

THIRD CONFERENCE OF TRANSNATIONALITY OF MIGRANTS - TOM (MARIE CURIE RESEARCH TRAINING NETWORK)

Hosted by
Hamburg Institute of International Economics (HWWI)

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DRAFT PROGRAMME

FRIDAY 9 OCTOBER

09.30 - 09.45 | **Introduction**
Rainer Münz (HWWI)

Session 1: General Issues

09.45 - 10.30 | **Brain Drain in Globalization**
Frederic Docquier (IRES, Université Catholique de Louvain)
*Luca Marchiori (IRES, Université Catholique de Louvain)
I-Ling Shen (IRES, Université Catholique de Louvain)

10.30 - 11.00 | *Coffee Break*

Session 2: Immigration Policy

11.00 - 11.45 | **Policies on Illegal Immigration in a Federation**
Tim Krieger (University of Paderborn)
*Karin Mayr (University of Vienna)
Steffen Minter (University of Paderborn)

11.45 - 12.30 | **On The Formation of International Immigration Policies when No Country
Has an Exclusive Policy Setting Say**
*Alessandra Casarico (Università Bocconi and CEPR)
Carlo Devillanova (Università Bocconi)
Oded Stark (University of Bonn)
Silke Uebelmesser (University of Munich)

12.30 - 14.00 | *Lunch*

Session 3: Remittances

14.00 - 14.45	Remittances and Financial Openness Michele Beine (University of Luxembourg) *Elisabetta Lodigiani (University of Luxembourg) Robert Vermeulen (University of Luxembourg)
14.45 - 15.30	Remittances Behavior of Recently Arrived Immigrants to Australia: An Empirical Analysis *Giulia Bettin (HWWI) Riccardo Lucchetti (University of Ancona) Alberto Zazzaro (University of Ancona)

15.30 - 16.00 *Coffee Break*

Session 4: Circular Migration and Networks

16.00 - 16.45	Circular Migration or Permanent Return: What Determines Different Forms of Migration? *Florin Vadean (HWWI) Matloob Piracha (University of Kent)
16.45 - 17.30	Beyond Restrictive Immigration Policies: How Family and Diaspora Networks Shape Modern Immigration Michele Beine (University of Luxembourg) *Sara Salomone (Université Catholique de Louvain)
18.00	Meeting of the Steering Committee
20.00	<i>Dinner</i>

SATURDAY 10 OCTOBER

Session 5: Individual Attitudes Towards Immigration

09.00 - 09.45	Individual Attitudes towards Migration: A Re-Examination of the Evidence Tobias Mueller (Université de Genève) *Silvio Tai (University Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne)
09.45 - 10.30	The Political Economy of Skilled Migration *Giovanni Facchini (Erasmus University Rotterdam, Università degli Studi di Milano, Centro Studi Luca D'Agliano and CEPR) Anna Maria Mayda (Georgetown University and CEPR)

10.30 - 11.00 *Coffee Break*

Session 6: Topics

11.00 - 11.45	<p>The Impact of Capital and Labor Mobility on Firm Productivity Across European Locations</p> <p>*Giorgio Barba Navaretti (Università degli Studi di Milano, Centro Studi Luca d'Agliano and CEPR)</p> <p>Gianluca Orefice (Università degli Studi di Milano and Centro Studi Luca d'Agliano)</p> <p>Gianfranco de Simone (Università degli Studi di Milano and Centro Studi Luca d'Agliano)</p> <p>Angelica Salvi del Piero (Università degli Studi di Milano and Centro Studi Luca d'Agliano)</p>
11.45 - 12.30	<p>Kosovo: Winning its Independence but Losing its People? Recent Evidence on Emigration Intentions</p> <p>*Artjoms Ivlevs (University of Nottingham)</p> <p>*Roswitha King (University of Latvia)</p>
12.30 - 13.45	<i>Lunch</i>

Session 7 Political Economy

13.45 - 14.30	<p>The Drivers of US Immigration Policy: Evidence from Congressional Roll Call Votes</p> <p>Giovanni Facchini (Erasmus University Rotterdam, Università degli Studi di Milano, Centro Studi Luca D'Agliano and CEPR)</p> <p>*Max Steinhardt (HWWI)</p>
14.30 - 15.15	<p>The political economy of immigration in a direct democracy: the case of Switzerland</p> <p>Jaya Krishnakumar (Université de Genève)</p> <p>*Tobias Mueller (Université de Genève)</p>
15.15 - 15.45	<i>Coffee Break</i>
19.00	<i>Dinner</i>

* Indicates the presenter.

Speakers have 40 minutes to present, leaving 5 minutes for general discussion.

Organizers:

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