg.ac.at>).

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