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#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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# **MONDAY, AUGUST 6, MORNING**

**Session 1:** Commission on the Measurement of Economic Performance and Social Progress

**Organizers:** Steve Landefeld (Bureau of Economic Analysis, USA), Paul Schreyer (OECD) and Dale Jorgenson (Harvard University)

Joseph Stiglitz (Columbia University) and Jean Paul Fitoussi (Institut d'Études Politiques de Paris) "Welfare and Production Measures in a System of National Accounts"

Dale Jorgenson (Harvard University) "Measuring Social Welfare"

Jean-Philippe Cotis (INSEE) "Incorporating Distributional Information into the French National Accounts"

# **MONDAY, AUGUST 6, AFTERNOON**

Session 2A: Measurement of Productive Activities by Households

**Organizers:** Barbara Fraumeni (University of Southern Maine, USA) and Joachim Frick (DIW Berlin, Germany)

Charlene Kalenkoski (Ohio University, USA) and Gigi Foster (University of New South Wales, Australia) "Measuring the Relative Productivity of Sole-Tasking to Multitasking in Household Production: New Experimental Evidence"

Xiao-Yuan Dong (University of Winnipeg, Canada) and Xinli An (National Bureau of Statistics of China) "Work-Family Conflicts Confronting Women in China: Evidence from the 2008 Time-Use Survey"

Julie Smith (Australian National University) "Including Household Production in the System of National Accounts (SNA)—Exploring the Implications of Breastfeeding and Human Milk Provision"

Saleh Alkafri (Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics) "Index of Utilizing Potential Human Capacity Productivity: Theoretical and Empirical"

Duncan Ironmonger (University of Melbourne, Australia) and Faye Soupourmas (University of Melbourne, Australia) "Output-Based Estimates of the Gross Household Product of the United States 2003–2010: And some Interactions of GHP with Gross Market Product during the Great Financial Crisis (2008–2009)"

Eeva Hamunen (Statistics Finland), Johanna Varjonen (Statistics Finland) and Katri Soinne (Statistics Finland) "Satellite Accounts on Household Production: Eurostat Methodology and Experiences to Apply It"

Session 2B: Productivity Measurement Under Alternate Assumptions I

**Organizers:** Marshall Reinsdorf (Bureau of Economic Analysis, USA) and Marcel Timmer (University of Groningen, Netherlands)

Mark Vancauteren (Hasselt Universiteit and Statistics Netherlands), Erik Veldhuizen (Statistics Netherlands) and Bert Balk (Erasmus University, Netherlands) "Measures of Productivity Change: Which Outcome Do You Want?"

Bernd Görzig (DIW Berlin, Germany) and Martin Gornig (DIW Berlin, Germany) "The Dispersion in Profit Rates: A Result of Imperfect Competition?"

Susanto Basu (Boston College and NBER, USA) and Mikael Carlsson (Sveriges Riksbank, Sweden) "The Aggregate Significance of Labor Reallocation"

Wulong Gu (Statistics Canada) and John Baldwin (Statistics Canada) "Productivity Growth in the Information and Communication Sector: The Role of Scale Economies, Technical Progress, Capacity Utilization and Reallocation"

Mike Harper (Retired, Bureau of Labor Statistics, USA) and Lucy Eldridge (Bureau of Labor Statistics, USA) "Substitution of Imports for Domestic Labor and Capital in U.S. Manufacturing"

Kevin Fox (University of New South Wales, Australia) and Erwin Diewert (University of British Columbia, Canada) "Notes on the Decomposition of Malmquist Productivity Indexes"

## Session 2C: Income Redistribution

**Organizer:** Conference Program Committee

Olivier Bargain (Aix-Marseille, France), Mathias Dolls (IZA, Germany), Herwig Immervoll (World Bank), Dirk Neumann (IZA, Germany), Andreas Peichl (IZA, Germany), Nico Pestel (IZA, Germany), Sebastian Siegloch (IZA, Germany) "Tax Policy and Income Inequality in the United States, 1978–2009: A Decomposition Approach"

Iryna Kyzyma (CEPS/INSTEAD and BIGSSS) "Changes in Poverty Duration in Germany, 1991–2010: The Role of Social Policies and Economic Forces"

Ive Marx (University of Antwerp, Belgium) and Gerlinde Verbist (University of Antwerp, Belgium) "The Paradox of Redistribution Revisited"

Pedro Moncarz (Universidad National de Cordoba, Argentina) "Assessing Redistribution within Social Insurance Systems: The Case of Argentina"

Geranda Notten (University of Ottawa, Canada) "Evaluating the Pro-Poorness of Social Transfers: How Influential is the Choice of Welfare Indicator?"

