

Chair Jacquemin, European micro-economic Policy

The purpose of this Chair is to stimulate research and teaching in international economics at UCL. In particular the study of European firms in a global world is the subject of analysis. Professor Hylke Vandenbussche is the current Chair holder. Previously she has been teaching at Cambridge University, UK at Dartmouth College in the US and at the Catholic University of Leuven. She has publications in Journal of International Economics, European Economic Review, Oxford Economic papers, European journal of Political Economy, etc. Her research focuses on the evaluation of Trade and Tax Policy at the firm level. She uses oligopoly models and micro-level data to evaluate the effects of antidumping protection on market power and productivity of European firms, as well as other issues of corporate tax competition and transfer pricing in Europe.

BIO-SKETCHES

Jim Markusen, University of Colorado, Boulder

Professor Markusen is a leading authority in the field of International Economics. He has widely published in academic journals such as American Economic Review, Journal of International Economics, Quarterly Journal of Economics, etc. He was a co-editor of the Journal of International Economics and he has written several books. His last book describes the role of multinationals in international economics and appeared with MIT press in 2002.

Peter Neary, University of Oxford

Professor Neary is a leading authority in the field of International Economics. His current research interests include international comparisons of real income and incorporating oligopoly theory into general equilibrium. He is a past President of the European Economic Association and played a leading role in establishing the Journal of the European Economic Association. He has published extensively in top journals, including American Economic Review, Econometrica, Quarterly Journal of Economics and Review of Economic Studies. His book with Jim Anderson, "Measuring the Restrictiveness of International Trade Policy" was recently published by MIT Press.

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Programme

10h00-10h10

Opening of the Chair by Professor Bernard Coulie,
rector of the UCL

10h10-10h20

Importance of the Chair by Professor
Henri Sneessens, head of Economics Department

10h20-10h45

Overview of future research under the Chair by
Professor Hylke Vandenbussche,
holder of the Chair

10h45-11h00

Tribute to Alexis Jacquemin by
Professor Claude d'Aspremont,
UCL and president ECORE

11h00-11h15

Coffee

11h15-12h00

Professor Jim Markusen, University of Colorado
Boulder
"Offshoring of White Collar Services"

12h00-12h45

Professor Peter Neary, University of Oxford
"Firms and Markets: From Local to Global?"

12h45-14h00

Cocktail and lunch

Professor Bernard Coulie,
rector of the Université catholique de Louvain,

Professeur Claude Roosens,
dean of Faculty,

Professor Henri Sneessens,
head of Department,

and

Professor Hylke Vandenbussche,
holder of the Chair Jacquemin

would like to invite you
for the Launch of the Chair Jacquemin
European Micro-economic Policy on the theme
"Made in China, processed in Europe, sold in U.S.:
Firms and Global production"

Monday 2 October 2006 at 10:00 am

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