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MW86 –Topics on Monetary Policy

Content:

This course addresses current topics relevant for monetary economics in general and monetary policy in particular. The topics covered in this seminar are:

1. Distributional Effects of Monetary Policy
2. Monetary Policy in a Monetary Union
3. Central Bank Digital Currencies as a New Monetary Policy Tool
4. Central Bank Digital Currencies and Privacy
5. Heterogeneous Agents in New Keynesian Models and the Transmission of Monetary Policy

More specific topics will be assigned at the first meeting.

Target group:

M.Sc. students in Economics or Business Administration. Students should have completed the introductory master's course on Macroeconomics (MV01/MV06/MW87).

Organization:

Students are expected to write a seminar paper of 12-15 pages and present and discuss their topic (25-30 minutes). We will meet twice during the semester. During the first meeting, the topics will be assigned. During the second meeting, each topic will be presented and discussed. The schedule is:

1. Wednesday, April 24th 2024, Seminar Room 5 (Oeconomicum), 12:30-02:00pm.
2. Friday, June 28th 2024, Seminar Room 5 (Oeconomicum), 10:30am-06:00pm.

Language:

The seminar (meetings, presentations/discussions, seminar papers) will be conducted in English.

Number of Participants:

Max. 10.

Contact:

In case of questions please contact Daniel Stempel (Daniel.Stempel@hhu.de).