Holly Sutherland (University of Essex, UK), Francesco Figari (University of Essex, UK), Horacio Levy (University of Essex, UK) and Alari Paulus (University of Essex, UK) "Income Redistribution in the European Union"

### **Session 2D:** Inequality and Growth in Developing Countries

**Organizer:** Conference Program Committee

Surajit Deb (University of Delhi, India) "Has the Inflation and Growth Process Resulted the Domestic Terms of Trade in Favor of Agriculture or Industry? Evidence from Cross Country Analysis"

Maria Ana Lugo (World Bank), Francisco Ferreira (World Bank) and Berk Ozler (World Bank) "Inequality of Opportunity and Economic Growth Does Inequality Hamper or Promote Economic Growth?"

Malte Reimers (University of Göttingen, Germany) "Mass Tourism in Indonesia: A Strategy to Achieve Pro-Poor Growth?"

Nicole Rippin (German Development Institute and University of Göttingen) "Pro-Poor Growth Policies in a Multidimensional Framework: Experiences from India" Petra Sauer (Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria) and Martin Zagler (Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria) "(In)equality in Education and Economic Development"

## **MONDAY, AUGUST 6, LATE AFTERNOON**

**First Poster Session** 

### **TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, MORNING**

Session 3: Impact of the Great Recession on the Well-Being of Household I Organizer: Timothy M. Smeeding (University of Wisconsin-Madison, USA)

Andrea Brandolini (Bank of Italy), Stephen Jenkins (London School of Economics, UK), Brian Micklewright (Institute of Education, UK) and Brian Nolan (University College Dublin, Ireland) "The Great Recession and the Distribution of Household Income"

Holly Sutherland (ISER, University of Essex), Chrysa Leventi (Athens University of Economics and Business), Horacio Levy (ISER, University of Essex), Alari Paulus (ISER, University of Essex), Tim Callan (ESRI, Dublin) and Manos Matsaganis (Athens University of Economics and Business) "The Distributional Effects of Austerity Measures: A Comparison of Six EU Countries"

Salvatore Morelli (University of Oxford) "Macroeconomic Shocks Around The World: The Response of Top Shares in Historical Perspective"

John Cockburn (Université Laval), Luca Fofana (IFPRI) and Luca Tiberti (Université Laval) "Including Children in the Policy Responses to the Global Economic Recession in West and Central Africa"

Lars Osberg (Dalhousie University, Canada) and Andrew Sharpe (Center for the Study of Living Standards, Canada) "The Impact of the Great Recession on Economic Well-being: How Different are OECD Nations and Why?"

Francesco Figari (University of Insubria, Italy), Marina Fernandez Salgado (University of Essex, UK), Holly Sutherland (University of Essex, UK) and Alberto Tumino (University of Essex, UK) "Economic Crisis and Unemployment: Stress Testing the Welfare Systems in Europe"

# **TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, AFTERNOON**

Session 4A: Ageing Society

**Organizers:** Edward Wolff (New York University, USA) and Barbara Liberda (University of Warsaw, Poland)

Semih Tumen (University of Chicago, USA) and Ceyhun Elgin (Bogazici University, Turkey) "Can Sustained Economic Growth and Declining Population Coexist?"

Joseph Marchand (University of Alberta, Canada), Jonathan Fisher (Census Bureau, USA) "Trends in Consumption Inequality among Older Adults"

Wencke Boehm (University of Bielefeld, Germany) "Which Type of Pension System Leads To Higher Welfare?"

