



Call for papers for the second Scientific Workshop at the National Productivity Dialogue

Berlin, 20 June 2024

As part of this year's National Productivity Dialogue the German Council of Economic Experts (GCEE) will organise the second associated Scientific Workshop. The workshop aims to connect researchers working on topics of interest to the GCEE in its capacity as National Productivity Board.

The event will provide scholars with the opportunity to discuss their recent contributions on areas related to productivity and engage with policy makers and stakeholders. Topics of interest include but are not restricted to

- (Regional) structural change
- (Regional) industrial policy
- FinTechs & BigTechs
- Bureaucracy and productivity aspects
- Infrastructure
- Start-ups and TFP
- Economic growth and the productivity slowdown
- Economic growth and AI
- Productivity effects of fiscal policy
- Political uncertainty and firm behaviour
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with a focus on Germany or the EU.

We invite submissions of papers with theoretical, quantitative, and empirical focus. We will assign non-presenting academics and council members as discussants to each paper presented at the conference. Papers using publicly available data and new methodology are particularly welcome.

Submission guidelines and timetable:

Submission of an extended abstract (preferably full paper) is expected by **12 April 2024** via email to produktivitaetsdialog@svr-wirtschaft.de

Decisions will be communicated by **5 May 2024**. The full paper is expected by the beginning of June. The GCEE will be able to cover the usual travel expenses.

Presenters of accepted papers are invited to participate in the policy program of the National Productivity Dialogue. Impressions of previous years can be found here:

<https://www.sachverstaendigenrat-wirtschaft.de/en/events/national-productivity-dialogue.html>