

5th Rome Conference on Macroeconomics
a.k.a. "PIZZANOMICS"

Rome, 27-28 June 2016
Venue: EIEF - Via Sallustiana, 62

PROGRAM

Monday, 27 June 2016

10:30-10:50 *Registration*

10:50-11:00 *Welcoming remarks*

11:00-12:00 **Jarda Borovička** (NYU)

["Identifying Ambiguity Shocks in Business Cycle Models Using Survey Data"](#) with Anmol P. Bhandari (University of Minnesota) and Paul Ho (Princeton University)

12:00-13:00 **Cosmin Ilut** (Duke University)

["Learning, Confidence, and Business Cycles"](#) with Hikaru Saijo (University of California, Santa Cruz)

13:00-14:30 *Lunch*

14:30-15:30 **Katarina Borovickova** (NYU)

["Discount Rates and Employment Fluctuations"](#) with Jarda Borovička (NYU)

15:30-16:30 **Gaetano Gaballo** (Banque de France)

["Learning from Prices: Amplification and Sentiments"](#) with Ryan Chahrour (Boston College)

16:30-17:00 *Coffee break*

17:00-18:00 **Filip Matějka** (CERGE-EI)

["Electoral Competition with Rational Inattentive Voters"](#) with Guido Tabellini (Bocconi University)

Tuesday, 28 June 2016

- 10:00-11:00 **Luigi Bocola** (Northwestern University)
“Lending of Last Resort in an Open Economy” with Guido Lorenzoni
(Northwestern University)
- 11:00-12:00 **Salome Baslandze** (EIEF)
“Knowledge Diffusion, Innovation and Reallocation: The Role of the IT Revolution”
- 12:00-12:30 *Coffee break*
- 12:30-13:30 **Ilse Lindelaub** (Yale University)
“Multi-dimensional Sorting under Random Search” with Fabien Postel-Vinay (UCL,
IFS and Sciences Po)
- 13:30-14:30 *Lunch*
- 14:30-15:30 **Ben Lester** (FED Philadelphia)
“Interviews and the Assignment of Workers to Jobs” with Ronald Wolthoff
(University of Toronto)
- 15:30-16:30 **Gregor Jarosch** (Stanford University)
“Tough Middlemen” with Maryam Farboodi (Princeton University) and Guido
Menzio (University of Pennsylvania)
- 16:30-17:00 *Coffee break*

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