



CALL FOR PAPERS

The Institut D'Economie Industrielle (IDEI)
organizes a conference on

COMPETITION POLICY IN TWO-SIDED MARKETS

June 29 (afternoon) to July 1 (lunchtime), 2006
Toulouse, France

We invite the submission of theory, empirical, and policy- oriented papers on topics related to the economics of two-sided markets (in particular payment and telecommunications networks, Internet, software, media, auction and matching markets, financial exchanges,...).

A special emphasis will be put on regulation and competition policy (vertical and horizontal consolidation, access pricing, tie-ins, interchange fees,...) but related topics are also welcome.

The primary focus is on academic research, but we intend to organize one or two panel sessions to confront the views of industry experts and regulators, for instance on antitrust issues.

Scientific Committee: Mark Armstrong, Bruno Jullien, Dennis Carlton, Michael Katz, Jean-Charles Rochet, Jean Tirole, Julian Wright.

If you would like to present a paper at the conference, please submit an electronic copy to conf2sms@cict.fr by April 1, 2006. Detailed abstracts will be considered, but preference will be given to completed papers.

If you would like to participate as a discussant or a panelist, please send an e-mail to conf2sms@cict.fr indicating your specific topics of interest.

Please also feel free to contact the local organizers, Bruno Jullien, Jean-Charles Rochet and Jean Tirole.