



Invitation for Participation

2nd Berlin Conference on Crypto-Currencies in a Digital Economy (CCConf 2018)

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November 29th - 30th, 2018
Berlin, Germany

Since its introduction in 2008 distributed ledger technology (DLT) has emerged from its use in crypto-currencies and continues to disrupt numerous technological and economic applications. Despite its potential as a trust-free, cost-efficient, and automated system, DLT is still an emergent technology and, therefore, faces a number of challenges.

The Berlin Crypto-Currencies Conference (CCConf) provides a platform for interdisciplinary discussion of these challenges, as well as the technological and economic potential of blockchain-based systems. We welcome researchers and practitioners working on topics such as:

- price determinants, portfolio optimisation and risk management
- privacy and security in DLT and distributed payment networks
- high-frequency trading, derivative pricing (options, volatility forecasting)
- macro-economic consequences, decentralised monetary policy, CBDC
- consensus protocols and scalability
- governance and legal aspects

Keynote speakers include:

- David L. Yermack, Albert Fingerhut Professor of Finance and Business Transformation at NYU Stern (confirmed)
- Roger Wattenhofer, Head of the Distributed Computing Group at ETH Zürich (confirmed)
- Rainer Böhme, Head of the Security and Privacy Lab at Innsbruck University (confirmed)
- Dirk Bullmann, FinTech coordinator at the European Central Bank (confirmed)

As common in some of the relevant research communities, the CCConf is not based on publications or peer-review. Speakers are invited individually. If you are interested in giving a talk, please drop us a line at ccconf@lists.hu-berlin.de.

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Organisational Details

The conference is a joint initiative of Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, the International Research Training Group 1792 "High Dimensional Nonstationary Time Series" and the collaborative project "Weizenbaum Institute for the Networked Society".

Location: Weizenbaum Institute for the Networked Society, Hardenbergstr. 32, 10623 Berlin, Germany

Organisers: Hermann Elendner, Martin Florian, Wolfgang Karl Härdle, Björn Scheuermann

Registration: Registration is free but required, as only limited places are available. Please register at the conference website <http://ccconf.org>. The deadline for registration is November 15, 2018. Inquiries can be sent by e-mail to ccconf-orga@lists.hu-berlin.de.

Registration, programme and up-to-date information: <http://ccconf.org>

We look forward to welcoming you in Berlin!

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