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## **2018 Annual Central Bank Conference on the Microstructure of Financial Markets**

**Submission deadline:** May 18th, 2018

**Keynote Speaker:** Carole Comerton-Forde (University of New South Wales)

The Hong Kong Institute for Monetary Research (HKIMR), established by the Hong Kong Monetary Authority, will host the 2018 Annual Central Bank Conference on the Microstructure of Financial Markets on **November 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018**. The conference is a regular annual forum where researchers, policy makers and practitioners meet to discuss theoretical work, empirical findings and policy implications related to recent developments in the microstructure of financial markets.

Studies in all areas of market microstructure are solicited and the following non-exhaustive list of topics provides some guidelines for specific areas of interest:

- The impact of fintech on financial markets
- The microstructure of market-based and central banks-backed digital currencies
- The microstructure of emerging economies' local-currency bond and foreign exchange markets
- The impact of regulation on financial markets
- The functioning of OTC derivatives markets
- The microstructure of interbank markets
- Market inefficiencies and asset management

Interested authors should submit their complete papers via email to **hkimr@hkma.gov.hk** by **May 18th, 2018**. Authors of accepted papers will be notified by **June 30th, 2018**. There is no conference fee.

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