



CALL FOR PAPERS



The **Financial Literacy Research Award**, for the best submitted paper, will be presented at the 2021 Institute. The award includes a prize of \$5,000.

The Rising Financial Literacy Scholar Award, for the best poster presentation by a PhD student, will be presented at the 2021 Institute. The award includes a prize of \$750.

We invite you to submit papers to be presented at the 2021 Cherry Blossom Financial Education Institute organized and hosted by the Global Financial Literacy Excellence Center. The deadline to submit papers is **March 1, 2021**. The committee that will select the papers is composed of Annamaria Lusardi of GFLEC, Alberto Rossi of Georgetown University, and Michael Staten of the University of Arizona. The Institute will be held virtually with sessions during part of the day on **April 8-9, 2021**.

The National Endowment for Financial Education is sponsoring the event as well as the Financial Literacy Research Award and the Rising Financial Literacy Scholar Award.

The Cherry Blossom Financial Education Institute is modelled after the National Bureau of Economic Research Summer Institute, in which researchers are invited to present their work in progress and interact with fellow scholars. The objectives of the Institute are to provide an ongoing forum for presentation and discussion of financial education research, with the aim of promoting excellent work in this field, and to foster research that informs policy and helps identify effective financial education.

We welcome research addressing all types of financial education: programs in primary and secondary schools, colleges and universities, workplaces, and other venues. The Institute is most interested in papers that assess the effectiveness of financial education and its influence on financial behavior and other outcomes. Academic faculty and researchers in economics and related fields studying financial education are encouraged to submit papers. We also welcome submissions of abstracts or papers from advanced PhD students. The program includes a special session dedicated to the research of PhD students.

For more information on past Cherry Blossom Institutes, please click here.

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