



Doctoral Workshop on Quantitative Dynamic Economics

18th and 19th September, 2015

Location: University of Konstanz, Room ML630

Programme

Friday – September 18th, 2015

09:00 – 09:20 Registration

09:20 – 09:30 Welcome address

09:30 – 11:00 Session 1 – Family Economics

Fertility Decisions and the Timing of Childbearing in East and West Germany by Franziska Deutschmann (University of Konstanz)

Teenage Childbearing and the Welfare State by Jan Mellert (University of Konstanz)

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 – 13:00 Session 2 – Labor 1

Unemployment, Sick Leave and Health by Matthias Schön (CMR University of Cologne)

Unemployment Insurance and Labour Productivity over the Business Cycle by Similan Rujiwattanapong (University College London)

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:30 Session 3 – Labor 2

Macroeconomic Effects of Constraints to Geographic Mobility of Labor by Andrii Parkhomenko (Barcelona Graduate School of Economics, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona)

Bankruptcy Reforms in the Presence of Heterogeneous Levels of Unionization by Alessandro Peri (Universidad Carlos III Madrid)

15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break

16:00 – 17:30

Session 4 – Inequality

Social Security Systems and Wealth Inequality - A Cross-Country Analysis by
Lien Pham-Dao (University of Bonn)

Structural Change and Growth: the Role of Income Distribution by
Salvatore Lo Bello (Universidad Carlos III Madrid)

19:00

Conference dinner
at restaurant “Hafenhalle”

Saturday – September 19th, 2015

09:00 – 10:30

Session 5 – Income Distribution and Entrepreneurship

Higher Taxes at the Top: The Role of Entrepreneurs by Bettina Brüggemann
(House of Finance, Goethe University Frankfurt)

Time Varying Income Distribution, Idiosyncratic Production Risks and Fiscal Policies by Meng Li (Universidad Carlos III Madrid)

10:30 – 11:00

Coffee break

11:00 – 12:30

Session 6 – Macro-Finance

Impact of Disaster Risk on Sovereign Debt and Default by Ming Qiu (University
College London)

Banking Leverage with Currency Diversification by Justine Pedrono
(Aix Marseille School of Economics)