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Dear IARIW member,

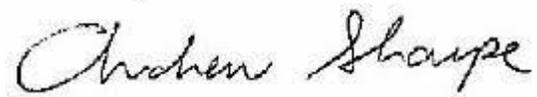
The web portal for submissions of proposals for papers for the 35th IARIW General Conference is now open and can be accessed at http://www.iariw.org/paper_submission2018denmark.php. This conference, which is being co-organized by Statistics Denmark, will take place August 20-25, 2018 in Copenhagen, Denmark. The call for papers is posted at <http://iariw.org/call2018denmark.pdf>. In addition to proposals for the theme sessions, proposals are welcome in all areas of interest to the membership, including: inequality; poverty; time use; real estate and housing prices; happiness and well-being; prices; wealth; household issues; social benefits; and measurement challenges for official statistics. These non-theme submissions should be placed under the "other topics" category of the submission portal. The deadline for submissions of proposals has been extended from the traditional end of August date to September 30, 2017.

Members are reminded that the IARIW-Bank of Korea conference "Beyond GDP: Past Experiences and Future Challenges in the Measurement of Economic Well-being" will take place in Seoul, Korea April 26-28, 2017. The conference has 35 papers from leading researchers in the well-being area, keynote addresses by Francois Bourguignon from the Paris School of Economics and Martine Durand, Chief Statistician at the OECD, and a closing panel on future directions for well-being research. There will also be an excursion to the Demilitarized Zone the final day of the event. IARIW members are strongly encouraged to attend. Researchers in the well-being area in particular will benefit from participating. There is no registration fee for IARIW members.

The conference program is posted at <http://www.iariw.org/c2017korea.php>. The conference website constructed by the Bank of Korea is found at <http://www.bok.or.kr/IARIW/index.html>. Registration can be done at <http://www.bok.or.kr/IARIW/html/registration.html>.

I look forward to seeing many members of the Association at the conference in Korea next month.

Best Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andrew Sharpe". The script is cursive and fluid.

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