

Doctoral Workshop

Thursday 28th of May 2009

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Macroeconomics I - Chairman: Henri Sneessens MORE 52

- 09h30 **Deniz Nebioglu (supervisor: Rafael Wouters)**
Do expectations matter?
- 10h00 **José Mourelle (supervisor: Henri Sneessens)**
Financial shocks and macroeconomic policies during the Argentine crisis of 2001/2002
- 10h30 **Olivier Durand-Lasserve (supervisor: Yves Smeers)**
Energy commodity markets and uncertainty: an applied general Equilibrium approach

11h00 Coffee break in IRES coffee room

Environment - Chairman: Thierry Bréchet MORE 52

- 11h30 **Maria Eugenia Sanin (supervisors: T. Bréchet, E. Cantillon)**
The role of intermediaries in the North American SO2 Market
- 12h00 **Carlotta Balestra (supervisor: Thierry Bréchet)**
Property rights and biological spillovers: when Hardin meets Meade
- 12h30 **Sylvette Ly (supervisor: Thierry Bréchet)**
Looking for eco-efficiency

13h00 Welcome lunch in IRES coffee room

Industrial Organization I - Chairman: Axel Gautier MORE 54

- 09h30 **Arastou Khatibi (supervisor: Hylke Vandenbussche)**
Pricing, advertising and anti-dumping policy
- 10h15 **Joana Resende (supervisor: Jean Gabszewicz)**
Free press industry: are there too many incentives to print?

11h00 Coffee break in IRES coffee room

Industrial Organization II - Chairman: Ilke van Beveren MORE 54

- 11h30 **Laura Rovegno (supervisor: Hylke Vandebussche)**
Trade protection and market power: evidence from US antidumping and countervailing duties
- 12h00 **Aminata Sissoko (supervisor: Hylke Vandebussche)**
R&D subsidies and the productivity in France
- 12h30 **Emanuele Forlani (supervisor: Hylke Vandebussche)**
Efficiency and input origin

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14h00 **Lore Vandewalle (supervisor: Jean-Marie Baland)**
Microfinance lifespans: a study of attrition and exclusion in self-help groups in India

14h30 **Miron Tequame (supervisor: Jean-Marie Baland)**
HIV, ethnolinguistic fractionalization and risky behavior

15h00 **Christian Viegelaan (supervisor: Hylke Vandenbussche)**
Antidumping policy and its effects on the productivity of Indian firms

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Macroeconomics II - Chairman: D. de la Croix
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16h00 **Paolo Melindi Ghidi (supervisor: David de la Croix)**
A model of ideological transmission with endogenous paternalism

16h30 **Bastien Chabé-Ferret (supervisor: Raouf Boucekkine)**
A study of the minorities' behavior: cultural assimilation and Fertility differential

17h00 Break

17h15 **Anton Belyakov (supervisor: Raouf Boucekkine)**
On the dynamics of territorial exchange

17h45 **Pierre Pecher (supervisor: David de la Croix)**
Power struggle and the voracity effect

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Econometrics I – Chairman: Daniel Weiserbs
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14h00 **Maia Gejadze (supervisor: Pierre Giot)**
Capital market conditions and the exit decision from venture capital investments

14h30 **Besik Samkharadze (supervisor: Luc Bauwens)**
Volatility spillovers in European stock markets: a multivariate GARCH analysis

15h00 **Vincent Scourneau (supervisors: Weiserbs)**
Maximum likelihood estimations of extreme value distribution: An application to motor insurance data

15h30 Coffee break in IRES coffee room

Microeconomics – Chairman: Julio Davila
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16h00 **Tanguy Isaac (supervisor: Raouf Boucekkine)**
Last trip to the Nile: information revelation in decentralized markets

16h30 **Gilles Grandjean (supervisor: V. Vannetelbosch)**
Connections among farsighted agents

17h00 Break

17h15 **Paolo Giovanni Piacquadio (supervisors: R. Boucekkine, F. Maniquet)**
Equity and efficiency in an overlapping generation model

17h45 **Géraldine Thiry (supervisor: Isabelle Cassiers)**
Alternative indicators to GDP: what's beyond the numbers?

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**Industrial organization III - Chairman: Hylke Vandenbussche
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- 10h45 **Hélène Latzer (supervisor: Raouf Boucekkine)**
Behavioral changes under epidemics
- 11h15 **Mélanie Lefèvre (supervisor: J.Tharakan)**
Spatial monopsony: pricing and location
- 11h45 **Marco Marinucci (supervisors: P. Belleflamme, V. Vannetelbosch)**
Patent races as a network game

12h30 Welcome lunch in IRES coffee room

**Migration - Chairman: Frédéric Docquier
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- 13h30 **Sara Salomone (supervisor: Frédéric Docquier)**
The gender dimension of migration networks
- 14h15 **Darwin Ugarte (supervisor: Vincenzo Verardi)**
Foreign aid, migration and brain drain
- 15h15 **Aysegul Kayaoglu (supervisor: Frédéric Docquier)**
The impact of brain drain on Education Policies

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**Econometrics II - Chairman: Luc Bauwens
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- 10h45 **Denis Rozhyn (supervisor: Leopold Simar)**
Energy capital substitution
- 11h15 **Francesco Violante (supervisor: Sebastien Laurent)**
Diffusion limits of conditional correlation GARCH models
- 11h45 **Alfonso Valdesogo Robles (supervisor: Luc Bauwens)**
Asymmetric CAPM dependence for large dimensions: the canonical vine autoregressive Model

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**Labour Economics - Chairman: Bruno Van der Linden
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- 13h30 **Marco Pecoraro (supervisors: Bruno van der Linden, Muriel Dejemepe)**
Overeducation and skill utilization: an alternative definition of job-education mismatch
- 14h15 **Mariann Rigo (supervisor: Bruno Van der Linden)**
Who earns their keep? An estimation of the productivity-wage gap in Hungary
- 15h15 **Ana Maria Diaz (supervisors: Bart Cockx)**
Understanding spatial patterns of unemployment in Colombia

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