First Women in Macro Conference

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Conference Schedule

Thursday, May 17th

Labor Macro

9:30-10:30	Linda Tesar "The Benefits of Labor Mobility in a Currency Union" joint with Christopher L. House and Christian Proebsting. Discussant: Aysegul Sahin
10:30-10:45	Break
10:45-11:45	Ilse Lindenlaub "Multidimensional Sorting Under Random Search" joint with Fabien Postel-Vinay Discussant: Katka Borovickova
11:45-12:00	Group photo
12:00-3:00	Bag Lunch and Scenic Hike

Information and the Macroeconomy

3:00-4:00 Laura Veldkamp

"Long Run Growth of Financial Data Technology" joint with Maryam Farboodi

Discussant: Pricila Maziero

4:00-4:15 **Break**

4:15-5:15 **Jennifer La'O**

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Discussant: Cecilia Parlattore

Evening 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**

10:30-10:45 **Break**

10: 45-11:45 **Doireann Fitzgerald**

"How Exporters Grow" joint with Stefanie Haller and Yaniv Yedid-Levi.

Discussant: Stefania Garetto

11:45- 2:00 Lunch in the Garden

Finance and Macroeconomics

2:00-3:00 Monika Piazzesi

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Discussant: TBA

3:00-4:00 Andrea Eisfeldt

"OTC Intermediaries" joint with Bernard Herskovic, Sriram Rajan, and Emil Siriwardane.

Discussant: Juliane Begenau

4:00-4:15 **Break**

Quantitative Macroeconomics

4:15-5:15 **Ayse Imrohoroglu**

"Household Saving, Financial Constraints, and the Current

Account in China" joint with Kai Zhao

Discussant: TBA

5:15-6:15 Mariacristina De Nardi

"The Effects of Marriage-Related Taxes and Social Security Benefits", joint with Margherita

Borella and Fang Yan. Discussant: **Corina Boar**

6:30 Yoga on the Beach

8:30 Informal Dinner Gathering

Au Revoir!

Conference Organizers: Marina Azzimonti, Alessandra Fogli and Veronica Guerrieri