

Program

Workshop in Applied Economics for Young Researchers

May 04 and 05, 2023

Deutsche Bundesbank – Hauptverwaltung in Bremen, Niedersachsen und Sachsen-Anhalt

Total time per paper: 40 min

(paper presentation: 20-25 min; discussion: 5-10 min; general discussion: 10 min)

Thursday, May 04, 2023

- 09.30 a.m. – 10.00 a.m. *Registration (with Coffee)*
- 10.00 a.m. – 10.15 a.m. **Welcome and Opening** (S. Thomsen, C. Paetsch)
- 10.15 a.m. – 12.15 p.m. **Session 1: Development I – Environmental Shocks** (Chair: Sebastian Vollmer)
- Locust Infestations and Individual School Dropout: Evidence from Africa**, Abigail Asare, Carl von Ossietzky University Oldenburg
Discussant: Mats Petter Kahl
- Making Smart Choices – Behavioural Traits and Resilience to Environmental Shocks Among Farming Households in Thailand**, Robyn Blake-Rath, Leibniz University Hannover
Discussant: Juliane Haensch
- Weather Shocks, Recall Error and Health**, Soschia Karimi, Leibniz University Hannover
Discussant: Melanie Borah
- 12.15 p.m. – 01.15 p.m. *Lunch Break (and option for short viewing of fallout shelter below basement of Deutsche Bundesbank building in 2 groups (20 persons each))*
- 01.15 p.m. – 02.15 p.m. **Keynote: Dr. Christian Schumacher, Research Center of Deutsche Bundesbank, Frankfurt/M.** (Chair: Torben Klarl)
- 02.15 p.m. – 03.35 p.m. **Session 2: Monetary Policy** (Chair: Valeriya Dinger)
- Differential Effects of Unconventional Monetary Policy**, Sebastian Eiblmeier, Leibniz University Hannover
Discussant: Dennis Dreusch
- Inflation Literacy, Inflation Expectations, and Trust in the Central Bank: A Survey Experiment**, Giang Nghiem, Leibniz University Hannover
Discussant: Anya Yang
- 03.35 p.m. – 03.45 p.m. *Coffee Break*
- 03.45 p.m. – 05.45 p.m. **Session 3: Prices and Currency** (Chair: Erkan Gören)
- Pass-through of Crude Oil Price to Wheat Prices in Russia: Implications to World Oil Crisis and COVID-19 Pandemic**, Stanislav Yugay, Leibniz Institute of Agricultural Development in Transition Economies (IAMO) Halle
Discussant: Fatima El Khatabi

Was the German fuel discount passed on to consumers?, Mats Petter Kahl, Leuphana University Lüneburg
Discussant: Stanislav Yugay

A Renminbi Block for East Asia? A Re-evaluation of Business Cycle Co-movements, Louisa Grimm, University of Osnabrück
Discussant: Sochima Uzonwanne

06.00 p.m. – 07.30 p.m. Sightseeing: Guided tour through the city of Hannover (2 groups) (75 min, not decided yet)

07.30 p.m. – 09.30 p.m. *Conference Dinner, Deutsche Bundesbank Building*

Friday, May 05, 2023
(10 papers and discussion)

08.30 a.m. – 09.50 a.m. **Session 4: Applied Microeconometrics (Chair: Amelie Wuppermann)**

Leaving Traces? An Assessment of Bequest Motives Using Income Satisfaction Data, Melanie Borah, Otto-von-Guericke-University Magdeburg
Discussant: Johanna Quis

Predictive performance and interpretability of machine learning algorithms compared to conventional mixed logit models in discrete choice experiments, Christoph Herrmann, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg
Discussant: Ulrike Vollstädt

09.50 a.m. – 10.00 a.m. *Coffee Break*

10.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m. **Session 5: Development II (Chair: Boris Hirsch)**

Assessing welfare and resilience impacts of agricultural index insurance: Experimental evidence from Uzbekistan, Laura Moritz, Leibniz Institute of Agricultural Development in Transition Economies (IAMO) Halle
Discussant: Robyn Blake-Rath

How wide is the Strait? Unveiling the interregional trade between Spain and Morocco, Faima El Khatab, Georg August University Göttingen
Discussant: Vera Baye

Purchasing irrigation water: Farmers' costs and decision-making over time in India, Juliane Hänsch, Georg August University Göttingen
Discussant: Laura Moritz

12.00 p.m. – 12.30 p.m. *Quick lunch with sandwiches*

12.30 p.m. – 01.50 p.m. **Session 6: Housing (Chair: Markus Ludwig)**

Investment incentives of rent controls and gentrification - Evidence from German micro data, Vera Baye, University of Osnabrück
Discussant: Louisa Grimm

The German Housing Market Boom and College Enrollments, Johannes Trunzer, Leibniz University Hannover
Discussant: Abigail Asare

01.50 p.m. – 02.00 p.m.

Coffee Break

02.00 p.m. – 04.00 p.m.

Session 7: Experiments (Chair: Andreas Knabe)

The Two Sides of Knowledge for Idea Generation – An Experimental Study, Rika Stoczek, Leibniz University Hannover
Discussant: Miguel Abellán

Relative Closeness and Dispositional Determinants of Norm Enforcement, Melanie Dunger, University of Bremen
Discussant: Rika Stoczek

How to Make Better and/or Cheaper Products Accessible to Buyers through an Optimal Product Testing Mechanism, Ulrike Vollstädt, Otto-von-Guericke University Magdeburg
Discussant: Melanie Dunger

04.00 p.m. – 04.10 p.m.

Closing and farewell