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## Call for Papers

**American Risk and Insurance Association  
2018 Annual Meeting  
August 5-8 2018  
Chicago, IL**

The Annual Meeting of the American Risk and Insurance Association will be held August 5-8, 2018 in Chicago, IL. Papers presented at the annual meeting will mostly include those submitted by individuals. Session chairs are also invited to propose entire sessions. By doing so the association encourages the broadest possible participation and the highest quality meeting.

You are encouraged to submit a proposal to present your best research findings. Papers on any risk or insurance related topics are welcome. Specific subject areas include, but are not limited to, insurance economics, risk management, behavioral risk perception, law and regulation of insurance and risk transfer mechanisms, insurance accounting, insurance operations, corporate governance, health insurance and economics, public policy and financing of aging and retirement, etc. Please use Key Words placed just below the abstract and/or use the *Journal of Economic Literature's* classification code to help describe your submission: <https://www.aeaweb.org/econlit/jelCodes.php?view=jel>

Executive summaries (not exceeding three pages) that focus on the purpose, expected results, and importance of the research may be submitted. Completed papers are preferred. Proposals from doctoral students are encouraged. Submitted papers should not have been accepted for publication.

The deadline for submission is **February 14, 2018**. This deadline will not be extended. **Proposals must be submitted electronically on ARIA's website at <http://www.aria.org> in Acrobat (.pdf) or Word (.docx) format. The submission link will be available no later than January 12th. Please remove all author information from your paper (double-blind review process).**

Notes: Papers already accepted for publication should not be submitted. Authors will be notified by e-mail of the program committee's decision regarding their paper by the end of April 2018. In order to stay on the program, at least one author must register for the meeting no later than June 15<sup>th</sup>.

Questions or suggestions concerning the program can be directed to the ARIA Vice President and 2018 Program Chair:

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