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AND THE ROBERT SCHUMAN CENTRE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES (RSC)**

Preliminary Agenda

Friday, October 21

8:30 - 9:00	REGISTRATION
9:00 - 9:30	WELCOMING REMARKS Dennis Snower , President, Kiel Institute for World Economics, IFW Ricardo Santiago , Representative in Europe, IDB
9:30 - 10: 45	OPENING SESSION
(9:30 - 10:15)	Keynote lecture Jean Pisani-Ferry , Director, Brussels European and Global Economic Laboratory (BRUEGEL)
(10:15 - 10:45)	Open Discussion
10:45 - 11:15	COFFEE BREAK

Parallel Sessions

11:15 - 13:05	Session I: MACROECONOMIC DIMENSIONS OF INTEGRATION AND TRADE Coordinated by Jaume Ventura , CREI and Omar Licandro , EUI	Session II: ECONOMIC POLICY DIMENSIONS OF INTEGRATION AND TRADE Coordinated by Rolf J. Langhammer , Rainer Schweickert, IfW and Michel Fouquin , CEPPII	Session III: INSTITUTIONAL DIMENSIONS OF INTEGRATION AND TRADE Coordinated by Jacques Ziller , IUE
(11:15 - 11:55)	Philip Sauré , Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona "How to use subsidies to sustain Trade Agreements" <i>Comments: Alejandro Cunat, University of Essex, LSE and CEPR</i>	Roberto Alvarez , UCLA Anderson School of Management, California, USA and J. Rodrigo Fuentes , Central Bank of Chile "Path of Development, Specialization, and Natural Resources Abundance" <i>Comments: Alicia García Herrero, Bank of Spain</i>	Valentina Delich , University of Buenos Aires and FLACSO, Argentina "The 'judicialization' of trade relations in South America. Its implications for regional institutional building" <i>Comments: Marta Ferrari-Haines, British Institute of International and Comparative Law</i>
(11:55 - 12:10)	Open Discussion	Open Discussion	Open Discussion
(12:10 - 12:50)	Maurice Kugler , University of Southampton and Hillel Rapoport , Bar-Ilan University "Skilled Emigration, Business Networks and Foreign Direct Investment" <i>Comments: Carlos Urrutia, Instituto Tecnológico Autônomo de México (ITAM)</i>	Osvaldo Nina and Lykke E. Andersen , Grupo Integral, La Paz, Bolivia "Regional Integration and Poverty: A case study of Bolivia" <i>Comments: Melanie Grosse, University of Goettingen, Germany</i>	Maria Ester Unzuurrungaza Valle, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México "Trade disputes settlement in the European Union Association Agreements with Mexico and Chile" <i>Comments: Marta Ferrari-Haines, British Institute of International and Comparative Law</i>
(12:50 - 13:05)	Open Discussion	Open Discussion	Open Discussion
13:05 - 14:45	LUNCH		

(14:45 - 15:25)	Paolo Epifani, University of Parma, Italy and Gino Gancia, CREI and Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, Spain "Globalization and the Size of Governments" <i>Comments: Michele Ruta, RSCAS, European University Institute, Florence, Italy</i>	Samuel Freije, Universidad de las Américas, Puebla, Mexico and Luis Felipe López-Clava, Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey, Campus Ciudad de México and Cristina Rodríguez, National Human Development Report Office, UNDP, Mexico "Changes in Urban Wage Inequality in Mexico Before and After NAFTA" <i>Comments: Soledad Zignago, CEPII, France</i>	Andrea Carla Bianculli, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, Spain "Social agendas within New Regionalism initiatives. A Comparative approach to the Free Trade Area of the Americas and the European Union-MERCOSUR process" <i>Comments: Valentina Delich, University of Buenos Aires and FLACSO, Argentina</i>
(15:25 - 15:40)	Open Discussion	Open Discussion	Open Discussion
(15:40 - 16:20)	Claudio Bravo-Ortega, Universidad de Chile and Julian di Giovanni, International Monetary Fund, Washington, DC "The Impact of Trade Costs and the Commonality of Trade on Real Exchange Rate Volatility" <i>Comments: Gino Gancia, CREI and Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, Spain*</i>	Marcela Eslava, Universidad de Los Andes, Bogota, Colombia and John Haltiwanger, University of Maryland, College Park, USA and Adriana Kugler, University of Houston, Texas, USA and Maurice Kugler, University of Southampton, UK "Plant Survival and Trade Liberalization: The Effects of Efficiency, Mark-ups and Demand" <i>Comments: Ralf Martin, Center for Ec Performance, LSE, in London.</i>	Beatriz Nava-Domínguez, Freie Universität, Berlin, Germany "NAFTA and Southern Mexico: Integration and the role of national and local institutions in the development of lagging regions" <i>Comments: Michael W. Bauer, University of Konstanz, Germany</i>
(16:20 - 16:35)	Open Discussion	Open Discussion	Open Discussion
16:35 - 16:55	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK	COFFEE BREAK

