

General Information

ESOB stands for European Seminar on Bayesian Econometrics. This series of seminars was launched in 2010 with the first meeting in Rotterdam. In recent decades Bayesian econometrics has expanded enormously in areas such as optimal processing of information from different sources, efficient forecasting using sets of models, and measuring policy effective-ness and its associated risk.

The ESOB meetings have no particular theme, but are intended as a discussion forum for new and recent research. Their aim is to bring together researchers and professionals interested in the application of Bayesian inference in economics in relatively small annual workshops that usually take two days.

Past meetings

ESOB 2018 New Orleans
Atlanta Federal Reserve Bank

ESOB 2017 Netherlands
Maastricht University

ESOB 2016 Italy
Ca' Foscari University of Venice

ESOB 2015 Switzerland
Study Center Gerzensee

ESOB 2014 France
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ESOB 2013 Norway
Norges Bank

ESOB 2012 Austria
WU Vienna University of
Economics and Business

ESOB 2011 Belgium
Université Catholique de Louvain

ESOB 2010 Netherlands
Erasmus University Rotterdam

CALL FOR PAPERS

10th European Seminar on Bayesian Econometrics, 2-3 September 2019 University of St Andrews, UK

The 10th ESOB (esobe.org), one of the major conferences in econometrics worldwide and the primary event on Bayesian econometrics in Europe, will be hosted by the University of St Andrews in Scotland on Monday September 2, and Tuesday September 3, 2019. The scientific programme includes presentations by the following keynote and invited speakers:

Keynote Speakers:

Petros Dellaportas (University College London)
Marco Del Negro (Federal Reserve Bank of New York)
Sylvia Kaufmann (Study Center Gerzensee)
Veronika Rockova (University of Chicago)

Invited Speakers:

Monica Billio (Universita Ca' Foscari Venice)
Maria Kalli (University of Kent)
Gael Martin (Monash University)
Haroon Mumtaz (Queen Mary University London)
Davide Pettenuzzo (Brandeis University)
Jun Yu (University of Singapore)

You are invited to submit a paper for the contributed paper sessions as well as the poster sessions. We welcome submissions from all fields of Bayesian econometrics (macro, micro and financial), as well as papers on statistical methodology, machine learning and computing. Please submit a full working paper to esobe2019@gmail.com by **Tuesday 30 April 2019, 12pm GMT**. If a full paper is not available we will accept an extended abstract of no less than 2 pages long, although more weight will be given to full papers.

In addition, the [Economics, Finance and Business \(EFaB\)](#) section of the International Society of Bayesian Analysis (ISBA) sponsors a special junior researcher session. Presenters in this session can request from EFaB financial assistance (travel grant) of up to US\$500 each. PhD students and researchers who received their PhD after February 2014 are eligible and may apply for this session and grant. Interested candidates must attach a CV with their submission. As a condition for receiving this grant, EFaB requires the session participants to be member of ISBA and its EFaB section (in total US\$100 for regular membership and US\$35 for student membership).

We will notify authors of successful submissions by **Wednesday 15 May 2019**. Registrations, which will be subject to a registration fee, will open later in the year. Updated registration, travel and accommodation information will become available on the ESOB 2019 website: <https://sites.google.com/view/esobe2019>.

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