

3rd CReAM/RWI Workshop on the Economics of Migration

Essen, Germany

Preliminary Program

Monday, September 5, 2022

- 8:30 – 9:00** **Registration**
- 9:00 – 9:10** **Welcome**
- 9:10 – 10:40** **Invited Session 1: Political and labor market impact of immigration**
Michael Amior (Hebrew University) and **Jan Stuhler** (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid):
 “Immigration and Monopsony: Evidence Across the Distribution of Firms”

William Allen (University of Oxford), Isabel Ruiz (University of Oxford) and **Carlos Vargas-Silva** (University of Oxford):
 “Policy Preferences in Response to Large Migration Inflows”
- 10:40 – 11:10** **Coffee Break**
- 11:10 – 12:55** **Session 1: Effects of migration on labor markets and human capital**
Julián Costas-Fernández (CReAM, UCL) and Simón Lodato (Middlesex University London):
 “The Distributional Consequences of Immigration with Imperfect Labour Markets”

Achim Ahrens (ETH Zurich), Andreas Beerli (ETH Zurich), Dominik Hangartner (ETH Zurich), Selina Kurer (ETH Zurich) and Michael Siegenthaler (ETH Zurich):
 “The Labor Market Effects of Restricting Refugees’ Employment Opportunities”

Esther Arenas-Arroyo (Vienna University of Economics and Business) and **Bernhard Schmidpeter** (Johannes Kepler University Linz):
 “Spillover Effects of Immigration Policies on Children’s Human Capital”
- 12:55 – 13:45** **Lunch**
- 13:45 – 15:15** **Invited Session 2: Irregular and refugee migration**
Michele Battisti (University of Glasgow) and Mazen Diwani (De Montfort University):

“Recent Syrian Refugee Migration and Location Choice among Countries in the Dublin Regulation”

Tijan Bah (Navarra Center for International Development), **Catia Batista** (Nova SBE), Flore Gubert (French Institute of Research for Development and Paris School of Economics) and David McKenzie (World Bank):

“Information Gaps and Irregular Migration”

15:15 – 15:45 Coffee Break

15:45 – 16:55 Session 2: Migration flows

Andreas Fuchs (University of Göttingen), **Andre Groeger** (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona and Barcelona School of Economics), Tobias Heidland (IfW Kiel) and Lukas Wellner (University of Göttingen):

“Does Foreign Aid Reduce Migration?”

Lucas Guichard (LISER) and **Joël Machado** (LISER):

“Quantifying Direct and Diversion Effects in a Structural Gravity Model: The Case of an Asylum Policy”

17:00 – 18:00 Keynote Lecture 1

Paolo Pinotti (Bocconi University):

“Migration, Labor Markets, and Involvement in Crime”

18:30 – 19:15 Tram ride & walk to restaurant

19:15 Dinner at restaurant “Church” (Ill. Hagen 39, 45127 Essen)

Tuesday, September 6, 2022

9:00 – 10:45 Session 3: Political effects and attitudes towards immigrants

Tito Boeri (Bocconi University), **Matteo Gamalerio** (University of Barcelona), Massimo Morelli (Bocconi University) and Margherita Negri (University of St. Andrews):

“Pension Systems, Demographic Trends, and Attitudes towards Immigrants”

Camille Remigereau (Humboldt University of Berlin):

“The Impact of Forced Migrants’ Political Preferences in Receiving Areas: Evidence from the French Algerians’ Repatriation”

Sarah Schneider-Strawczynski (University of Paris 1 Pantheon-Sorbonne and Paris School of Economics) and **Jerome Valette** (University of Paris 1 Pantheon-Sorbonne):

“Media Coverage of Immigration and the Polarization of Attitudes”

10:45 – 11:15 Coffee break

11:15 – 12:15 Keynote Lecture 2

Francisca Antman (University of Colorado Boulder):
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12:15 – 13:15 Lunch

13:15 – 14:45 Invited Session 3: Assimilation of immigrants

Costanza Biavaschi (Norwegian University of Science and Technology), **Corrado Giulietti** (University of Southampton) and **Yves Zenou** (Monash University):
“Social Networks and (Political) Assimilation”

Philipp Jaschke (Institute for Employment Research), **Sulin Sardoschau** (Humboldt University of Berlin) and **Marco Tabellini** (Harvard Business School):
“Scared Straight? Threat and Assimilation of Refugees in Germany”

14:45 – 14:50 Concluding remarks

Invited sessions: each presenter is allocated 45 minutes (35 min. for presentation, 10 min. for discussion)

Sessions: each presenter is allocated 35 minutes (25 min. for presentation, 10 min. for discussion)

Location: #hotelfriends, Essen Zeche Zollverein, room: #bibliothek

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