

Monetary Policy: Current and Future Challenges

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Keynote speeches

1. **Charles Goodhart**, *London School of Economics*
Could (Should) We Introduce Debt Cancellation Jubilees Nowadays?
2. **Carl Christian von Weizsäcker**, *Max Planck Institute*
Population growth and the rate of interest

Core conference

1. **The Swiss Sovereign Money Initiative**
Katrin Assenmacher, European Central Bank
2. **Agent-based models: Keynesian and Schumpeterian**
Charlotte Bruun, Aalborg University
3. **Future of monetary policy and central bank independence**
Jakob de Haan, Netherlands Bank
4. **Asset Prices and Leverage in a Model of Persistent Stagnation**
Gerhard Illing, LMU München
5. **French-German proposals for a reform of the Eurozone**
Thomas Jost, University of Aschaffenburg
6. **Money and Credit: Lessons of the Irish bank strike of 1970**
Malte Krueger, University of Aschaffenburg
7. **Central bankers and monetary policy: Economics, political economy and behaviorism**
Donato Masciandaro, Bocconi University
8. **The independence of the ECB**
Ulrike Neyer, University of Düsseldorf
9. **Welfare costs of abolishing cash**
*Gerhard Rösl, OTH Regensburg,
Franz Seitz, Weiden Technical University of Applied Sciences*
10. **Some thoughts on optimal inflation targets**
Alexander Scheer, Deutsche Bundesbank
11. **The Swedish e-krona project - a case study of central-bank issued digital currency**
Björn Segendorff, Sveriges Riksbank
12. **Unconventional monetary policy in the euro area: Macroeconomic context, effectiveness, unintended consequences, and normalization**
Stefano Siviero, Bank of Italy
13. **Can Central Banks Determine the Rate of Inflation? Forward Guidance, Neo-Fisherian View and Fiscal Theory of the Price Level**
Peter Spahn, University of Hohenheim
14. **What can we learn from the real bills doctrine?**
Juha Tarkka, Bank of Finland

Free part

1. The Ethical and Legal Limits of Lobbying the European Commission

Damian Bäumlisberger, University of Muenster

2. The Pros and Cons of Brexit

Dirk Wenzel, University of Pforzheim

3. It's the Economy, Stupid! – On the Relative Impact of Political and Economic Determinants on Migration

Simon Winter, University of Muenster