(16:55 - 17:35)	Michele Ruta , RSCAS, European University Institute, Florence, Italy	Sascha O. Becker , Ifo Institute and University of Munich, Germany and Karolina Ekholm , Stockholm School of Economics, Sweden	David Levi-Faur and Jacint Jordana , Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, Spain
	"Political Integration, Special Interests and Growth "	"Location Choice and Employment Decisions: A Comparison of German and Swedish Multinationals"	"Professional networks and global governance: The institutionalization of the foreign trade professional as a case study"
	<i>Comments: Uwe Sunde, Institute for the Study of Labor, Bonn, Germany</i>	<i>Comments: Gerald Willmann, Institut für Weltwirtschaft, Kiel</i>	<i>Comments: Beatriz Nava Domínguez, Freie Universität, Berlin, Germany</i>
(17:35 - 17:50)	Open Discussion	Open Discussion	Open Discussion
17:50 - 18:10	Final Remarks by Jaume Ventura and Omar Licandro	Final Remarks by Rolf J. Langhammer and Michel Fouquin	Final Remarks by Jacques Ziller
20:30	DINNER		

Saturday, October 22

09:00 -13:00	Plenary Session SESSION I: MACROECONOMIC DIMENSIONS OF INTEGRATION AND TRADE Coordinated by Jaume Ventura, CREI and Omar Licandro, IUE
(09:00 - 09:40)	Marc J. Melitz , Harvard University, Cambridge, USA and Gianmarco I.P. Ottaviano , University of Bologna "Market Size, Trade and Productivity" <i>Comments: Marcel Vaillant, Director, Economics Department, University of Uruguay</i>
(09:40 - 09:55)	Open Discussion SESSION II: ECONOMIC POLICY DIMENSIONS OF INTEGRATION AND TRADE Coordinated by Rolf J. Langhammer, IfW and Michel Fouquin, CEPII.
(09:55 - 10:35)	Richard Baldwin and Daria Taglioni , Graduate Institute of International Studies, Geneva "Positive OCA criteria: Microfoundations for the Rose effect" <i>Comments: Patricia Alvarez, International Economics Department, German Institute for Economic Research</i>
(10:35 - 10:50)	Open Discussion
10:50 - 11:10	Coffee Break SESSION III: INSTITUTIONAL DIMENSIONS OF INTEGRATION AND TRADE Coordinated by Professor Jacques Ziller , IUE
(11:10 - 11:50)	Antonella Mori , <i>Università Bocconi, Milan, Italy</i> "Trade Liberalisation and Co-operation: Is the EU Approach towards Latin America Working Well?" <i>Comments: Marcelo De Paiva Abreu, Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro</i>
(11:50 - 12:05)	Open Discussion
12:05 - 12:45	Final Remarks by Sessions Coordinators and Antoni Esteve , Principal Trade Economist, Integration and Regional Programs Department, IDB
12:45 - 13:00	CLOSING REMARKS: Ricardo Carciofi, Director , Institute for the Integration of Latin America and the Caribbean, IDB

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