

7th Bank of Italy-CEPR workshop on labour market policies and institutions

September 19-20, 2024

Bank of Italy Conference Centre "Carlo Azeglio Ciampi"
via Nazionale 190, Rome

Thursday, September 19

10:00-10:15 Welcome address – **Paolo Angelini**, Deputy Governor of the Bank of Italy

Chair: Gaetano Basso

10:15-11:00 **Lorenzo Lagos** (Brown University)

[Union Bargaining Power and the Amenity-Wage Tradeoff](#)

11:00-11:15 **Coffee break**

11:15-12:00 **Alexia Delfino** (Bocconi University and CEPR), **Andrea Garneri** (OECD), **Sergio Inferrera** (Queen Mary), **Marco Leonardi** (Statale di Milano) and **Raffaella Sadun** (HBS and CEPR)

[Unwilling to Reskill? Evidence from a Survey Experiment with Jobseekers](#)

12:00-12:45 **Anna Salomons** (Utrecht University and CEPR), **Caecilia Lipowski** (Utrecht University and ZEW) and **Ulrich Zierahn-Weilage** (Utrecht University and ZEW)

[Expertise at Work: New Technologies, New Skills, and Worker Impacts](#)

12:45-14:00 **Lunch break**

Chair: Raffaele Saggio

14:00-15:00 **Keynote lecture by Claudia Olivetti** (Dartmouth College), joint with **Jessica Pan** (National University of Singapore and CEPR) and **Barbara Petrongolo** (University of Oxford and CEPR)

[The Evolution of Gender in the Labor Market](#)

15:00-15:45 **Christian Moser** (Columbia University and CEPR), **Oriana Bandiera** (LSE and CEPR), **Ananya Kotia** (LSE), **Ilse Lindenlaub** (Yale University and CEPR) and **Andrea Prat** (Columbia Business School and CEPR)

[Meritocracy across Countries](#)

15:45-16:00 **Break**

16:00-16:45 **Giulia Bovini** (Bank of Italy), **Marta De Philippis** (Bank of Italy) and **Lucia Rizzica** (Bank of Italy)

[The Role of Fields of Study, Firms, and Jobs for the Early Career Gender Pay Gap](#)

16:45-17:30 **Alejandro Estefan** (University of Notre Dame), **Roberto Gerhard** (Secretaría del Trabajo y Previsión Social, Mexico), **Joseph Kaboski** (University of Notre Dame and CEPR), **Ilenin Kondo** (Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis) and **Wei Qian** (Haverford College)

[Outsourcing Policy and Worker Outcomes: Causal Evidence from a Mexican Ban](#)

19:30 **Conference dinner (upon invitation only)**

Friday, September 20

Chair: Claudio Michelacci

9:15-10:00 **Oliver Schlenker** (University of Konstanz), Wolfgang Dauth (IAB and University of Bamberg) and Sebastian Findeisen (University of Konstanz and CEPR)

[Organized Labor Versus Robots? Evidence from Micro Data](#)

10:00-10:45 **Hyejin Ku** (UCL and CEPR), Uta Schoenberg (UCL, University of Hong Kong and CEPR) and Ragnhild Schreiner (University of Oslo)

[Taxing Labor: Firm R&D, Automation and the Labor Share](#)

10:45-11:00 **Coffee break**

11:00-11:45 **Alexandra Roulet** (INSEAD and CEPR), Pauline Carry (University of Chicago), Claire Montialoux (Sciences Po Paris, CNRS and CEPR), Elio Nimier-David (University of Chicago) and Nina Roussille (MIT and CEPR)

[Do Working Time Reductions Share Work? Evidence from the 35-hour Reform in France](#)

11:45-12:30 **Kevin Shih** (Queens College, CUNY), Parag Mahajan (University of Delaware), Nicolas Morales (Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond), Agostina Brinatti (University of Michigan) and Mingyu Chen (IZA)

[The Impact of Immigration on Firms and Workers: Insights from the H-1B Lottery](#)

12:30-13:45 **Lunch break**

Chair: Francesca Carta

13:45-14:30 **Benjamin Schoefer** (University of California, Berkeley and CEPR) and Pauline Carry (University of Chicago)

[Hostility in Dismissals: Evidence from "Separations by Mutual Agreement" in France](#)

14:30-15:30 **Keynote lecture by David Autor** (MIT), joint with Neil Thompson (MIT FutureTech)

[Does Automation Replace Experts or Augment Expertise? The Answer Is Yes](#)

Scientific committee: Ghazala Azmat (Sciences Po and CEPR), Gaetano Basso (Bank of Italy), Francesca Carta (Bank of Italy), Claudio Michelacci (EIEF and CEPR) and Raffaele Saggio (University of British Columbia).

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