



Call for Papers European Conference on Household Finance Frankfurt, 11-12 September 2015

The Research Center SAFE (Sustainable Architecture for Finance in Europe) at Goethe University Frankfurt, the Einaudi Institute for Economics and Finance (EIEF), HEC Paris, and the Swedish House of Finance (SHoF). The objective is to present state-of-the-art empirical research and empirically motivated theoretical research on household financial behavior and on how this is influenced by other choices, government policies, and the overall economic environment. We solicit papers in the following areas, but other related areas may also be considered:

- Patterns of asset allocation and debt behavior over the life cycle
- Financing retirement and the demographic transition
- Consumer indebtedness, financial distress and default decisions
- Behavioral approaches to household finances
- Financial literacy and financial education programs
- Trust, subjective expectations, pessimism, and financial decisions
- International comparisons of household finances using micro-data
- Cognitive and genetic studies on individual financial performance
- Financial advice and legal protection of investors and borrowers

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Conference Venue: The conference will take place at the House of Finance, Goethe University Frankfurt.

Conference on Behavioral Aspects in Macroeconomics and Finance:

The Household Finance conference partially overlaps with this conference on Behavioral Aspects in Macro and Finance, which takes place in the same venue of September 10 and 11. A joint session on behavioral household finance is planned. It is possible to register for both conferences.

Conference Deadlines

If you wish to submit a paper, please email an abstract and the paper, if available, as separate pdf file to Ms. Daniela Dimitrova (dimitrova@safe.uni-frankfurt.de). The deadline for submitting papers is **April 30, 2015**. ***Only electronic submissions will be considered.*** Inclusion in the Program will be confirmed by June 15, 2015. Expenses of paper presenters and discussants will be covered. Limited support funds for junior researchers will also be available.

Conference registration and hotel reservations will be organized by SAFE. Information will be posted as it becomes available on the [conference webpage](#).