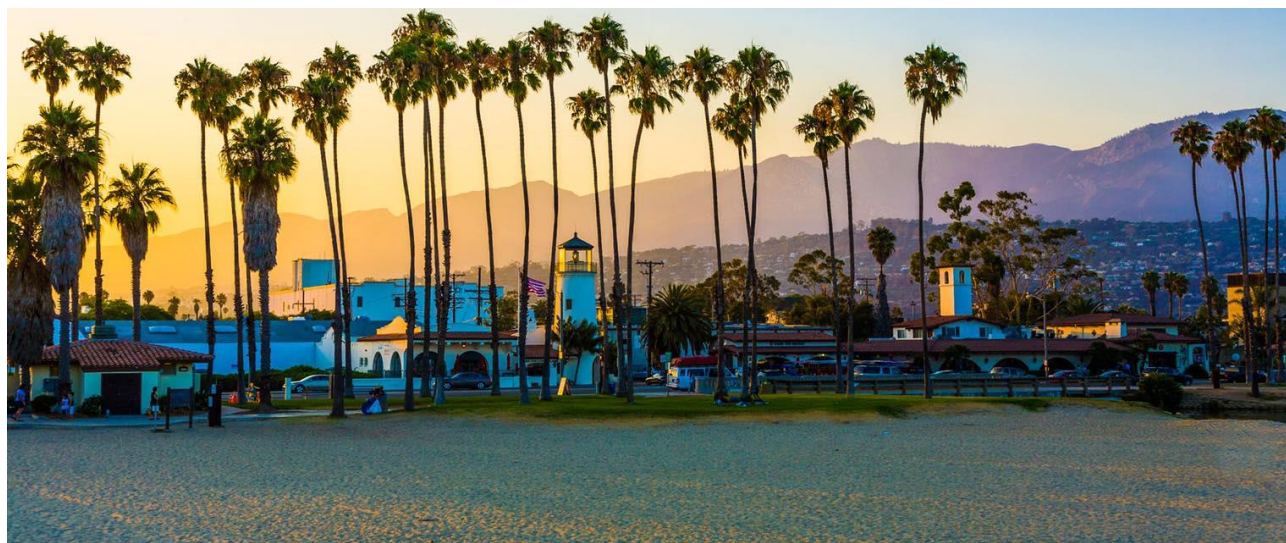


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Conference Schedule

Thursday, May 17th

Macro Theory

- 9:00 - 10:00 **Ilse Lindenlaub**
"Multidimensional Sorting Under Random Search" joint with Fabien Postel-Vinay
Discussant: **Katka Borovickova**
- 10:00 - 11:00 **Jennifer La'O**
"Optimal Monetary Policy in Production Networks with Nominal Rigidities" joint with Misaki Matsumura
Discussant: **Kinda Hachem**
- 11:00 – 11:15 **Break**
- 11:15 - 12:15 **Juliane Begenau**
"Big Data in Finance and the Growth of Large Firms" joint with Maryam Farboodi and Laura Veldkamp
Discussant: **Pricila Maziero**
- 12:15 - 12:30 **Group photo**
- 12:30 - 3:30 *Bag Lunch and Scenic hike, or lunch in the garden*

Finance and Macroeconomics

- 3:30 - 4:30 **Monika Piazzesi**
“Payments, Credit and Asset Prices” joint with Martin Schneider
Discussant: **Cecilia Parlatore**
- 4:30 – 5:30 **Andrea Eisfeldt**
“OTC Intermediaries” joint with Bernard Herskovic, Sriram Rajan, and Emil Siriwardane.
Discussant: **Juliane Begenau**
- 6:00 *Norwegian Party at Finn Kydland’s Residency*

Friday, May 18th

International Macro

- 9:30 - 10:30 **Şebnem Kalemli-Özcan**
“International Spillovers and Local Credit Cycles” joint with Yusuf Soner Baskaya, Julian di Giovanni, and Mehmet Fatih Ulu.
Discussant: **Cristina Arellano**
- 10:30 - 11:30 **Doireann Fitzgerald**
“How Exporters Grow” joint with Stefanie Haller and Yaniv Yedid-Levi.
Discussant: **Stefania Garetto**
- 11:30 - 11:45 Break**
- 11:45 - 12:45 **Linda Tesar**
“The Benefits of Labor Mobility in a Currency Union” joint with Christopher L. House and Christian Proebsting.
Discussant: **Aysegul Sahin**
- 12:45 - 2:00 *Lunch in the Garden*

Quantitative Macro

- 2:00 - 3:00 **Mariacristina De Nardi**
“The Effects of Marriage-Related Taxes and Social Security Benefits”, joint with Margherita Borella and Fang Yang.
Discussant: **Corina Boar**
- 3:00 - 4:00 **Ayse Imrohoroglu**
“Household Saving, Financial Constraints, and the Current Account in China” joint with Kai Zhao
Discussant: **Paulina Restrepo-Echavarria**
- 5:00 - 6:00 *Yoga on the Beach*
- 8:15 *Conference Dinner*

Au Revoir!

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