



Keynote Speakers

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The [Centre for Financial Econometrics, Asset Markets and Macroeconomic Policy \(EMP\)](#) at Lancaster University Management School invites researchers and practitioners to submit their papers in the field related to **financial fraud, misconduct, and market manipulation**. The conference aims to gather diverse array of perspectives and insights and seeks theoretical and empirical submissions on a variety of topics, including but not limited to:

- Theoretical and empirical analysis of financial fraud
- Case studies of recent instances of market misconduct
- Insider trading
- Implication of financial fraud/market manipulation for market efficiency, stability, and asset pricing
- Market manipulation at a high-frequency (intraday) level
- Fraudulent activities and cryptocurrency markets
- Social networks, fake news, and their effect on financial markets
- Money laundering and banking
- Conflicts of interest and their implications for various stake holders and financial markets
- Hedge funds/mutual funds and their involvement in market misconduct
- Statistical/machine learning methods for fraud detection
- Cyber security and cyber risk management
- Regulatory response to financial misconduct
- Unintended consequences of policies and regulations

We invite complete research papers to be submitted for the main conference presentation, while extended abstracts and early drafts can be considered for a poster session. Please, indicate upon submission if you would like the contribution to be considered for the main conference or the poster session.

Closing Date for Paper Submission: 1st May 2026

Papers (PDF) should be uploaded electronically via [Google Forms](#). Please include all requested contact information for all authors. **The conference is in-person and held at Lancaster University. No online sessions are offered.**

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