

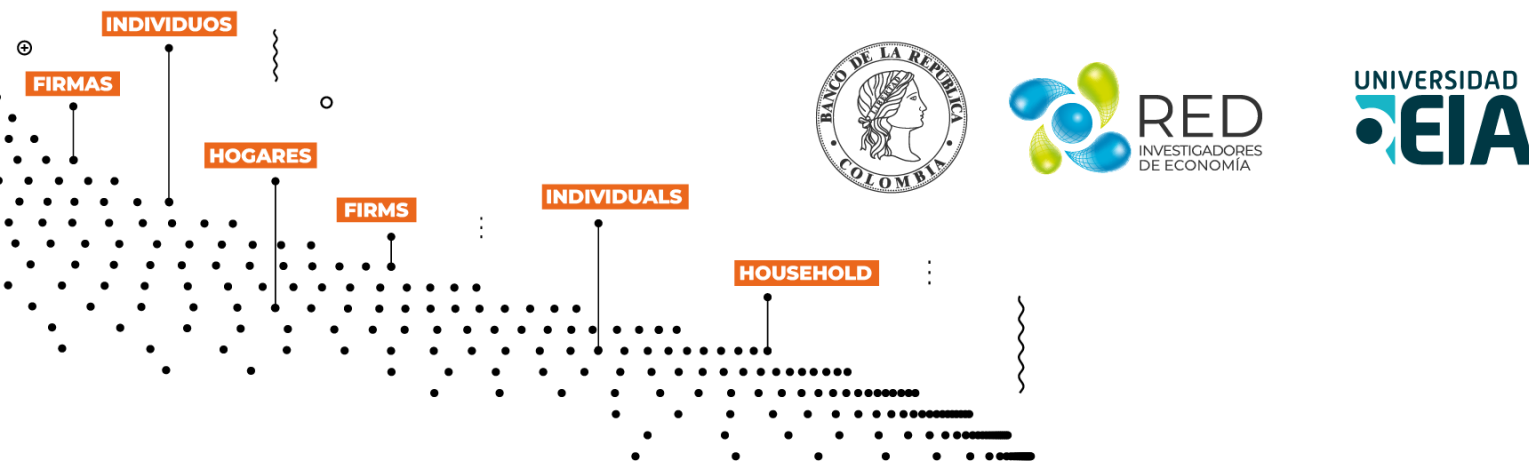
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Call for Papers: Annual Network Congress 2026

The Economics Program at Universidad EIA and the Economics Researchers Network of the Banco de la República of Colombia are pleased to invite you to submit papers for the 2026 Annual Conference of the Network, titled **“Applied Economic Analysis of Individuals, Households, and Firms: Beyond the Representative Agent”**.

The Conference will be held in person in the city of **Medellín on december 3 and 4, 2026**, and will focus a wide range of research areas related to agent heterogeneity in economics, including: macroeconomics and monetary policy; labor markets, inequality, and demography; economic development and inclusion; firm heterogeneity, productivity, and the energy transition; regional, urban, environmental, and agricultural economics; as well as applied microeconomics and quantitative methods. We invite academics, early-career



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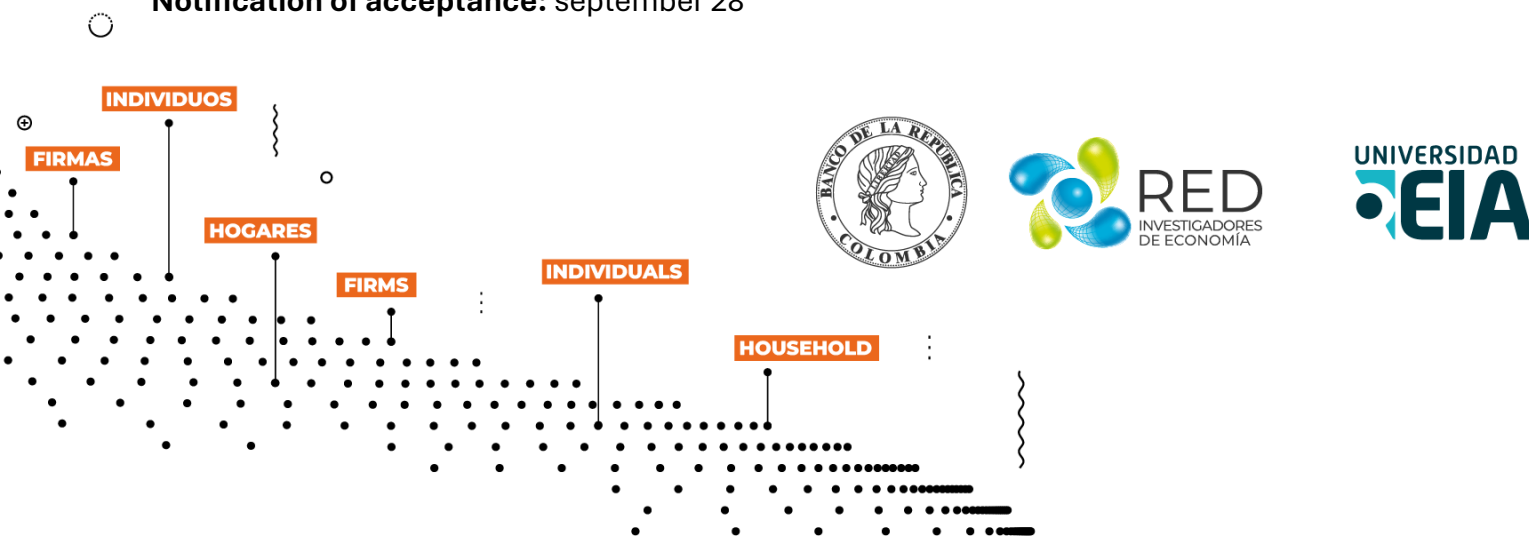
researchers, and professionals to submit and discuss research papers on applied economic analysis of individuals, households, and firms, with an emphasis on approaches that go beyond the representative agent framework. Each author may submit only one paper; however, authors may be listed as co-authors on multiple papers.

The conference will bring together academics, researchers, practitioners, and public policymakers to present and discuss research on heterogeneous agent economics and its applications to public policy design. The event will feature distinguished international scholars, including **Mark Huggett** (Georgetown University), **Nancy Qian** (Northwestern University), and **William Maloney** (World Bank).

To submit a paper, please fill the form available [here](#).

Submission deadline: september 13

Notification of acceptance: september 28



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