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CEBRA Workshop for Commodities and Macroeconomics *Wednesday and Thursday, September 29-30, 2021* *Hosted by the Federal Reserve Board, Washington, DC, USA*

Call for papers

The Federal Reserve Board will host virtually on September 29-30, 2021, the fifth annual Central Bank Research Association (CEBRA) workshop for Commodities and Macroeconomics. We invite researchers at central banks and in academia to submit papers on the economics of commodities (including energy, metals, and agricultural products) and their interaction with the economy. We are especially interested in papers that explore the intersection of commodity markets and climate change.

Last year's program is available here: [Program – CEBRA Workshop for Commodities and Macroeconomics, Central Bank of Chile, Santiago, October 1-2, 2020 | CEBRA](#)

Paper topics could be related (but are not restricted) to:

- Modeling and forecasting commodity prices and quantities.
- Macroeconomic implications and welfare effects of commodity price fluctuations.
- Monetary or fiscal policy responses to commodity price fluctuations.
- Fiscal budgeting and hedging policies for commodity-producing countries.
- Impact of commodity price fluctuations on capital flows and exchange rates.
- Interactions between commodity prices and financial markets.
- Commodity investment and production decisions and their effects on the economy.
- Technological innovation and adoption in commodity markets.
- The economics of non-renewable and renewable resources.
- Commodities and the economics of climate and environmental change.

The submitting author must be a member of CEBRA.

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The deadline for submissions is **Tuesday, June 15, 2021**.

Please send drafts of completed papers to FRB-Commodities2021@frb.gov. Please also direct all questions to this email address. Authors of accepted papers will be informed by August 1.

Scientific committee includes:

Martin Bodenstern (Federal Reserve Board), Deepa Datta (Federal Reserve Board), Lutz Kilian (FRB Dallas), Conny Olovsson (Sveriges Riksbank), Arief Ramayandi (Asian Development Bank), Martin Stuermer (IMF), Robert Vigfusson (Federal Reserve Board)