



CEPR Annual Macroeconomics and Growth Programme Meeting 2024

7-8 November 2024

Venue: IZA, Bonn

Programme (Times shown in CET)

Thursday, 7 November 2024

11.45-12:10	<i>Welcome Coffee and Registration</i>
12:10-13:00	<i>Ready, Set, Unify: The Uneven Race between Trabants and BMWs</i> *Sina Ates (Federal Reserve Board) Discussant: Giammario Impullitti (University of Nottingham and CEPR)
13:00-13:50	<i>Economic Development According to Chandler</i> *Federico Rossi (University of Warwick) Discussant: Jonas Gathen (CEMFI)
13:50-14:50	<i>Lunch</i>
14:50-15:40	<i>Spousal Insurance Around the World</i> *Annika Bacher (BI Norwegian Business School) Discussant: Ana Figueiredo (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam and CEPR)
15:40-16:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>
16:00-16:50	<i>Delayed Childbearing and Urban Revival: A Structural Approach</i> *Ana Moreno-Maldonado (University of Mannheim) Discussant: Fabian Kindermann (University of Regensburg and CEPR)
16:50-17:40	<i>Unpacking Moving: A Quantitative Spatial Equilibrium Model with Wealth</i> *Elisa Giannone (CREI and CEPR) Discussant: Agnieszka Markiewicz (Erasmus University Rotterdam)
17:40-18:00	<i>Coffee Break / Drinks</i>
18:00-19:00	Keynote by *Benjamin Moll (London School of Economics and CEPR) <i>The Trouble with Rational Expectations in Heterogeneous Agent Models: A Challenge for Macroeconomics</i>
20:00	<i>Dinner (by invitation only)</i>

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08:30-09:00	<i>Arrival and Refreshments</i>
09:00-09:50	<i>Minimum Wages, Market Power, and Misallocation: Theory and Evidence from a Large Minimum Wage Introduction</i> * Ester Faia (Goethe University Frankfurt and CEPR) Discussant: Almut Balleer (RWI Essen and CEPR)
09:50-10:40	<i>Technological Change and Unions: An Intergenerational Conflict with Aggregate Impact</i> * Leon Huetsch (University of Bonn) Discussant: Katja Mann (Copenhagen Business School)
10:40-11:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>
11:00-11:50	<i>Firm Growth and the Declining Importance of Labor</i> * Benjamin Schoefer (University of California, Berkeley and CEPR) Discussant: Miguel A. León-Ledesma (Exeter University Business School and CEPR)
11:50-12:40	<i>Student Debt and Entrepreneurship in the US</i> * Marta Morazzoni (University College London and CEPR) Discussant: Irina Popova (University of Bonn)
12:40-13:30	<i>Climate Change, Firms, and Aggregate Productivity</i> * Sampreet S. Goraya (Stockholm School of Economics) Discussant: Sonja Dobkowitz (DIW Berlin)
13:30	<i>Closing Lunch</i>

* Indicates the speaker

Session timings: 30 minutes presentation, 10 minutes discussion and 10 minutes questions from the floor

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