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## The Pensions Policy Institute needs your help to shape understanding of the DC universe

If you work for a Defined Contribution (DC) pension scheme, we need your help to increase and shape understanding of the DC landscape. **The Pensions Policy Institute (PPI)** is today launching its annual **DC Assets Allocation Survey**. Now in its seventh year, the DC Assets Allocation Survey collects data on size, charges and asset allocation across the DC universe. Data from the survey is presented (anonymously) in the DC Future Book: in association with Columbia Threadneedle Investments, with the 2021 edition to be published in September this year. This annual report, first published in 2015, sets out available data on the DC landscape alongside commentary, analysis and projections of future trends.



**Lauren Wilkinson, Senior Policy Researcher at the PPI** said “Since its inception in 2015 the DC Assets Allocation Survey has grown exponentially, with last year’s survey including data on more than half of UK DC scheme members. This year we want to further increase the coverage of the survey so that the DC Future Book can become more comprehensive than ever before. The data we gather is a vital aid in developing a greater understanding of the trends we are currently seeing in the DC landscape, as well as identifying how these trends may evolve in the future. To show our appreciation to all those who take the time to participate and help us to build this valuable data resource, all participants will be acknowledged by name in the report (if they so wish) and receive an invitation to the DC Future Book launch event.”

The survey will close on **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> July** and can be found here:

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/M6PZ9DC>

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