

ECONOMIC POLICY



Economic Policy Special Panel Meeting

Hosted by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York
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Local Information

The Conference Venue

Federal Reserve Bank of New York
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New York, NY 10045
USA

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Please note that participants should enter the Bank through the 33 Liberty Street entrance and be prepared to show a photo I.D. to the guards upon arrival.

Car Parking

Car parking is **not** available for the participants at the conference venue.

Audio Visual Equipment

A data projector and laptop computer will be available in the meeting room.

Speakers should send their presentations to Nadine Clarke (nclarke@cepr.org) in advance so that they can be uploaded on to the laptop.

Faxes/Telephone Calls

Incoming faxes should be sent to **+1 212 720 6831** and marked for the attention of **Lauren Burns**. Telephone messages should be directed to **+1 212 720 6531** for the attention of **Lauren Burns**.

Accommodation

For those requiring accommodation, rooms have been reserved at the following hotel in New York:

Club Quarters Downtown

52 William Street
New York
USA

Tel: 001 212 859 2300
Fax: 001 212 269 6464
Email: memberservices@clubquarters.com

Car parking is **not** available at **Club Quarters Downtown**.

The cost of a single room at the **Clubquarters** is USD 169, excluding taxes and breakfast. Please note that breakfast will be catered for at the conference.

The hotel offers a business centre, which includes:

Full Hotel Services

Restaurant, bar, meeting and function rooms, fitness facility, room service, multi-menu room delivery, shopping service and refrigerator stocking.

State-of-the-Art High-Tech Services

Free high speed wireless Internet access throughout the hotel, instant registration/fast check out, latest workstation design with task lighting, two line speaker/cordless phone with direct dial phone number.

Club-Like Services

24-hour Member Service Desk, Club Room with complimentary coffee, newspapers, magazines and games, free use of a computer and printer in the Club Room, exercise equipment delivered to guest rooms, garments cleaned and stored for regular guests.

Participants are reminded that incidental expenses such as the mini-bar, laundry, telephone, or any other service offered by the hotel, will not be covered and should be paid for on departure. **The Hotel accepts the following Credit Cards: American Express, Visa, Euro/Mastercard, and Discover.**

Directions

The nearest airports to the hotel/conference venue are JFK, Newark and LaGuardia. Participants should travel by taxi from the airport to the conference venue/hotel.

Newark International Airport

- The set fare from New York City to Newark International Airport is the regular metered rate of fare, plus a \$15.00 surcharge, plus all tolls going to and returning from the airport.

John F. Kennedy International Airport

- The TLC has established a "Flat Fare" program for trips from JFK to Manhattan. The flat fare is \$45.00 plus any tolls. The reverse is not true, however, as there is no set fare to JFK from any point in New York City. The metered rate applies.

LaGuardia International Airport

- There is no set fare for trips to and from LaGuardia International Airport. The regular metered rate of fare, as is displayed below, applies in all cases.

Metered Rate of Fare

\$2.50 upon entry

\$.40 for each additional unit

\$.40 per 120 seconds of waiting time

\$.50 night surcharge after 8:00PM and prior to 6:00AM

\$1.00 Peak Hour Surcharge in effect 4 p.m. to 8 p.m., Monday-Friday

The unit of fare is:

One-fifth of a mile, when the taxicab is travelling at 6 miles per hour or more; or 120 seconds (at a rate of twenty cents per minute), when the taxicab is not in motion or is travelling at less than 6 miles per hour.

Hotel to Conference Venue

The conference venue is situated 5 minutes away from the hotel. Please see the map at the following link for further details: <http://www.mapquest.com/maps/map.adp?zipcode=10001> To get exact directions, please use the website's search feature and type in the post code.

Meals

Continental breakfast and lunch will be provided at the day of the conference.

Dinner will be arranged....

Special dietary requests can be accommodated if indicated in advance.

Local Contact

Should you need to contact someone **during the meeting** in Lund please contact:

**Linda Goldberg, Linda Cimini, Marie
Krynicky and Lauren Burns**

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General Information

For more information on....

- Map of NYC: <http://www.mapquest.com/maps/map.adp?zipcode=10001>
- Hotel Website: http://www.clubquarters.com/home_pub.asp
http://www.hotels.com/property.jsp?property=45078&PSRC=G21&googlekw=club_quarters_downtown&js=1&z=1166635119120
- General Information on NYC: <http://www.nycvisit.com/home/index.cfm>
- Official NYC Guide for public transportation: <http://www.nycvisit.com/content/index.cfm?pagePkey=11>
- Federal Reserve Webpage: <http://www.newyorkfed.org>

Map of New York Subway



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Conference Venue and Hotel Map



Hotel Clubquarters Downtown

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