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Dear IARIW Members,

Below are a number of announcements related to upcoming IARIW activities.

### **2009 IARIW Special Conference**

As has been previously announced, International Association for Research in Income and Wealth (IARIW) and the South Asian Institute of Management (SAIM) are jointly organizing an international conference entitled "Measuring the Informal Economy in Developing Countries." to be held in Kathmandu, Nepal September 24-26, 2009. Details on the conference, including the motivation and the topics addressed, are posted at <http://www.iariw.org/c2009.asp>. The conference will be held at the Godavari Village Resort (<http://www.godavariresort.com.np/>). The conference program and details on registration and accommodation will be emailed to the membership in April.

The call for papers for the conference is posted at <http://www.iariw.org/call2009.asp>. Members are reminded that the deadline for receipt of proposals is March 31, 2009. Members are asked to forward the call for the papers to non-IARIW researchers working on the informal economy in developing countries who might be interested in submitting a proposal. Travel funds are available on a needs basis for paper givers.

### **2010 IARIW General Conference**

The 31st IARIW General Conference, to be organized jointly with the Swiss Federal Statistical Office, will be held in St. Gallen, Switzerland August 22-28, 2010. The call for papers for the conference is posted at <http://www.iariw.org/call2010.asp>. The deadline for receipt of proposals is August 31, 2009.

### **IARIW Membership Renewal**

IARIW individual members who did not pre-paid their 2009 membership dues will have received an invoice for membership renewal in February. Those who have not yet paid their dues for 2009 are asked to do so as soon as possible.

### **Review of Income and Wealth**

The IARIW Council is pleased to announce that the editorial team for the *Review of Income and Wealth* for five years from 1 August 2009 has been appointed following a public competition and evaluation by a search committee. The new editorial team consists of three Co-Editors, Conchita D'Ambrosio (Università Milano-Bicocca and Università Bocconi), Robert Hill (University of Graz), and Stephan Klasen (University of Göttingen), together with Review Editor, Thesia Garner (Bureau of Labor Statistics, USA). The editorial office of the journal will be located at Econpubblica, Università Bocconi, Milan, Italy. Congratulations to

the new team on their appointment! The IARIW would also like to thank the search committee for their work: Andrea Brandolini, Barbara Fraumeni, Stephen Jenkins (chair), and Peter van de Ven.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns related to the Association.  
Sincerely,

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