Call for Papers
15th Annual Indiana University Department of Economics’
Jordan River Economics Conference
Hosted by Omicron Delta Epsilon Gamma Chapter
April 19, 2019 in Wylie Hall, Indiana University

You are invited and encouraged to submit a paper for presentation consideration at our annual student paper conference. We hope that both graduate and undergraduate students will take advantage of this opportunity to present research and have an opportunity to compete for a dollar grant that will help offset education costs.

Omicron Delta Epsilon (ODE) membership: One of the purposes of this conference is to encourage qualifying students to become members of the Omicron Delta Epsilon economics honor society. We encourage you to join our Gamma chapter and enable yourself to participate in other ODE events. An example of an ODE event which requires membership is the ASSA Student paper session, which also provides travel funding for selected presenters and discussants. The ODE serves both the undergraduate and graduate student body. More information and how to join can be found on our website, http://mypage.iu.edu/~jkself/ODE/ or see Professor James K. Self, WY345, jkself@indiana.edu.

Awards: Best papers will receive Grants of $500. Competition for the awards will be segregated into graduate and undergraduate categories. Both groups are eligible to receive an award. Winners will be determined by a panel of faculty members. A recipient of a grant will have his/her bursar account credited for the value of the grant. Co-authors of a winning paper will receive equal shares of the grant.

How to submit a paper: Papers should be submitted via email no later than Friday, 4:00 p.m., April 12, 2019. Please put “Jordan River Economic Conference” in the subject line of the email. When submitting a paper, please specify whether or not each author is a member of the Omicron Delta Epsilon society (if you will be inducted that day in the induction and awards ceremony then indicate that you are a member).

- All graduate submissions should be e-mailed to both Brandie Roberts at econgrad@indiana.edu and Professor Yoosoon Chang at yoosoon@iu.edu. *
- All undergraduate submissions should be e-mailed to Professor James K. Self at jkself@indiana.edu.

Paper format: Please submit your complete paper in either Microsoft Word or Adobe PDF format. All papers should include a title page with the names and contact information for all authors, including mailing and e-mail addresses and phone numbers; for papers with multiple authors, please indicate the corresponding author and the actual presenter(s). Also include the Journal of Economic Literature (JEL) subject codes that best match your paper’s topic. (JEL codes can be found on the webpage http://www.aeaweb.org/econlit/jelCodes.php ). Also on the title page or a separate page include an abstract of your paper. Graduate students should include a footnote on the title page listing their dissertation committee chair and members who approved their submission.

Conference schedule: When it is available, it will be posted on the Economic department’s workshop website at https://economics.indiana.edu/news-events/conferences-and-workshops/index.html


* Please note that according to the “Third Year Paper Requirement,” all third year graduate students are required to submit a paper to the conference upon approval by their preliminary dissertation committee.