

# Call for Papers

## *The Journal of Energy Markets*

### **Special Issue on Commodity Derivatives: The Old, The New and The Useful**

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In March 2018, *The Journal of Energy Markets* will publish a special issue dedicated to derivatives written on energy-related commodities, with a focus on the useful instruments, the new commodities to consider, the definition of the underlying and the inclusion of economic fundamentals. The Journal is inviting submissions on the following subjects:

- Foundations
  - Commodities for which introducing derivatives would be beneficiary
  - The key issue of the underlying spot/index and the possible manipulations at maturity
  - The industrial risks to be addressed
- Instruments
  - The old and new contracts to investigate
  - The hedging strategies
  - The applications to physical assets
- Role of Economic Fundamentals
  - The inclusion of storage, inventory, reserves
  - The information in the forward curve

#### **Submission Requirements**

Manuscripts should be prepared for publication in accordance with our submissions guidelines, which can be found at: <http://www.risk.net/static/risk-journals-submission-guidelines>

All submissions will be subject to a peer review process by at least two independent peer reviewers. Final decisions on paper acceptance will be given by the Editor-in-Chief, Derek Bunn.

#### **Length**

The Journal has a strict length policy. Research papers should not exceed **8,000 words**, including references. Submissions should be sent via the online submission site: <https://editorialexpress.com/risk>

#### **Submission deadlines**

Papers should be submitted by: July 31st, 2017 Publication date: March 30th, 2018

#### **About the Journal**

Energy markets are one of the fastest growing and most complex sectors. From the basic role that oil has in the global economy, to the essential services that gas and electricity provide, energy is an area of geopolitical concern as well as financial activities. The Journal of Energy Markets serves as a major research outlet for new empirical and model-based work in this sector, and publishes original papers on the evolution and behaviour of electricity, gas, oil, carbon and other energy markets, both wholesale and retail.