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Financial Market Development and Integration in East Asia

Message from the Guest Editor

In the recent decades, financial markets in East Asia have developed rapidly and become increasingly integrated, especially with the astonishingly rapid rise of Chinese economy. Financial integration has important implications for the efficient allocation of capital, cross-border financial risk management, financial stability and economic growth. The current COVID-19 pandemic has dramatic impacts on financial markets, and created an unprecedented level of risk. This Special Issue aims to bring together a collection of articles that address issues concerning financial markets development and integration in the region, especially the impact of the pandemic on financial markets and integration in the emerging East Asian economies. We hope that this collection of papers will add to the existing literature, both at the theoretical and empirical level, and advance the understanding of the impact and challenges of East Asian monetary and financial market integration and development.

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