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Call for Papers: Sponsored ASSA Sessions 2027

Deadline: 30th April 2026

The Association of Indian Economic and Financial Studies (AIEFS) is sponsoring sessions at the ASSA 2027 Annual Meeting in Washington, DC, USA, to be held on 3-5 January 2027 (Sunday-Tuesday).

In general, both theoretical and empirical papers on economic growth and development, trade and finance, economic policy, political economy, and related areas will be considered. High-quality papers on other topics will also receive consideration. Completed papers or detailed extended abstracts should be submitted to: aiefsconf@gmail.com **by 30 April 2026.**

A Program Committee will be responsible for selecting papers for presentations. Authors are encouraged to submit electronically only. Please ensure that your submitted extended abstract or full paper **is not under consideration for presentation elsewhere**, including at the AEA or any other sponsored session. Program details and updates will be posted online at <http://www.aiefs.org>.

Paper Submission Guidelines

Completed papers will receive preference in the selection process. For abstract-only submissions, the abstract should be at least 500 words and include detailed methodology and expected results. The abstract should also clearly state the research objectives, literature review, and data and identification strategy (for empirical papers). **If an abstract is accepted, authors must submit the full paper by 15 December 2026.**

Note:

1. Please include “**AEA–AIEFS**” in the **subject** line of your email.
2. The file name of the paper/abstract should include the first initial and last name of the author (e.g., **AIEFS2027ASen**) rather than a generic file name.

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5. (Optional) Willingness to discuss other papers or chair sessions, including areas of interest and specialization
6. A statement confirming that the submission is not under consideration at any other session at ASSA 2027

Membership Requirement

All submissions must be accompanied by AIEFS annual membership dues for 2026 and a completed membership form. Submissions without the membership fee cannot be considered.

Authors who are lifetime members or who have already paid dues for 2026 are not required to pay again.

- Annual membership fee: **US\$ 55** (Student rate: **US\$ 35**)
- Lifetime membership fee: **\$400**

The membership form is available at <https://aiefs.org/> . Payments should be sent to the **Treasurer, Dr Aparna Anand**, via bank transfer or PayPal (see the website for bank details or PayPal link). For any questions, please contact: info@aiefs.org .