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Conference Announcement

Workshop on Banking and Finance in an Integrating Europe

Location : Amsterdam, the Netherlands

Organizers : De Nederlandsche Bank, Utrecht School of Economics, Journal of Banking and Finance

Major Topics : bank competition and efficiency, mergers, credit risk management, regulation

Conference Dates : 8/25/2003 to 8/25/2003

Submission Deadline : 4/15/2003

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ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR PAPERS Workshop on Banking and Finance in an Integrating Europe Amsterdam, The Netherlands, August 25-26, 2003 Sponsored by De Nederlandsche Bank. Selected papers presented will be published in a special issue of the Journal of Banking and Finance Ten years after the formal establishment of the Single Market for Financial Services in the European Union, it is time to evaluate the degree and significance of integration in Europe's banking and financial markets. Over the past years, research on banking and finance in this integrating Europe has gradually gained momentum. Much of this research underlines the need for an overview of the impact of the single market on the structure and role of banks and financial markets. Where do we observe the important changes, and in what areas have developments been disappointing? This workshop brings together both theoretical and empirical studies of the structure of financial markets, and the behavior and performance of financial institutions in these markets. Comparative international studies (e.g. Europe and the U.S.) with this focus will be considered as well. Subthemes to be addressed are (amongst others): Interplay between banks and financial markets Cross-border competition and efficiency in European banking markets Financial mergers and acquisitions Regulation and policy transmission channels in financial markets Financial instability and banking supervision Convergence in corporate credit (finance): banks versus markets Diversification and risk management Credit risk measurement and capital adequacy regulation. This workshop is jointly organized by De Nederlandsche Bank and Utrecht School of Economics (USE) of Utrecht University. Papers submitted will be screened by the Workshop Committee and are subject to regular refereeing procedures. Selected papers will be published in a special issue of the Journal of Banking and Finance (the submission fee is waived). Klaas Knot (DNB) and Clemens Kool (USE) serve as editors of this issue. Papers can be submitted by sending 5 copies before April 15, 2003 to: Klaas H.W. Knot Attention: Workshop on Banking and Finance in an Integrated Europe Banking and Supervisory Strategies De Nederlandsche Bank P.O. Box 98 1000 AB Amsterdam The Netherlands For more information, please contact Klaas Knot, k.h.w.knot@dnb.nl

