

# Financial Education Network (FEN)'s National Financial Literacy Symposium 2023 (NFLS2023)

10-11 October 2023  
Sasana Kijang,  
Bank Negara Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur

## CALL FOR PAPERS

The Financial Education Network (FEN) is organising the National Financial Literacy Symposium 2023 (NFLS2023). This year, the NFLS2023 will be co-hosted by Bank Negara Malaysia (BNM), Employees Provident Fund (EPF) and Credit Counselling and Debt Management Agency (AKPK) in collaboration with Malaysian Economic Association (MEA).

The NFLS2023 invites submissions of original research papers, and case studies on Malaysia that explore the topic of enhancing financial literacy and resilience in the context of national and global uncertainties. Implementing structural reforms and promoting financial literacy can be mutually reinforcing in enhancing economic growth, stability, and social welfare.

We therefore, would like to invite esteemed researchers, policy developers, market practitioners, NGOs and members of the community to share your research findings of any related topics listed below from the perspectives of financial literacy, financial inclusion and financial well-being.

## Potential topics of interest from the perspective of Financial Literacy include, but are not limited to:

- Analysis of post pandemic financial inclusion issues and challenges
- Effectiveness of policies and programmes, including their measurement
- Digital financial literacy and consumer protection
- Financial fraud and scams
- Financial inclusion and social protection
- Consumer financial behavior
- Behavioural insights for the design of financial products
- Policy design and implementation
- Vulnerable groups, e.g., self – employed (including gig workers, MSMEs), youth and others.
- Understanding financial needs at different life stages
- The application of behavioural insights to influence financial behavior
- Harnessing financial literacy to enhance retirement well-being

## AWARD AND POSTER PRESENTATION

The papers will be reviewed by a Scientific Committee panel and qualified paper(s) will be presented during the symposium. Selected papers will be invited for poster exhibition at the conference with a certificate of recognition.

The Conference Organizer will confer e-Certificate/s for Best Paper Award to qualified paper(s) as recommended by the Scientific Committee's panel.

- Three (3) Best Paper will receive RM1,000 cash prize for each paper.

## PUBLICATION OPPORTUNITIES

Selected papers will be invited for further review and consideration for publication in the Malaysian Journal of Economic Studies (MJES).

## **REGISTRATION**

For registration and paper submission, please [click here](#)

### **Important Dates (GMT +8:00)**

Full paper submission open: 20 May 2023

Full paper submission deadline: 15 July 2023

Notification of acceptance: 15 August 2023

### **Contact Us:**

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