

AEA OMBUDSPERSON

HAVE YOU **EXPERIENCED** OR WITNESSED AN APPARENT INCIDENT OF **HARASSMENT** OR **DISCRIMINATION** INVOLVING AN AEA MEMBER, FACULTY MEMBER, OR STUDENT IN ECONOMICS?

PLEASE REPORT IT

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AEA members who believe they have suffered harassment or discrimination, or any person who believes he or she has suffered harassment or discrimination by an AEA member or in the context of an AEA-sponsored activity, or anyone who has witnessed such conduct, is encouraged to contact the ombudsperson.

The ombudsperson's role is to discuss your concerns, to advise and provide resources, and to investigate or otherwise follow through on complaints as appropriate. The AEA ombudsperson is committed to maintaining your confidentiality and therefore will not voluntarily share your identity or your report with anyone without your permission or unless required by a court to do so. To help identify patterns of abuse, AEA members are encouraged to report to the ombudsperson any incident of harassment or discrimination in a professional context, even if it took place some time ago.



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