

5th European Microfinance Research Conference

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The **European Microfinance Research Conference** is one of the primary meeting places for academic researchers working on microfinance and financial inclusion. Since the first conference in Brussels, Belgium in 2009, the conference has been a unique platform for academics to exchange ideas, build networks and identify gaps and different paths for new research.

The main theme of the Conference is 'Microfinance and Financial Inclusion'. During the three days of Conference, panels and parallel sessions will address key topics on the theme, including:

- Strategy and management of microfinance institutions;
- Responsible finance and client protection;

- Gender and microfinance;
- Microfinance products and services, including mobile money and digital financial services;
- Policy, regulation and microfinance;
- Impact of microfinance.

These are, however, not exclusive topics so academic papers that fall within the broader remit of microfinance and the microfinance movement will be accepted for presentation based on criteria of academic quality.

The University of Portsmouth and its partners, European Microfinance Platform and CERMI, cordially invite you to join us in Portsmouth.

More Information on the Conference is available at:

<http://www.port.ac.uk/microfinance2017>