

7. Weihnachtstreffen Deutscher Wirtschaftswissenschaftler im Ausland

22.12. - 23.12.2010

November 30, 2010

22.12, 9.00 Uhr: Begrüßung

9.15 bis 10.45: Parallel

1. Macroeconomics

- Dirk Krüger (Penn), Are recessions good for young people?
- Christoph Basten (EUI), Wealth decumulation during unemployment
- Markus Poschke (McGill), Skill-based change in entrepreneurial technology.

2. Empirical Microeconomics I

- Holger Sieg (Penn), Estimating a dynamic model of firm location
- Petra Moser (Stanford), Patent pools and the displacement of R & D
- Joerg Stoye (NYU), Revealed preferences when agents can randomize.

10.45 bis 11.00: Kaffee

11.00 bis 12.30: Parallel

3. Growth

- Ralph Ossa (Chicago), A global view of productivity growth in China
- Tarek Hassan (Chicago), Social structure and development

- Sascha Becker (Warwick), Education and catch-up in the industrial revolution.

4. Theory I

- Matthias Dahm (URV), Lobbying of firms by voters
- Heiner Schumacher (Frankfurt), Traditional beliefs and compliance to egalitarian norms - an experimental study in Burkina Faso
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12.30 bis 13.30: Mittach

13.30 bis 15.00: Parallel

5. Session: Finance I

- Maxim Ulrich (Columbia), Observable long-run ambiguity and long-run risk
- Carsten Bienz (NHH), The defeasance of control rights
- Karl Schmedders (Zürich), Life-cycle portfolio choice, the wealth distribution and asset prices.

6. Session: Theory II

- Christoph Müller (Carnegie), Robust virtual implementation under common strong belief in rationality
- Uwe Walz (Frankfurt), The design of vertical R & D collaborations
- Joel van der Weele (Frankfurt), A penny for your thoughts: incentives for eliciting intervals

15.00 bis 15.30: Tee

15.30 bis 17.00: Parallel

7. Session: Labor Economics

- Edgar Preugschat (Oslo, NSM), A direct search model of ranking by unemployment duration
- Astrid Kunze (NHH), Gender, children and career progression

- Alexander Bick (Frankfurt), The quantitative role of child care for female labor force participation and fertility

8. Session: Experimental Economics

- Johannes Abeler (Nottingham), Fungibility, labels, and consumption
- Ralph Bayer (Adelaide), Rockets and feathers in the laboratory
- Levent Yilmaz (Frankfurt), Social behavior of the unemployed - an experimental study.

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9. Session: Industrial Organization I

- Ulrich Dorazelski (Wharton), The economics of predation
- Volker Nocke (Mannheim), Merger policy with merger choice
- Michael Kosfeld (Frankfurt), Add-on pricing, consumer myopia and regulatory intervention.

10. Session: Finance II

- Martin Oehmke (Columbia), Credit default swaps and the empty creditor problem
- Robert Hauswald (American), TBA
- Christian Leutz (Chicago), Capital market regulation, implementation and enforcement.

10.45 bis 11.00: Kaffee

11.00 bis 12.30: Parallel

11. Session: Empirical Microeconomics II

- Katja Kaufmann (Bocconi), Educational choice and subjective expectations of returns
- Christina Gathmann (Mannheim), The Gorbachev anti-alcohol campaign and Russia's mortality crisis

- Matthias Heinz (Frankfurt), Media bias against foreign owners: Downsizing.

12. Session: Industrial Organization II

- Farzad Saidi (NYU), Networks, finance and development
- Tobias Brüner (Frankfurt), Toeholds in two-stage auctions
- Stephan Heblich (Stirling), Dialects, cultural identity and economic exchange

12.30 bis 13.15 Volker Wieland: Macroeconomic modeling and policy analysis after the financial crisis: A proposal

13.15: Lunch