

Special Issue

Impact of Brexit on Financial Markets

Message from the Guest Editors

On 23 June 2016, Britain voted to leave the EU, and the Brexit negotiations between the UK and the EU are currently ongoing. Participants in the global financial markets are facing great uncertainty about what impact Brexit will have on the European financial system and particularly, the UK financial services sector and its capital markets. Overall, there are uncertainties surrounding what the new relationship between the UK and the EU will look like after Brexit. Brexit not only challenges practitioners, but also brings about many academic questions. This Special Issue will provide a good opportunity for researchers in financial economics to examine questions related to the above-mentioned areas. Studies on other subtopics that are relevant to Brexit and its impact on financial systems will also be considered.

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