

CALL FOR PAPERS

FRBSF Center for Pacific Basin Studies

2025 Asia Economic Policy Conference

November 20-21, 2025
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
101 Market Street, San Francisco, California

Conference Description

The Center for Pacific Basin Studies of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco will hold its 2025 Asia Economic Policy Conference (AEPC) on November 20-21, 2025 in San Francisco. The theme of the conference is “Monetary Policy in the Age of New Technologies and Structural Changes.” The organizing committee invites submissions of research papers addressing, but not limited to, the following topics, particularly those papers with a focus on the Asia and Pacific region or other emerging market economies:

1. Macro and distributional effects of emerging technologies such as AI and robotics
2. Implications of global aging and other demographic trends
3. Trade flows and capital flows under new trade policy regimes
4. Macro effects and policy implications of reshoring or friend-shoring
5. Global supply shocks and monetary policy
6. Spillovers of U.S. monetary policy to Asia and other emerging market economies
7. China’s growth prospects and implications for other economies

Submission of Papers

Submissions should be sent in PDF format to sf.er.pacific.basin@sf.frb.org by March 31, 2025. Completed papers are preferred. We plan to post working paper versions of the conference papers online. Fundings for economy-class travels and two nights of hotel accommodation (up to three nights for international travelers) will be provided for one presenting participant for each paper.

Organizers

Zheng Liu, Thuy-Lan Nguyen, and Sanjay Singh

Programming Committee

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