

# First Women in Macro Conference

May 17-18, 2018

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## Conference Schedule

Thursday, May 17<sup>th</sup>

### Macro Theory

- 9:00 - 10:00     **Laura Veldkamp**  
"Long Run Growth of Financial Data Technology" joint with Maryam Farboodi  
Discussant: **Pricila Maziero**
- 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     **Ilse Lindenlaub**  
"Multidimensional Sorting Under Random Search" joint with Fabien Postel-Vinay  
Discussant: **Katka Borovickova**
- 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**
- Evening         *Norwegian Party at Finn Kydland’s Residency*

**Friday, May 18<sup>th</sup>**

## 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**  
“How Exporters Grow” joint with Stefanie Haller and Yaniv Yedid-Levi.  
Discussant: **Stefania Garetto**
- 11:30 - 11:45**     **Break**
- 11:45 - 12:45     **Linda Tesar**  
“The Benefits of Labor Mobility in a Currency Union” joint with Christopher L. House and Christian Proebsting.  
Discussant: **Aysegul Sahin**
- 12:45 - 2:00     *Lunch in the Garden*

## Quantitative Macro

- 2:00 - 3:00     **Mariacristina De Nardi**  
“The Effects of Marriage-Related Taxes and Social Security Benefits”, joint with Margherita Borella and Fang Yan.  
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 1325 State St.*

*Au Revoir!*

**Conference Organizers:** Marina Azzimonti, Alessandra Fogli and Veronica Guerrieri