

# Newsletter 2023/07/10 No 560

# **Upcoming Seminars**

### Hans-Moeller-Seminar

07/11/2023, 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm Geschwister-Scholl-Platz 1, Room M114

### MICHELA, GIORCELLI, UCLA

"The Effects of Business School Education on Manager Career Outcomes"

Abstract: This paper studies the effects of business school education on manager career outcomes, using evidence from the Engineering, Science, and Management War Training (ESMWT), that offered MBA-style education to middle managers and production supervisors working at U.S. war industrial facilities during WWII. Employing a regression discontinuity design (RD), I show that managers who scored right above the ESWMT entry exam threshold had a substantially higher probability of being promoted to both middle and top management positions during their career, and engaged systematically more in self-employment and innovative entrepreneurial activities than similar managers who scored right below. These effects were stronger for non-white and female managers. In terms of mechanisms, the increased promotions followed sizable improvements in facility performance, consistent with the idea that the program content mattered, more than with a signaling hypothesis. Finally, exposure to a network of classmates from better-performing firms resulted in higher chances of moving into peer companies and founding a business with them.

For further information on the current seminar series, please visit the following website: https://www.en.hans-moeller-seminar.econ.uni-muenchen.de/program-current/index.html.

### Brown Bag / Weekly Research Seminars

Micro Workshop (Burdea, Woerner) 07/10/2023, 12:00 noon – 01:15 pm Kaulbachstraße 45, Room E006

-jointly with CRC-

MICHAEL THALER, UCL "The Supply of Motivated Beliefs"

ORG Seminar (Englmaier, Kretschmer) 07/11/2023, 12:00 noon – 01:00 pm Kaulbachstraße 45, Room E006

DAVID MCINTYRE, PROVIDENCE COLLEGE "Exploring the Emergence of Platform Firms"

ifo Lunchtime Seminar07/12/2023, 12:15 pm – 01:15 pmifo Institute, Poschingerstraße 5, Ludwig-Erhard-Room

MUHAMMED A. YILDIRIM, HARVARD UNIVERSITY "tba"

For further information, please visit the following website: https://www.ifo.de/en/event/2023-07-12/lunchtime-seminar-muhammed-yildirim.

Max Planck Innovation & Entrepreneurship Seminar 07/12/2023, 03:00 pm – 04:15 pm Max Planck Institute, Marstallplatz 1, Room 313

# TATIANA ROSÁ, PONTIFICIA UNIVERSIDAD CATÓLICA DE CHILE

"Cooperation and Competition –
The Case of Innovation in the Telecommunications Sector"

For further information, please visit the following website: https://www.ip.mpg.de/en/the-institute/all-events/innovation-entrepreneurship-seminar-cooperation-and-competition-the-case-of-innovation-in-the-telecommunications-sector.html.

Public Economics Seminar (Ferey, Fuest, Hansen, Haufler, Helm, Löbbing, Miethe, Müller, Paffenholz, Peichl, Wong)
07/13/2023, 10:30 am – 11:45 am
CES, Schackstraße 4, Room 214

FRANCIS WONG, LMU
"Taxing Homeowners Who Won't Borrow"

Seminar on Energy and Environmental Economics Munich (SEEM) 07/13/2023, 11:30 noon - 12:45 pm ifo Institute, Poschingerstraße 5, Ludwig-Erhard-Room

### ARMON REZAI, WU VIENNA

"Optimal Carbon Taxation and Income Distribution: Trading off Emissions, Equity, and Efficiency"

For further information, please visit the following website: https://www.ifo.de/en/event/2023-07-13/optimal-carbon-taxation-and-income-distribution-trading-emissions-equity-and.

Munich International Economics Seminar (Eckel, Flach, Magli, Schnitzer, Steinwender)

07/13/2023, 12:15 pm – 01:30 pm Ludwigstraße 28 (front building), International Economics Library, Room 221

### WOOKUN KIM, SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY

"Migration, Commuting, and the Spatial Distribution of Public Spending"

# **CES Lectures**

### **CES Guest Lecture Series**

# WOOKUN KIM, SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY "Topics in Urban Economics"

07/11/2023, 10:15 am – 11:45 pm CES, Schackstraße 4, Room 214

Part III of III: "Spatial Policies"

### FEDERICO HUNEEUS, CENTRAL BANK OF CHILE

"Macroeconomic Consequences of Production Networks"

07/13/2023, 12:15 am – 01:45 pm CES, Schackstraße 4, Room 214

Part I of III
"Production Networks and Labor Markets"

For further information, please visit the following website: https://www.en.ces.econ.uni-muenchen.de/ces-visiting-program/ces-lectures-2023/index.html.

# Miscellaneous

### Talk at ifo Institute

07/13/2023, 03:00 pm – 04:00 pm ifo Institute, Poschingerstraße 5, Ludwig-Erhard-Room

MUHAMMED A. YILDIRIM, HARVARD UNIVERSITY
"Economic Complexity:
What is It and Why do We Need it?"

Economic complexity methodologies have been widely influential, especially in policy circles. In this lecture, Muhammed A. Yıldırım will give an introduction to the field. First, he will motivate why we need complexity approaches. Then, he will introduce the economic complexity metrics. And finally, he will show the usefulness of these metrics.

# **Visitors**

### Research visits

### **CES Guests**

THERESA KUCHLER, NYU	09/01/2022-07/31/2023
JOHANNES STROEBEL, NYU	09/01/2022-07/31/2023
Quoc-Anh Do, Monash University	06/24/2023-07/16/2023
WOOKUN KIM, SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY	06/25/2023-08/12/2023
KIEU-TRANG NGUYEN, NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY	06/26/2023-07/16/2023
Kristina McElheran, University of Toronto	06/30/2023-07/15/2023
FEDERICO HUNEEUS, CENTRAL BANK OF CHILE	07/01/2023-07/31/2023
CESifo Guests	

GORDON B. DAHL, UCSD	07/06/2023-07/13/2023
MUHAMMED A. YILDIRIM, HARVARD UNIVERSITY	07/09/2023-07/15/2023

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