

**Growth, Development, and Structural Transformation**  
**September 30 - October 1, 2022**  
**at the Garden Room, Upham Hotel**

**Sponsored by**  
**The Laboratory for Aggregate Economics and Finance**  
**University of California, Santa Barbara**

***In memory of Berthold Herrendorf***

**Conference Schedule**

*\*speakers are highlighted in author listings\**

**Friday, September 30 (morning)**

9:30-9:45     **Welcome Remarks by LAEF Director Finn Kydland, Benjamin Bridgman, and Akos Valentinyi**

9:45-10:30     **New Evidence on Sectoral Labor Productivity: Implications for Industrialization and Development** (with Berthold Herrendorf and Richard Rogerson)  
**Ákos Valentinyi (University of Manchester)**

*10:30-10:45   Break*

11:45-12:30     **How It's Made: A General Theory of the Labor Implications of Technological Change** (with Christophe Combemale and Erica R.H. Fuchs and Kate S. Whitefoot)  
**Laurence Ales (Carnegie Mellon University, Tepper School of Business)**

*11:30-11:45   Break*

11:45-12:30     **The Structural Transformation of Innovation**  
(with Diego Comin and Marti Mestieri)  
**Danial Lashkari (Boston College)**

*12:30-2:00     Group Photo followed by Lunch Served in Upham Courtyard*

**Friday, September 30 (afternoon)**

2:00-2:45      **The Evolution of the Consumption Experience: Why the Services Share Has Risen**  
(with W.L. Bednar)  
**Nick Pretnar (UCSB)**

*2:45-3:00      Break*

3:00-3:45      **Regional and Aggregate Implications of Transportation Costs and Tradability of Services** (with A. Keram Cosar and Sophie Osotimehin)  
**Latchezar Popov (Texas Tech University)**

*3:45-4:00      Break*

4:00-4:45      **Spatial Integration and Agricultural Productivity: Quantifying the Impact of New Roads**  
**Tasso Adamopoulos (York University)**

*8:00      Dinner at Opal Restaurant & Bar, 1325 State Street*

## **Saturday, October 1**

9:45-10:30    **Big Push in Distorted Economies** (with Francisco J. Buera, Hugo Hopenhayn, and Nicholas Tracter)  
**Yongseok Shin (Washington University, St. Louis)**

*10:30-10:45    Break*

10:45-11:30    **Capital-Embodied Structural Change**  
(with Elisa Keller)  
**Julieta Caunedo (University of Toronto, Rotman School of Management)**

*11:30-11:45    Break*

11:45-12:30    **The Stable Transformation Path**  
(with Francisco Buera, Joseph Kaboski, and Daniel O'Connor)  
**Marti Mestieri (Pompeu Fabra University)**

*12:30-1:45    Lunch Served in Upham Courtyard*

1:45-2:30    **Uneven Growth: A Supply Side Perspective**  
(with Javier Birchenall and Kang Cao)  
**Rish Singhania (University of Exeter)**

*2:30-2:45    Break*

2:45-3:30    **Structural Change and the Effectiveness of Labor Market Policies**  
**Georg Duernecker (Goethe University Frankfurt)**

*3:30-3:45    Break*

3:45-4:30    **Labor Share, Markups, and Input-Output Linkages --- Evidence from the U.S. National Accounts** (with Berthold Herrendorf)  
**Benjamin Bridgman (Bureau of Economic Analysis)**

**Conference Organizers:** Nick Pretnar and the late Berthold Herrendorf