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CALL FOR PAPERS

1976 Western Finance Association Annual Meetings June 24-27, 1976 San Francisco, California

The Annual Meetings of the Western Finance Association will be held in conjunction with the Western Economic Association meetings on June 24-27, 1976, at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Embarcadero Center, San Francisco, California. Members and friends of the Association are invited to submit papers for possible presentation at the meetings. Appropriate topics include financial management; investments and portfolio theory; capital and money market theory and institutions; and international, real estate, and consumer finance. Abstracts of all papers selected will be published in the Proceedings issue of the Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis.

Submission of Papers

Nine copies of either the completed paper or a five-page abstract of the paper, stating the problem, method, data, and implications of the findings, should be sent to the Chairman of the Program Committee by December 1, 1975. The papers will be reviewed by the Committee and you will be informed of their decision in January 1976.

In order to maintain objectivity in selection, names and affiliations of authors will not be made available to Committee members. The following information should, therefore, be provided on a *separate* sheet and accompany each paper submitted:

- 1. Name
- 2. Academic rank
- 3. Affiliation
- 4. Willingness to serve as discussant or session chairman
- 5. Field of interest within finance

Please forward all papers to:

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THE SOUTHWESTERN FINANCE ASSOCIATION

The Southwestern Finance Association will hold its annual meeting March 17-20, 1976, in conjunction with the Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines in San Antonio, Texas. The headquarters hotel for the meeting will be the Hilton Palacio del Rio. Persons interested in presenting a paper should submit the completed paper or a three-page abstract to Dr. Paul D. Cretien, Jr., College of Business and Administration, University of Colorado (Colorado Springs, Colorado 80907) by October 15, 1975. An expanded program is planned to include all areas of financial management, public finance, real estate finance, investment analysis, portfolio management, capital budgeting, bank management, monetary policy, insurance and risk management.

NIJENRODE CONGRESS: CALL FOR PAPERS

August 25-27, 1976, a Congress on "Decision-making in Business" will be held at The Netherlands School of Business (Stichting Nijenrode, Instituut voor Bedrijfskunde) in Breukelen, The Netherlands.

The congress will consist of two main sessions, namely,

- (a) A one-day Symposium, during which prominent speakers will address and take part in discussion with a large gathering of participants;
- (b) A two-day Research Seminar, consisting of parallel sessions devoted to particular themes or topics within the field of management studies.

Participation in the Research Seminar will, in principle, be restricted to those who are willing to present a paper in English dealing with recent research results of importance to decision making in the business sector. The character of the parallel sessions will be determined by the papers selected for presentation.

Those who would be willing to present such a paper are invited to send as soon as possible to Dr. C. van Dam, The Netherlands School of Business, Nijenrode, Breukelen, The Netherlands, the following information:

- a. A brief resume of the contents (in triplicate);
- b. The title of the paper;
- c. An indication as to which possible session it could belong;
- d. A short biography of the author.

Preliminary drafts of papers will be needed in triplicate before February 1, 1976; as soon as possible after that date authors will be informed whether their proposed contribution has been accepted. Final versions of accepted papers should be submitted in triplicate to Dr. C. van Dam by May 1, 1976.

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