Berangere Legendre (Paris Dauphine University, France) and El Mekkaoui de Freitas (Paris Dauphine University, France) "Life Cycle Accumulation and Ageing Risks"

- Huju Liu (Statistics Canada), Jie Zhou (Nanyang Technological University, Singapore), Yuri Ostrovsky (Statistics Canada) "Life-Cycle Optimal Saving and Adequacy of Household Savings in Canada"
- Jens Gruetz (Eurostat) "Post Reform Pension Entitlements in Germany—The Need for Another Reform"
- Session 4B: Measuring Economic Performance in China and India I
- **Organizers:** Harry Wu (Hitotsubashi University, Japan) and Ramesh Kolli (Indian Association for Research in National Income and Wealth, India)
- Åshild Johnsen (University of Stavanger, Norway) and Inqvild Almås (Norwegian School of Economics, Norway) "China's Growth Miracle (Measured by Spatial Price Indices)
- Mainak Mazumdar (Centre de Sciences Humaines, France) and Matthieu Teachout (Ecole Polytechnique, France) "Growth, Regional Disparity and Convergence Clubs in India"
- Xianchun Xu (National Bureau of Statistics, China) and Yating Shi (National Bureau of Statistics, China) "Revision of China's Real Economy Flow of Funds: Results and Problems"
- Carlo Milana (University of London, U.K.) and Harry Wu (Hitotsubashi University, Japan) "Reassessing China's Growth by Tight Bounds of "True" Index Numbers" Shatakshee Dhongde (Georgia Institute of Technology, USA) "Segregation of the Poor in India"
- Panchanan Das (Government of West Bengal, India) "Structural Dynamics, Growth and Regional Inequality: Incidence of Industrial Development in India"
- Session 4C: Productivity Measurement Under Alternate Assumptions II
- **Organizers:** Marshall Reinsdorf (Bureau of Economic Analysis, USA) and Marcel Timmer (University of Groningen, Netherlands)
- Erwin Diewert (University of British Columbia, USA) and Emily Yu (Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade, Canada) "New Estimates of Canadian TFP Growth and the Contribution of Changes in Real Export and Import Prices to Real Income Growth"
- Bart Los (University of Groningen, Netherlands) and Eric Dietzenbacher (University of Groningen, Netherlands) "Quantification of the Contributions of Productivity Growth and Globalization to National Consumption Growth Rates (1995–2006)"
- Erik Veldhuizen (Statistics Netherlands), Jan de Haan (Statistics Netherlands), Myriam van Rooijen-Horsten (Statistics Netherlands) and Murat Tanriseven (Statistics Netherlands) "The Dutch Growth Accounts—Measuring Productivity With Non-Zero Profits"
- Laurence Nayman (CEPII, France) and Deniz Unal (CEPII, France) "A Pan-European Productivity Comparison: How Far from the Mark?"
- Tsutomu Miyagawa (Gakushuin University, Japan) and Shoichi Hisa (Yokohama City University, Japan) "Estimates of Intangible Investment by Industry and Productivity Growth in Japan"
- Axel Werwatz (Technische Universität Berlin, Germany), Bernd Görzig (DIW Berlin, Germany) and Martin Gornig (DIW Berlin, Germany) "Interindustry Differences in Rates of Return—New Evidence from Germany"

Session 4D: Issues Related to the National Accounts

**Organizer:** Conference Program Committee

Carol Corrado (The Conference Board, USA) and Marshall Reinsdorf (Bureau of Economic Analysis, USA) "Banks, Markets, and Economic Growth: How Should Financial Activity be Measured in National Accounts?"

Wendy Li (Bureau of Economic Analysis, USA) "Depreciation of Business R&D Capital"

Manik Shrestha (IMF) "Whom-To-Whom Sectoral Financial Positions and Flows: The Balance Sheet Approach to Financial Exposures and Interconnectedness and the Flow of Funds"

Kazusuke Tsujimura (Keio University, Japan) and Masako Tsujimura (Keio University, Japan) "Foundations of Balance Sheet Economics"

Kimberly Zieschang (IMF), Erwin Diewert (University of British Columbia, Canada) and Dennis Fixler (Bureau of Economic Analysis, USA) "Alternative Approaches to FISIM and the Price of Financial Services: Explorations with U.S. Datarence rate"

André Vanoli (Association de Comptabilité Nationale, France) "Towards the Estimation of Final Demand at Total Costs (Paid Economic Costs Plus Unpaid Ecological Costs) in an Extended National Accounting Central Framework"

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, MORNING

**Session 5:** Income and Wealth: Theory and Practice I

**Organizers:** Ruth Meier (Federal Statistical Office, Switzerland) and Tom Priester (Federal Statistical Office, Switzerland)

Ilja Kristian Kavonius (European Central Bank) and Juha Honkkila (European Central Bank) "Micro and Macro Analysis on Household Income, Wealth and Saving in the Euro Area"

Utz Reich (Mainz University of Applied Sciences, Germany) "Searching for the Sources of Wealth—a Social Accounting Approach"

