

## **ECARES@30: Where Research Meets Society**

**Friday, 30th of June**

9.00-9.30 Introduction

Marius Gilbert (Vice-rector of Research of ULB)

Bruno van Pottelsberghe (Dean of the Solvay Brussels School of Economics and Management, ULB)

Session 1: The impact of household decisions on individual well-being

9.30 -10.15 Mariacristina De Nardi (University of Minnesota): Why do couples and singles save during retirement?

10.15-11.00 Alessandra Voena (Stanford University): Traditional institutions in modern times: dowries as pensions when sons migrate

10.45-11.15 Coffee break

11.30-12.15 Pierre- André Chiappori (Columbia University): Intra-household allocation of welfare: where do we stand?

12.15-13.00 Bram de Rock (ULB): Stable marriage, household consumption and unobserved match quality

13.00-14.00 Lunch

Session 2: The analysis of high-dimensional times series

14.00-14.45 Marco Lippi (Einaudi Institute for Economics and Finance and La Sapienza, Rome): Pitfalls of structural macroeconomic: VAR models and their solution by means of high-dimensional dynamic factor models

14.45-15.30 Matteo Barigozzi (University of Bologna): Factor network autoregressions

15.30-16.00 Coffee break

16.00-16.45 Paolo Zaffaroni (Imperial College London and La Sapienza, Rome): Frequency-band estimation of the number of factors: detecting the main business cycle shocks

16.45-17.30 Jianqing Fan (Princeton University): Structural deep learning in financial asset pricing

17.30 - : Drinks

## Saturday, 1st of July

### Session 3: New Roles for Business & Policy in the 21st Century

9.00-9.25 Mirabelle Muûls (Imperial College London): The production network impacts of carbon pricing: innovation, productivity and greenhouse gas emissions

9.25-9.50 Marco Becht (ULB): Voice through divestment

9.50-10.15 Isabela Manelici (London School of Economics): Responsible Sourcing? Theory and Evidence from Costa Rica

10.15-11:00 Panel 1: Leveraging business for the transition; Patrick Bolton (Imperial College London) and Elisabetta Cornago (Center for European Reform); Moderation Estelle Cantillon (ULB)

11.00-11.30 Coffee break

11:30-11.55 Jean Tirole (Toulouse School of Economics, online): Socially responsible agencies

11:55-12.20 Clara Martínez-Toledano (Imperial College London): Global wealth dynamics

12:20-13.05 Panel 2: What roles for the state?; Philippe Aghion (Collège de France, INSEAD and London School of Economics) and Gaëtan Nicodème (European Commission, TBC); Moderation Micael Castanheira (ULB)

13.05-14.00 Lunch

### Session 4: Global value chains, strategic sectors, and industrial and trade policy

14.00-15.00 Pol Antras (Harvard University): An 'Austrian' model of Global Value Chains

15.00-16.00 Paola Conconi (Oxford University and ULB): Multinational ownership and trade participation

16.00-16.30 Coffee break

16.30-17.00 Glenn Magermann (ULB): Bringing supply chains back home: effects on regional inequalities in the EU

17.00-17.55 Panel 3: Strategic sectors and EU industrial and trade policy; Marion Jansen (Director Trade and Agriculture, OECD), Jan Schmitz (Deputy Chief Economist, DG Trade, European Commission), and Ari Van Assche (HEC Montreal); Moderation Tobias Gehrke (Senior Policy Fellow, European Council on Foreign Relations)

17.55-18.00 Georg Kirchsteiger (Director of ECARES, ULB): Closing remarks

Location: ULB Campus du Solbosch

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