The Lowe Institute of Political Economy at Claremont McKenna College cordially invites paper submissions for the 5th Annual California Macroeconomics Conference (CMC) to be held on Friday, October 29. We anticipate holding an in-person conference at the Claremont Colleges, but the final format of the conference will depend on the health situation come October.

We encourage paper submissions in all areas of macroeconomics and we invite submissions from faculty and graduate students from all colleges, universities, and research organizations. The conference will consist of up to six selected papers, and funding will be provided for up to three graduate students. The previous conference program can be accessed here: 2019 Program.

**Keynote Speaker:** Charles I. Jones (Stanford Graduate School of Business)

**Organizers:** Andy Atkeson (UCLA), Ricardo Fernholz (Claremont McKenna College), Yuriy Gorodnichenko (UC Berkeley), Galina Hale (UC Santa Cruz), Nicolas Petrosky-Nadeau (Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco), and Johannes Wieland (UC San Diego)

**Important dates:**
- Deadline for submissions: August 15, 2021
- Notification of decisions: September 15, 2021
- Deadline to submit final manuscripts: October 1, 2021

**Submissions:** If you have a paper you would like to present, please submit a copy via the conference website: CMC 2021 or send a copy to Ricardo Fernholz: rfernholz@cmc.edu. While extended abstracts will also be considered, completed papers are preferred. The CMC organizing committee will select the papers to be presented at the conference and authors will be notified of the committee’s decisions in September.

**About the Lowe Institute:** The Lowe Institute of Political Economy is a research institute at Claremont McKenna College. Cameron Shelton, McMahon Family Associate Professor of Political Economy and George R. Roberts Fellow, directs the institute.

Please feel free to circulate this call with colleagues who might be interested.

We look forward to having you,

Andy, Ric, Yuriy, Galina, Nicolas, and Johannes