



## CENTRAL BANK RESEARCH ASSOCIATION

### CODE OF CONDUCT

The mission of the Central Bank Research Association (CEBRA) is to encourage applied and theoretical research on topics relevant to central banks, financial regulators, international financial institutions, and fiscal authorities, as well as to connect the research staff of these institutions with academia. The highest standards of ethics and scientific integrity are essential to the conduct of that mission, and CEBRA has an expectation that all stakeholders and participants in its various activities behave in a responsible and principled way.

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3. Listen to and acknowledge views of all participants when discussing research or policy issues.
4. Promote an inclusive discussion, taking into account the diversity of backgrounds and views, and behave in a non-discriminatory manner.
5. Promote a rational and fact-based discussion culture, based on empirical analysis and quantitative theoretical modelling.
6. Focus discussions, papers, or remarks on substantive issues rather than on particular actors, whether they be individuals, groups, organizations or governments, and refrain from ad hominem remarks.
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