



Federal Trade Commission Microeconomics Conference

November 2 - 3, 2023

Washington, D.C.

Call for Papers

The Federal Trade Commission's Bureau of Economics and the Tobin Center for Economic Policy at Yale University will host the 16th Annual FTC Microeconomics Conference on **November 2 and 3, 2023, in Washington, D.C.** This event will bring together scholars working in areas related to the FTC's antitrust, consumer protection, and public policy missions.

We welcome submissions in industrial organization, information economics, health policy, behavioral economics, quantitative marketing, and other areas of applied microeconomics. We especially would like to encourage submission of papers on topics of scientific research & innovation, platform economics, consumer deception, and artificial intelligence. More broadly, past conferences have featured topics such as advertising, collusion, consumer decision-making, demand estimation, intellectual property, merger policy, privacy and data security, and vertical integration.

Interested participants should submit an abstract or completed paper by **June 21, 2023** to BE-Micro@ftc.gov. Please note preference will be given to completed papers. You should receive an email confirming receipt of your submission. If you do not, it means that we have not received it. Accepted participants should expect to provide a financial disclosure statement meeting the AEA's [guidelines](#) to be included in their conference bios.

Scientific committee:

- Michael Sinkinson (Yale University)
- Steve Tadelis (University of California, Berkeley)
- Heidi Williams (Stanford University)

Organizers: Will Violette (FTC) and Viola Chen (FTC)

This conference will be held at the Constitution Center Plaza Level Conference Center, 400 7th Street, SW, Washington, D.C. 20024. For more information and past conference agendas, please visit www.ftc.gov/microeconomics.

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