



## **CALL FOR PAPERS**

### **FRBSF Center for Pacific Basin Studies**

### **2012 Pacific Basin Research Conference**

November 9, 2012

Center for Pacific Basin Studies, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco  
101 Market Street, San Francisco, California

#### **Conference Description**

The Center for Pacific Basin Studies at the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco is pleased to announce its 2012 Pacific Basin Research Conference, to be held on November 9, 2012 at the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco. This conference will bring together researchers and policy makers to examine economic issues faced by Pacific Basin countries and their major trading partners.

The organizing committee invites the submission of research papers focused on both theoretical and empirical topics with relevance to economic and policy issues facing the Pacific Basin. Specific topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Links between banking and sovereign debt crises
- Cost and benefits of financial openness
- Reform of the international financial architecture and the role of Asia
- International imbalances
- Cross-regional synchronization of business cycles
- Asia as an engine of economic growth
- Monetary policy issues faced by Pacific Basin countries
- Impact of globalization on labor markets

#### **Submission of Papers**

Submissions should be sent in PDF format to [kathy.quintanilla@sf.frb.org](mailto:kathy.quintanilla@sf.frb.org) by May 31, 2012. Completed papers will be given a higher preference than abstracts. Travel funding will be provided for presenting participants. The conference papers will be issued as Pacific Basin Working papers and posted online, but a conference volume will not be published.

#### **Organizing Committee**

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