Florian Schwahn (German Statistical Office) and Albert Braakmann (German Statistical Office) "Income Distribution Results in National Accounts—Perspectives and Restrictions of International Approaches in Micro-Macro-Integration"

Alessandra Coli (University of Pisa, Italy) and Domenico Colucci (University of Florence, Italy) "Balancing of a Social Accounting Matrix with Household Income Micro Data in the Estimation of Italian GDP"

Dmitri Romanov (Central Bureau of Statistics, Israel) and Yury Gubman (Central Bureau of Statistics, Israel) "Well-Being and Measurement Error of Income Reported in a Social Survey versus Income Recorded by Tax Administration"

Marco Mira d'Ercole (OECD), Bob McColl (ABS) and Bindi Kindermann (ABS) "Development of International Standards and Framework for Micro Statistics on Household Income, Consumption and Wealth"

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, AFTERNOON

Session 6A: Households and the Environment

**Organizers:** Stephan Klasen (Gottingen University, Germany) and Gerlinde Verbist (University of Antwerp, Belgium)

Ivan Faiella (Bank of Italy) "Households' GHG emissions at the Micro Level: A Tool for Smartest Climate Policies"

- Hans Messinger (Statistics Canada) "Tracking the Carbon Footprint of the Canadian Households from 1990"
- Josefine Vanhille (University of Antwerp, Belgium) "A Social Gradient in Households Environmental Policy Responsiveness? Distributional Effects of Policy Targeting Residential Energy Use."
- Nicole Grunewald (University of Göttingen, Germany), Jann Harteisen (GIGA German Institute of Global Area Studies), Jan Lay (GIGA German Institute of Global Area Studies), Sebastien Minx (Technical University of Berlin, Germany) and Sebastian Renner (GIGA German Institute of Global Area Studies) "The Carbon Footprint of the Rising Indian Middle Class"
- Erik Dietzenbacher (University of Groningen, Netherlands) "Decomposing the annual growth in CO2 emissions, 1995–2006"
- Emmanuel Combet (CIRED, France) "Carbon Tax Reform and Social Progress in France: a Macro-Micro Analysis"

## Session 6B: Income Distribution in Middle-Income Countries

- **Organizers:** Francisco Ferreira (World Bank) and Markus Jantti (University of Stockholm, Sweden)
- Gordon Anderson (University of Toronto, Canada), Maria Grazia Pittau (Sapienza University of Rome, Italy) and Roberto Zelli (Sapienza University of Rome, Italy) "The Progress and Characteristics of the Poor, Middle and Rich Classes in Urban China"
- Joao Pedro Azevedo (World Bank), María Eugenia Davalos (World Bank), Carolina Diaz-Bonilla (World Bank), Bernardo Atuesta (World Bank) and Raul Andres Castañeda (World Bank) "Fifteen Years of Inequality in Latin America: How Have Labor Markets Helped?"
- Gaston Yalonetzky (Oxford Poverty and Human Development Initiative, UK) "Mobility Decomposition over Several Periods: Theory and Evidence on Consumption Mobility from the Young Lives."
- Jacques Silber (Bar-Ilan University, Israel) and Joseph Deutsch (Bar-Ilan University, Israel) "On Income Inequality, Socio-Economic Mobility and the Middle Class in Several Middle Income Latin American Countries: What Changed During the Past Ten Years?"
- Janneke Pieters (IZA Bonn, Germany), Marcel Timmer (University of Groningen, Netherlands) and Gaaitzen de Vries (University of Groningen, Netherlands) "Trade and Inequality in Middle-Income Countries: Evidence from the World Input-Output Database"
- Qin Gao (Fordham University, USA) and Ying (Sun Yat-Sen University, China) "How does Hidden Income Affect Income Distribution? Evidence from Guangzhou, China"

# **Session 6C:** Gender and Well-Being I

**Organizers:** Holly Sutherland (University of Essex, UK) and Gerry Redmond (University of New South Wales)

Karina Doorley (University College Dublin and CEPS/INSTEAD), Phillipe Van Kerm (CEPS/INSTEAD) and Olivier Bargain (University College Dublin and IZA) "Minimum Wages and Gender Wage Gaps. Evidence from the UK and Ireland"

Siobhan Austen (Curtin University, Australia) and Therese Jefferson (Curtin University, Australia) "Explanations and Implications of Gender Differences in Asset Portfolio Diversity"

