

2012 IBES Student Paper Competition

The Institutional and Behavioral Economics Section (IBES) of the AAEA is sponsoring a student paper competition.

We hope to encourage student participation in IBES section activities as well as the AAEA meetings in Seattle (Aug 12-14, 2012).

What will the winners receive?

- First prize receives a \$500 award.
- Second prize receives a \$300 award.
- Third prize receives a \$200 award.
- Students will receive awards at the IBES business meeting in Seattle.

Note: Winners must be able to attend the 2012 AAEA annual meetings in Seattle (Aug 12-14).

What are the paper requirements?

- The topic of the paper must assess or develop theoretical aspects of institutional and/ or behavioural economics.
 - Papers may be empirical or qualitative.
 - Literature reviews are also accepted.
- Papers must be authored by a student (graduate or undergraduate) or students. If the student is a co-author with a faculty member the student must be the lead author.

What are the paper elements?

- The maximum page limit is 30 pages (including references and tables).
- References must follow a standard format for applied economics.
- Paper title
- Full name(s)
- Student(s) status: graduate or undergraduate
- Email address
- Full postal address
- Abstract
 - **The abstract must clearly articulate the institutional and/or behavioral economics issue(s) addressed by the paper.**
- The name & email address of the faculty member or other academic supervisor who has been asked to verify eligibility.
- Paper must be in a pdf format.

Who Judges the Papers?

The judges will include members of the IBES executive committee.

What are the Key Dates?

(1) Papers due January 5, 2012. Submit your paper by email to:

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(2) Prizes announced in April 2012.

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