1st Annual Junior Workshop in Macroeconomics

November 18-19, 2022

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Conference Schedule
*speakers are highlighted in author listings*

Friday, November 18 (morning)

8:00-8:15 Welcome from LAEF Director Finn Kydland

8:15-9:15 Strategic Complementarities in a Dynamic Model of Fintech Adoption (with Fernando Alvarez, Francesco Lippi, Esteban Mendez, and Diana Van Patten) David Argente (Penn State)

9:15-10:15 Innovation Networks and R&D Allocation (with Song Ma) Ernest Liu (Princeton)

10:15-10:30 Break

10:30-11:30 Tax Incidence and Optimal Taxation with General Equilibrium Effects and Transition Yena Park (Seoul National University)

11:30-12:30 A Q-Theory of Inequality (with Matthieu Gomez) Émilien Gouin-Bonenfant (Columbia)

12:30-2:00 Group Photo followed by Lunch Served at Louie’s Bistro
Friday, November 18 (afternoon)

2:00-3:00  **Outsourcing, Inequality, and Aggregate Output** (with Hugo Lhuillier)
           Adrien Bilal (Harvard)

3:00-4:00  **The Global Race for Talent: Brain Drain, Knowledge Transfer and Growth**
           Marta Prato (Yale)

        4:00-4:15  **Break**

4:15-5:15  **Revisiting Retirement and Social Security Claiming Decisions** (with Neha Bairoliya)
           Kathleen McKiernan (Vanderbilt)

7:30  **Dinner at Opal Restaurant & Bar, 1325 State Street**

Saturday, November 19

8:45-9:45  **Fiscal Rules and Discretion with Risk of Default** (with Chiara Felli and Facundo
           Piguillem)
           Liyan Shi (CMU, Tepper)

        9:45-10:00  **Break**

10:00-11:00  **Asymmetric Information and Capital Accumulation** (with Aime Bierdel, Andres
              Drenik, and Pablo Ottonello)
              Juan Herreño (UCSD)

11:00-12:00  **A General Characterization of Capital Accumulation Amplification**
              Hannes Malmberg (University of Minnesota)

        12:00-1:30  **Lunch Served at Louie’s Bistro**

        1:30-?  **Wineries!**

**Conference Organizers:**  Job Boerma, Paolo Martellini, and Nick Pretnar