Jerome De Henau (The Open University, UK), Sue Himmelweit (The Open University, UK) and Cristina Santos (The Open University, UK) "A Comparative Longitudinal Analysis of Intra-Household Inequalities in Australia, Germany and the UK"

Alita Nandi (University of Essex, UK) and Lucinda Platt (Institute of Education, UK) "Gendered Income Inequalities in the UK: A Comparison Across Ethnic Groups"

Olufunke Alaba (Health Economics Unit, Nigeria) and O.A. Saliu (National Open University of Nigeria) "Malaria and Time Poverty: A Gender Analysis"

Ajit Zacharias (Levy Economics Institute of Bard College, USA), Rania Antonopoulos (Levy Economics Institute of Bard College, USA) and Thomas Masterson (Levy Economics Institute of Bard College, USA) "Why Time Deficits Matter: Policy Implications for Poverty Eradication, Gender-Equity and Work-Life Balance"

Session 6D: Income and Wealth: Theory and Practice II

**Organizers:** Ruth Meier (Federal Statistical Office, Switzerland) and Tom Priester (Federal Statistical Office, Switzerland)

Ariel Coremberg (University of Buenos Aires, Argentina) "Where is the Wealth of Argentina? The National Balance Sheets of an Unstable Economy"

Veli-Matti Törmälehto (Statistics Finland), Olli Kannas (Statistics Finland) and Markku Säylä (Statistics Finland) "Integrated Measurement of Household-Level Income, Wealth and Non-Monetary Well-Being in Finland"

Dominique Durant (Banque de France) "Revaluation and Holding Gains and Losses in the National Accounts"

Rajewswari Thondiyil (Central Statistics Office, India) "Household Sector Accounts— Experiences and Challenges in the Case of India"

Bindi Kindermann (ABS) and Bob McColl (ABS) "Household Income, Consumption and Wealth: Broader Frameworks, More Comprehensive and Coincident Measures, and Analyses of Joint Distribution"

Philippe Van Kerm (CEPS/INSTEAD), Markus Jantti (University of Stockholm) and Eva Sierminska (CEPS/INSTEAD) "Modeling the Joint Distribution of Income and Wealth"

Sébastien Durier (INSEE, France), Lucile Richet-Mastain (INSEE, France) "Distributional Information on Income and Wealth"

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, LATE AFTERNOON

**Second Poster Session** 

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, MORNING

Session 7A: Role of the Housing Market in the Economy

**Organizer:** Robert Hill (University of Graz, Austria)

Eilev Jansen (Statistics Norway) "Self-Reinforcing Effects Between Housing Prices and Credit: Evidence from Norway"

Stanimira Milcheva (Universität Regensburg, Germany) "Housing Channels of Monetary Policy Transmission in European Industrial and Transition Countries"

- Francesco Figari (University of Insubria, Italy), Alari Paulus (University of Essex, UK), Holly Sutherland (University of Essex, UK), Panos Tsakloglou (Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece), Gerlinde Verbist (University of Antwerp, Belgium), and Francesca Zantomio (University of Venice, Italy), "Taxing the Benefit of Homeownership. Distributional Effects of Including Net Imputed Rent in Taxable Income"
- Rachel Soloveichik (Bureau of Economic Analysis, USA) "Do-It-Yourself Home Repair and Remodeling in GDP"
- Daniel Melser (University of Technology, Australia) "Hedonic Imputation Price Indexes for the Housing Market: A Mixture Model Approach"
- Iqbal Syed (University of New South Wales, Australia) "Hedonic Price-Rent Ratios for Housing: Implications for the Detection of Departures from Equilibrium"
- Session 7B: New Frameworks for Measuring Poverty and Deprivation
- **Organizers:** Gordon Anderson (University of Toronto) and Maria Grazia Pittau (Sapienza University of Rome, Italy)
- Joachim Merz (University Lüneburg, Germany) and Tim Rathjen (Leuphana University) "Intensity of Time and Income Interdependent Multidimensional Poverty: Well-Being and Minimum 2DGAP—German Evidence"
- Catherine Porter (University of Oxford, UK) and Gaston Yalonetzky (University of Leeds, UK) "Fuzzy Chronic Poverty: A Proposed Response to Measurement Error for Intertemporal Poverty Measurement"
- Jean-Yves Duclos (Laval University, Canada), Abdelkrim Araar (Laval University, Canada) and Luca Tiberti (Laval University, Canada) "Multidimensional Correlations"
- Lidia Ceriani (Universita d'Bocconi, Italy) and Paolo Verme (World Bank) "Measuring the Burden of Poverty"
- Eric L. Djailieu (National Institute of Statistics, Cameroon) and Yolande T. Nanjip (University of Yaoundé) "Fuzzy Sets and Multiple Correspondence in the Camaroons"
- Felix Povel (University of Göttingen, Germany) and Ethan Ligon (UC Berkeley, USA) "Subjective Risk and Shock Prediction"

