



15th Centre for Competition and Regulatory Policy Workshop

Thursday & Friday 24-25 January 2013

CALL FOR PAPERS

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: Monday 3rd December 2012

City University's **Centre for Competition and Regulatory Policy Winter Workshop** will be held at the Department of Economics, City University London. The workshop commences at 1pm Thursday 24th January and finishes at 5 pm Friday 25th January 2013.

We are also planning a two hour Round Table event on Competition Policy with the focus this year on Market Inquiries. This will be held at 11:00 am on Friday 25th January 2013.

Attendance to the workshop as well as a sandwich/canapés lunch on Friday and coffee breaks on both days will be provided free of charge. Accommodation and travel costs will have to be met by participants.

We would like to invite you to **submit an extended abstract of 4 pages maximum** of (preferably) work-in-progress in any of the following areas:

General, legal and industry/market specific competition policy issues

Economic regulation of infrastructure industries (telecoms, electricity, water, airports, postal services, etc)

Economic regulation of legal services, financial markets, health, education and other quasi-markets in public services

Boundaries and overlaps between economic regulation and competition policy for utilities and networks, financial services, quasi-markets, etc.

We would welcome both theoretical and empirical papers, including case study oriented work. As this is a workshop, we are very happy to consider research that will not be at the "full paper stage" by the time of the workshop – for planning purposes only please do make this clear at submission.



We like to encourage workshop submissions from research students - please pass this call on to your PhD students who work in these areas who may have a paper they would like to contribute.

Each presenter will have 20 minutes to present his/her work followed by comments from an assigned discussant, plus general discussion. If you are willing to act as an assigned discussant we would also like to hear from you.

The call for abstracts closes on Monday 3rd December 2012. You will be notified whether your submission has been accepted by Monday 10th December 2012. We will circulate a provisional programme shortly afterwards. You will need to send a copy of the paper and/or presentation to your assigned discussant by 7th January 2013 to allow sufficient time to review the work and prepare her/his comments.

Extended summary submissions and enquires should be emailed to the CCRP workshop co-organizer Ms Domile Butkeviciute at Domile.Butkeviciute.1@city.ac.uk.

Important dates

Notification of acceptance of paper: Monday 10th December 2012

Provisional programme/start of registration: Monday 10th December 2012

Papers to discussants: Monday 7th January 2013

Definitive programme and final registration: Monday 14th January 2013

Submit paper for copies: Thursday 17th January 2013

Presentation slides: Tuesday 22nd January 2013

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