

# International Conference on Foreign Direct Investment & Trade-Emerging Economies Perspective

ONLINE MODE

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## Conference Call for Papers

### Introduction

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Foreign direct investment (FDI), driven by multinational enterprises' activities, has been increasingly regarded as one of the defining characteristics of the world economy and an engine of economic growth. Impact of host nations Institutional quality in attracting FDI inflow has gained increased interest from emerging and developing countries because of perceived benefits in the injection of capital, technology and knowledge, and the potential generation of economic growth. It is not a matter of dispute that while the benefits of FDI are real, they do not automatically fall into place. Scholars have been deliberating the importance of an enabling institutional environment in reaping the maximum benefits from FDI. Broadly speaking, FDI flows to countries with better quality institutions while poor governance can impede FDI. Indeed, scholarly research on institutions and FDI has delineated several ways by which institutions matter for FDI inflows.

International Conference on Foreign Direct Investment & Institutional Quality aims to bring together leading academic scientists, researchers and research scholars to exchange and share their experiences and research results on broader linkages between FDI inflows and country-specific Institutional quality, which is believed to be a vital determinant of foreign investments, particularly in the emerging nations. The conference deliberation focuses on how best to integrate host nations institutional quality and foreign investors goals, ensuring that institutional quality and investment liberalization are mutually supportive to encourage 'best investment climate'. It also provides a premier interdisciplinary platform for researchers, practitioners and educators to present and

discuss the most recent innovations, trends, and concerns and practical challenges encountered and solutions adopted in the fields of global Foreign Direct Investments across the globe.

## **Call for Contributions**

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Prospective authors are encouraged to contribute to and help shape the conference through submissions of their research abstracts, papers and e-posters. Also, high-quality research contributions describing original and unpublished results of conceptual, constructive, empirical, experimental, or theoretical work in all areas of Foreign Direct Investment Management are cordially invited for presentation at the conference. The conference solicits contributions of abstracts, papers and e-posters that address themes and topics of the conference, including figures, tables and references of novel research materials.

### **Conference themes include but are not restricted to the following topics:**

- How foreign direct investment promote institutional quality
- Role of institutional quality on foreign direct investment inflows
- Does good governance matter for FDI
- Foreign direct investment, institutional quality and macroeconomic uncertainty
- Indicators of institutional quality in emerging economies
- Innovation and economic growth: Role of institutional quality and foreign direct investment
- How bilateral treaties impact foreign direct investment inflow in emerging economies
- Macroeconomic policy factors and foreign direct investment
- Link between Governance infrastructure and FDI flows
- Foreign investment and air pollution: does good governance and technological innovation matter?
- Relationship between FDI and economic growth in the presence of good governance system
- Does quality of innovation, culture and governance drive FDI?
- Policy integration and governance complexity: an analytical framework for FDI promotion
- Importance of Political Elements to Attract FDI
- Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals 2030 through Impact Investment Mechanism for attracting FDI
- Exploring the relationship between institutional factors and FDI attractiveness
- Do International Capital Flows, Institutional Quality Matter for Innovation Output: The Mediating Role of Economic Policy Uncertainty
- Does Economic Policy Uncertainty influence FDI Inflows
- Policy/institutional frameworks prompting FDI
- Foreign Direct Investment Trends and Policy Issues
- FDI Unique Contribution to Capital Flows and Investment in Capacity
- Foreign Direct Investment Trends and Policy Issues
- Foreign Direct Investment: Performance and Attraction
- Foreign Direct Investment: Problems and Prospects
- Foreign Direct Investment: The Legal Environment
- Political Stability and defining a Modern, Sustainable Development Strategy for the Country
- Trends in Global and Regional Foreign Direct Investment flows.
- Relocation of Global Supply Chains and Sustainable FDI.
- Impact of Free Trade Agreements on FDI.
- Greenfield versus Brownfield- the Impact of Entry Modes of FDI towards Unemployment and Economic Growth

We encourage you to invite colleagues to participate in the conference and submit original research for the conference call for papers.

## **Submission Information**

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Authors need to submit the abstract followed by extended abstract and full paper as per the timelines given below, at [fditeep@mdi.ac.in](mailto:fditeep@mdi.ac.in).

### **Important Dates**

- Last date for the submission of abstract: May 22, 2022
- Selection of abstract: May 26, 2022
- Last date for the submission of extended abstract: June 1, 2022
- Last date for the submission of full paper: June 15, 2022

### **Word Limit**

- Abstract: 300 words
- Extended Abstract: 3000-4000 words
- Full paper: 10,000 words (including, references, tables and figures)

### **Registration Fees**

For research scholars, students and Ph.D. students: INR 1000/-

For faculty and industry professionals: INR 1500/-

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