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2026 Midwest Econometrics Group Annual Meeting



An aerial view of downtown Cincinnati, not far from the campus of the University of Cincinnati.

The Economics Department in the Carl H. Lindner College of Business is excited to host the 34th annual meeting of the **Midwest Econometrics Group (MEG 2026)**, a two-day event focused on econometric theory, methods and empirical applications. [Register today \(https://secure.touchnet.net/C21575_ustores/web/product_detail.jsp?PRODUCTID=2276\)](https://secure.touchnet.net/C21575_ustores/web/product_detail.jsp?PRODUCTID=2276).

MEG 2026 will take place Friday, October 9 and Saturday, October 10, 2026 at the Graduate Hotel (located on UC's campus). Lodging is available (see below).

The opening lecture will be delivered by **Jeffrey Wooldridge**, Walter Adams Distinguished Faculty Fellow in Economics and University Distinguished Professor from Michigan State University's department of economics.

The keynote speaker for the Friday night dinner is **Beth Munnich** of the University of Louisville, who is also a faculty affiliate of the University of Notre Dame.

Stay tuned to this page for coming agenda, session and speaker information.

Explore Cincinnati

- Explore the **BLINK** (<https://www.blinkcincinnati.com/>) immersive laser light art festival happening every night after conference activities. Take an Uber 2.6 miles to Music Hall to start.
- Try Cincinnati-style chili at **Skyline Chili** (<https://skylinechili.com/>). The nearest location is 0.8 miles from the hotel on historic Ludlow Avenue.

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- Taste Greater's (<http://www.graeters.com>) ice cream, Specialty Food Association Hall of Fame winner. Try the black raspberry chip! The nearest location is 0.9 miles from the hotel on Ludlow Avenue.
- See the University of Cincinnati's award-winning campus architecture. See USA Today's third-ranked Best Zoo (<http://www.cincinnati zoo.org>) and top-ranked botanical garden in the nation — located less than a mile from the hotel.

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Call for Papers & Panels

The call for papers is now closed. Acceptance decisions will be made on **August 10**.

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Registration

Registration is \$200 for non-students and \$80 for students.

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Accepted papers that do not register by **Thursday, August 27**, will be replaced by papers on standby.

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The last day to register for presenters and attendees is **Tuesday, September 1**, so we can meet the hotel's food ordering deadline.

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Hotel & Travel Information

Rooms are available on a first-come, first-serve basis. Please book your hotel stay using [this link](https://book.passkey.com/event/51242013/owner/6698/home) (<https://book.passkey.com/event/51242013/owner/6698/home>) so MEG gets credit for room stays generated. We pay a penalty for not filling enough rooms, there's nowhere cheaper or more convenient to stay, and the room stays subsidize the cost of our meeting areas.

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Mentoring Workshop for Junior Researchers

Applications for the Mentoring Workshop are now closed.

MEG Best Student Paper Awards

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