## Session 7C: Gender and Well-Being II

- Organizers: Holly Sutherland (University of Essex, UK) and Gerry Redmond (University of New South Wales, Australia)
- Eva Sierminska (CEPS/INSTEAD and DIW Berlin) and Dominik Buttler (Poznan University of Economics) "Risk, Gender Differences and Self-Employment"
- Christine D'Onofrio (New York City Center for Economic Opportunity, USA), Mark Levitan, (New York City Center for Economic Opportunity, USA), John Krampner (New York City Center for Economic Opportunity, USA), Daniel Scheer (New York City Center for Economic Opportunity, USA) and Todd Seidel (New York City Center for Economic Opportunity, USA) "The Status of Women in Poverty Using Alternative Poverty Measures: New York City's Local Area Estimate"
- Gerlinde Verbist (University of Antwerp, Belgium), Joris Ghysels (University of Antwerp, Belgium) and Josefine Vanhille (University of Antwerp, Belgium) "Home or Market Childcare? Swapping Child Care Arrangements Across Three European Countries"

- Roberta Zizza (Bank of Italy) "The Gender Wage Gap in Italy"
- Stacey Jones (Seattle University, USA) "Careers, Family and Satisfaction: Change over Time in Correlates of Women's Subjective Well-being"
- Ann Harding (University of Canberra, Australia) "A Growing Divide? Future Retirement Incomes by Gender in Australia"

## Session 7D: Well-Being Over Time I

- **Organizers:** Andrew Clark (Paris School of Economics, France) and Dirk Van de Gaer (University of Ghent, Belgium)
- Luna Bellani (Bocconi University, Italy) "Measuring Intergenerational Transmission of Poverty."
- Peder Pedersen (Aarhus University, Denmark) and Torben Schmidt (University of Southern Denmark) "Life Events and Subjective Well-being—The Case of Having Children"
- Conchita D'Ambrosio (Universita di Milano-Bicocca and DIW Berlin), Andrew Ghislandi (Universita Bocconi, Italy) and Andrew Clark (Paris School of Economics, France) "Poverty Profiles and Subjective Well-Being"
- Florent Bresson (Université d'Orléans, France) and Jean-Yves Duclos (Université Laval, Canada) "Intertemporal Poverty"
- Sanghamitra Bandyopadhyay (London School of Economics and University of Birmingham, UK) "Making Inferences about the Vulnerable: A Study Using the British Household Panel Survey"
- Natalie Quinn (University of Oxford, UK) "Chronic Poverty and Poverty Dynamics: Combining Normative and Positive Approaches to Reconcile Persistence and Depth Sensitivity"

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, AFTERNOON

- Session 8A: How to Capture Multi-Nationals in National Accounts
- **Organizers:** Mark de Haan (Statistics Netherlands) and Alice Nakamura (University of Alberta, Canada)
- Marcel Timmer (University of Groningen), Bart Los (University of Groningen), Abdul Azeez Erumban (University of Groningen), Gaaitzen de Vries (University of Groningen) and Robert Stehrer (Vienna Institute for International Economic Studies, Austria) "Slicing Up Global Value Chains"
- Robin Lynch (Consultant, UK) "How to Capture Multinationals in the National Accounts"
- Soli Peleg (Central Bureau of Statistics, Israel) "Adaption of Data Collection and Analysis to Capture the Economic Activities of Multi-National Enterprises in the National Accounts of Israel"
- Jennifer Ribarsky (Bureau of Economic Analysis, USA) "Factoryless Manufacturers: Classification and Implementation Challenges."
- Gao Minxue (Renmin University of China) and Xiaojuan (University of International Business and Economics, China) "Measuring the International Trade in Goods Based on Ownership for China"
- Michael Connolly (Central Statistical Office—Ireland) "Merchants and International Processors in the context of SNA 2008—A strategy to capture the activities of Multinationals in Ireland"

