

2nd Workshop on Labor Markets and Macroeconomic Outcomes

April 14-15, 2023

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Conference Schedule

speakers are highlighted in author listings

Friday, April 14

9:00-9:15 **Welcome Remarks from Finn Kydland, Director of LAEF**

9:15-10:15 **Baumol's Cost Disease and the Distributional Impact of Sectoral Shocks**
(with Nitty Bergman and Itay Saporta-Eksten)
Nir Jaimovich (University of California, San Diego)

10:15-10:30 Break

10:30-11:30 **Subjective Earnings Risk** (with Andrew Caplin, Eungik Lee, Søren Leth-Petersen, and Johan Sæverud)
Victoria Gregory (FRB St. Louis)

11:30-12:30 **Hours Worked and Lifetime Earnings Inequality** (with Adam Blandin and Richard Rogerson)
Alexander Bick (FRB St. Louis and Arizona State University)

12:30-2:00 Group Photo followed by Lunch Served in Louie's Bistro at the Upham

2:00-3:00 **Wealth, Wages, and Employment** (with Per Krusell and Jinfeng Loo)
Jose-Víctor Ríos-Rull (University of Pennsylvania and University College London)

3:00-3:15 Break

3:15-4:15 **Minimum Wage and Unemployment Insurance Benefits**
(with Roozbeh Hosseini and Larry Warren)
Martin Gervais (University of Georgia)

4:15-4:30 Break

4:30-5:30 **Labor Market Anatomy of a Macroeconomic Crisis**
(with Kevin Donovan, Will Jianyu Lu, and Joseph H. Pedkte)
Todd Schoellman (FRB Minneapolis)

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

Saturday, April 15

9:00-10:00 **The Causal Factors Driving the Rise in U.S. Health Services Prices**
(with Maria Feldman)
Nick Pretnar (UCSB)

10:00-10:15 Break

10:15-11:15 **The Impact of Pension Systems in Labor Markets with Informality**
Carla Moreno (Loyola Marymount University)

11:15-12:15 **How do Workers Learn? Theory and Evidence on the Roots of Lifecycle Human Capital Accumulation**
(with Xiao Ma and Alejandro Nakab)
Daniela Vidart (University of Connecticut)

12:15-1:45 Lunch Served in Louie's Bistro at the Upham

1:45-2:45 **Until the IRS Do Us Part: (Optimal) Taxation of Families**
(with Hans A. Holter and Serhiy Stepanchuk)
Dirk Krueger (University of Pennsylvania)

2:45-3:45 **From Trend to Cycle: the Changing Careers of Married Women and Business Cycle Risk** (with Kathrin Ellieroth)
Amanda Michaud (FRB Minneapolis)

3:45-4:00 Break

4:00-5:00 **Serial Entrepreneurship in China**
(with Loren Brandt, Ruochen Dai, Gueorgui Kambourov, and Xiaobo Zhang)
Kjetil Storesletten (University of Minnesota)

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