First Women in Macroeconomics Conference Program
May 17-18, 2018

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Thursday, May 17th

Macro Theory

9:00 - 10:00  Ilse Lindenlaub
“Multidimensional Sorting Under Random Search” joint with Fabien Postel-Vinay
Discussant: Katka Borovickova

10:00 - 11:00  Jennifer La’O
"Optimal Monetary Policy in Production Networks with Nominal Rigidities" joint with Misaki Matsumura
Discussant: Kinda Hachem

11:00 – 11:15  Break

11:15 - 12:15  Juliane Begenau
“Big Data in Finance and the Growth of Large Firms” joint with Maryam Farboodi and Laura Veldkamp
Discussant: Pricila Maziero

12:15 - 12:30  Group photo

12:30 - 3:30  Bag Lunch and Scenic hike, or lunch in the garden
Finance and Macroeconomics

3:30 - 4:30  Monika Piazzesi
“Payments, Credit and Asset Prices” joint with Martin Schneider
Discussant: Cecilia Parlatore

4:30 – 5:30  Andrea Eisfeldt
“OTC Intermediaries” joint with Bernard Herskovic, Sriram Rajan, and Emil Siriwardane.
Discussant: Juliane Begenau

6:15 Ish  Norwegian Party at Finn Kydland's Residency

Friday, May 18th

International Macro

9:30 - 10:30  Şebnem Kalemli-Özcan
“International Spillovers and Local Credit Cycles” joint with Yusuf Soner Baskaya, Julian di Giovanni, and Mehmet Fatih Ulu.
Discussant: Cristina Arellano

10:30 - 11:30  Doireann Fitzgerald
Discussant: Stefania Garetto

11:30 - 11:45  Break

11:45 - 12:45  Linda Tesar
Discussant: Christine Braun

12:45 - 2:00  Lunch in the Garden
Quantitative Macro

2:00 - 3:00  Mariacristina De Nardi
Discussant: Corina Boar

3:00 - 4:00  Ayse Imrohoroglu
“Household Saving, Financial Constraints, and the Current Account in China” joint with Kai Zhao
Discussant: Paulina Restrepo-Echavarria

5:00 - 6:00  Yoga on the Beach

8:15  Conference Dinner Opal Restaurant

Au Revoir!

Conference Organizers: Marina Azzimonti, Alessandra Fogli and Veronica Guerrieri