- Session 8B: Well-Being Over Time II
- **Organizers:** Andrew Clark (Paris School of Economics, France) and Dirk Van de Gaer (University of Ghent, Belgium)
- Joachim Merz (University Lüneburg, Germany) and Dominik Hanglberger (University Lüneburg, Germany) "Are Self-Employed Really Happier Than Employees?—An Approach Modelling Adaptation and Anticipation Effects to Self-Employment and General Job Changes"
- Orcun Kaya (Goethe University, Germany) "Is Perceived Financial Inadequacy Persistent?"
- Denisa Sologon (CEPS/INSTEAD, IZA, Maastricht University, The Netherlands) and Phillipe Van Kerm (CEPS/INSTEAD, ISER) "The Dynamics of Wages and the Assimilation of Foreign-Born Immigrant and Cross-Border Workers"
- Alessio Fusco (CEPS/INSTEAD, Luxembourg) and Nizamul Islam (CEPS/INSTEAD, Luxembourg) "Understanding the Drivers of Low Income Transitions in Luxembourg"
- Jonathan Fisher (Census Bureau, USA), David S. Johnson (Census Bureau, USA) and Timothy M. Smeeding (University of Wisconsin-Madison, USA) "Measuring the Trends in Inequality of Individuals and Families: Income *and* Consumption"
- Session 8C: Impact of the Great Recession on the Well-Being of Household II Organizer: Timothy M. Smeeding (University of Wisconsin-Madison, USA)
- Carlos Gradín (Universidade de Vigo, Spain), Coral Cantó (Instituto de Estudios Fiscales, Spain) and Coral del Río (Universidade de Vigo, Spain) "Unemployment Across EU Countries Accounting for Time"
- Sisi Zhang (Urban Institute, USA), Signe-Mary McKernan (Urban Institute, USA), Caroline Ratcliffe (Urban Institute, USA) and Eugene Steuerle (Urban Institute, USA) "Wealth Loss During the Great Recession: Facts, Impacts, and Policy Remedies"
- Manos Matsaganis (Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece) and Chrysoula Leventi (Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece) "The Distributional Impact of the Great Recession in Greece"
- Liana Fox (Columbia University, USA) "The Effect of the Great Recession on Black-White Wealth and Inequality"
- Sherrie Kossoudji (University of Michigan, USA) "Why Was the Great Recession Different for Native and Immigrant Hispanics?"
- Brian Bucks (Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, USA) and Kevin Moore (Federal Reserve Board, USA) "The Great Recession's Varied Effects on Household Well-being and Its Consequences for Inequality"
- Session 8D: Measuring Economic Performance in China and India II
- **Organizers:** Harry Wu (Hitotsubashi University, Japan) and Ramesh Kolli (Indian Association for Research in National Income and Wealth, India)
- Céline Bonnefond (University of Bordeaux, France) and Matthieu Clément (University of Bordeaux, France) "Chinese Rural and Urban Income Inequality Re-Examined by Income Polarization"
- Bjorn Gustafsson (University of Gothenburg, Sweden) and Ding Sai (Chinese Academy of Social Sciences) "Measuring Ethnic Disparities in Economic Well-Being—The Case of Han and Hui in Ningxia, China"

- Madhura Swaminathan (Indian Statistical Institute Kolkata, India), Vikas Rawal (Jawaharlal Nehru University, India), Aparajito Bakshi (Tata Institute of Social Sciences, India), V.K. Ramachandran (Indian Statistical Institute Kolkata, India) "Household Income Surveys In India: Lacunae And Illustrations From Village Surveys"
- Gaaitzen de Vries (University of Groningen), Abdul Azeez Erumban (University of Groningen), Marcel Timmer (University of Groningen), Ilya Voskoboynikov (University of Groningen) and Harry Wu (Hitotsubashi University, Japan) "Structural Transformation in the BRIC countries"
- Carol Corrado (The Conference Board, USA) and Harry Wu (Hitotsubashi University, Japan) "Re-examining China's Growth Performance by Taking into Account Changes in Capital Deepening and Industrial Capacity Utilization"
- Deb Das (ICRIER, India), Abdul Azeez Erumban (University of Groningen, Netherlands) and Agarwal (Delhi University) "The Industry Origins of India's Economic Growth"