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BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA

APRIL 12-APRIL 13, 2013

DEPARTAMENTO DE ECONOMÍA, UNIVERSIDAD DE SAN ANDRÉS
VITO DUMAS 284 1644 VICTORIA, PROVINCE OF BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA

FRIDAY, APRIL 12

8:45 – 9:00	REGISTRATION
9:00 – 9:15	OPENING REMARKS: FACUNDO ALBORNOZ-CRESPO, UNIVERSIDAD DE SAN ANDRÉS; PABLO SANGUINETTI, CAF AND UNIVERSIDAD TORCUATO DI TELLA; AND CHRISTIAN VOLPE MARTINCUS, INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK
9:15 – 11:00	POLICY PANEL: INTERNATIONALIZATION THROUGH GLOBAL VALUE CHAINS MODERATOR: JUAN CARLOS HALLAK, UNIVERSIDAD DE SAN ANDRÉS PANELISTS: JUAN BLYDE, INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK; ANDRÉS LÓPEZ, CENIT AND UNIVERSIDAD DE BUENOS AIRES; AND ALBERTO TREJOS, INCAE
11:00 – 11:15	Coffee Break

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

11:15 – 12:15	MANAGERS' MOBILITY, TRADE STATUS, AND WAGES LUCA OPRMOLLA, BANCO DE PORTUGAL DISCUSSANT: ANDREA REPETTO, UNIVERSIDAD ADOLFO IBÁÑEZ
12:15 – 13:15	GET ORGANIZED TO COMPETE: IMPACT OF EXPORT PROMOTION ON FIRMS' ORGANIZATION MARCIO CRUZ, INSTITUT DE HAUTES ETUDES INTERNATIONALES ET DU DEVELOPPEMENT GENEVE DISCUSSANT: CHRISTIAN VOLPE MARTINCUS, INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK
13:15 – 14:30	LUNCH
14:30 – 15:30	PAYMENT CHOICE IN INTERNATIONAL TRADE: THEORY AND EVIDENCE FROM CROSS-COUNTRY FIRM LEVEL DATA TIM EISENLOHR-SCHMIDT, UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD DISCUSSANT: ROBERTO ÁLVAREZ, UNIVERSIDAD DE CHILE

- 15:30 – 16:30 **WHAT HINDERS INVESTMENT IN THE AFTERMATH OF FINANCIAL CRISES? INSOLVENT FIRMS OR ILLIQUID BANKS?**
CAROLINA VILLEGAS, ESADE
DISCUSSANT: GUIDO SANDLERIS, UNIVERSIDAD TORCUATO DI TELLA
- 16:30 – 16:45 Coffee Break
- 16:45 – 17:45 **ECONOMIC INTEGRATION AGREEMENTS AND STABILITY OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE: A MICRO PERSPECTIVE**
TIBOR BESEDES, GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
DISCUSSANT: GUIDO PORTO, UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL DE LA PLATA

SATURDAY, APRIL 13

ACADEMIC PROGRAM (CONTINUE)

- 9:00 – 10:00 **TRADE REFORMS, WAGES AND EMPLOYMENT WITH LABOR MOBILITY AND CAPITAL ADJUSTMENT COSTS**
IRENE BRAMBILLA, UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL DE LA PLATA AND UNIVERSIDAD DE SAN ANDRÉS
DISCUSSANT: RAFAEL DIX-CARNEIRO, UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND
- 10:00 – 11:00 **OFFSHORING, LEARNING, AND INDUSTRIALIZATION**
BEN LI, BOSTON COLLEGE
DISCUSSANT: GERMÁN PUPATO, FUNDACAO GETULIO VARGAS
- 11:00 – 11:15 COFFEE BREAK
- 11:15 – 12:15 **IMPORT COMPETITION, TECHNOLOGY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE: EVIDENCE FROM MEXICO**
KENSUKE TESHIMA, INSTITUTO TECNOLÓGICO AUTÓNOMO DE MÉXICO
DISCUSSANT: FACUNDO ALBORNOZ-CRESPO, UNIVERSIDAD DE SAN ANDRÉS
- 12:15 – 12:30 **CLOSING REMARKS:** JUAN CARLOS HALLAK, UNIVERSIDAD DE SAN ANDRÉS; PABLO SANGUINETTI, CAF AND UNIVERSIDAD TORCUATO DI TELLA; AND CHRISTIAN VOLPE MARTINCUS, INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK