

# Research Seminars 2016

# Institute of Economics and Econometrics

# 20 January 2016

**IEE Brownbag** 

Jeremy Laurent-Lucchetti, GSEM

Property Rights and Land Disputes: Theory and Evidence from Ethiopia, (jointly with S. Di Falco, University of Geneva, and Marcella Veronesi, University of Verona)

# 3 February 2016

IEE Research Seminar

Nicola Persico, Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University, USA

An Economic Analysis of Black-White Disparities in NYPD's Stop and Frisk Program

**IEE Brownbag** 

Andrea Ariu, GSEM

Providing Services to Boost Goods Exports? Theory and Evidence

# 9 February 2016

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop
Arnaud Costinot, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), USA

### 10 February 2016

IEE Research Seminar

Kalina Manova, Stanford University, USA

Managing Trade: Evidence from China and the US

# 17 February 2016

IEE Research Seminar with ILO

Blaise Melly, University of Bern, Switzerland

The evolution of the gender wage gap: 1968-2008

**IEE** Brownbag

Yann Miguel, GSEM

Liberalization, with(out) privatization?

# 24 February 2016

IEE Research Seminar

Axel Dreher, University of Heidelberg, Germany

Aid on demand: African leaders and the geography of China's Foreign Assistance

# 25 February 2016

Exceptional IEE Research Seminar

Fabrizio Zilibotti, University of Zurich, Switzerland

From Imitation to Innovation? Where is All That Chinese R&D Going?

#### 2 March 2016

### IEE Research Seminar

Antoine Dechezleprêtre, London School of Economics, UK

Temperature, mortality and income inequality: Evidence from Mexico

# IEE Brownbag

Sofiane Hihi, GSEM

Investigating pro-environmental behavior through the spectrum of health, the case of Bulgaria

### 8 March 2016

### IEE Research Seminar

Nancy Qian, Yale University, USA

The Long-Run Effects of Climate Change on Conflict, 1400-1900

### 9 March 2016

#### IEE Brownbag

Emmanuel Milet, GSEM

Some thoughts and ideas about informality

#### 15 March 2016

# Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Giovanni Maggi, Yale University, USA

Learning by Ruling: A dynamic Model of Trade Disputes

### 22 March 2016

# Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Victor Kummritz, Graduate Institute, Switzerland

# 23 March 2016

# IEE Research Seminar

Laurent Pauwels, University of Sydney, Australia

Some theoretical results on forecast combinations

# IEE Brownbag

Jessica Hug, GSEM

Can computerization explain the increasing sorting of high-skilled workers into large cities?

# 6 April 2016

# IEE Research Seminar

Nicolas Treich, Toulouse School of Economics, France

The Power of Money: Wealth Effects in Contests

### IEE Brownbag

Nicole Tabasso, University of Surrey, UK

Diffusion of multiple information: On information resilience and the power of segregation

# 13 April 2016

### IEE Research Seminar

Manuel Oechslin, University of Luzern, Switzerland Smaller Measurement Errors, Better Economic Policies?

# 19 April 2016

# Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Joe Francois, World Trade Institute (WTI), Switzerland

# 20 April 2016

# IEE Research Seminar

Jose Ramon Uriarte, University of Bilbao, Spain

The Economics of Bilingual Identity: The Politeness Equilibrium

# **IEE Brownbag**

Tristan Equey, GSEM

The Ponds Dilemma: Effort Choice and Rank Concerns

### 27 April 2016

# IEE Research Seminar

Ron Davies, University College of Dublin, Ireland

The Impact of Taxes on the Extensive and Intensive Margins of FDI

# **IEE Brownbag**

Justine Falciola, GSEM

Exploring firm competitiveness: a Factor Analysis approach

# 4 May 2016

# IEE Brownbag

Ingrid Vargas, GSEM

Time-use poverty: and econometric approach

(jointly with Jaya Krishnakumar)

# 18 May 2016

# IEE Research Seminar with ILO

Samuel Bentolila, Center for Monetary and Financial Studies (CEMFI), Spain Long-Term Unemployment in Spain

### IEE Brownbag

Veronica Preotu, GSEM

Emigration as a Pacifying Force?

# 24 May 2016

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop
Amit Khandelwal, Columbia Business School, USA
Exporting and Firm Performance: Evidence from a Randomized Trial

# 31 May 2016

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop Pol Antras, Harvard University, USA

### 1 June 2016

IEE Research Seminar

Jörn-Steffen Pischke, London School of Economics, UK Of Mice and Merchants: Trade and Growth in the Iron Age

#### 7 June 2016

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop Victor Kummritz, Graduate Institute, Switzerland

# 8 June 2016

IEE Research Seminar

Enrico Moretti, UC Berkeley, USA

The Effect of State Taxes on the Geographical Location of Top Earners: Evidence from Star Scientists

# 14 June 2016

<u>Geneva Trade and Development Workshop</u>
Ankai Xu, World Trade Organization (WTO), Switzerland

# 13 September 2016

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop
Anton Korinek, John Hopkins University, USA

# 20 September 2016

<u>Geneva Trade and Development Workshop</u> Martin Weidner, University College London, UK

### 21 September 2016

<u>IEE Research Seminar</u> Zaki Wahhaj, Kent University, UK *Intra-household Allocation and Familial Ties* 

# 27 September 2016

<u>Geneva Trade and Development Workshop</u> Meredith Crowley, University of Cambridge, UK

# 28 September 2016

# IEE Research Seminar

Patrik Guggenberger, Penn State University, USA Identification- and Singularity-Robust Inference for Moment Condition Models

#### 4 October 2016

# Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Carsten Eckel, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität Munich (LMU), Germany
Is Bigger Better? Multi-product Firms, Labor Market Imperfections, and International Trade

### 5 October 2016

#### IEE Brownbag

Arun Advani, University College London, UK Informal Insurance and Endogenous Poverty Traps

#### 12 October 2016

# Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Miaojie Yu, Peking University, China

#### **IEE** Brownbag

Octavian Strimbu, University of Ottawa, Canada Does Transparency Reduce Corruption?

#### 18 October 2016

# IEE Research Seminar

Manuel Garcia Santana, Pompeu Fabra University (UPF), Spain

### 28 October 2016

### IEE Research Seminar

Vernon Henderson, London School of Economics, UK

# 2 November 2016

# **IEE Brownbag**

Jessica Hug, GSEM

#### 8 November 2016

### IEE Research Seminar

Rohit Ticku, Graduate Institute, Switzerland

### 16 November 2016

# IEE Brownbag

Sophie Hatte, University of Lausanne, Switzerland

#### **22 November 2016**

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Mathieu Parenti, Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB), Belgium

#### 23 November 2016

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop Lucian Cernat, European Commission, Belgium

### 29 November 2016

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop
Peter Neary, Oxford University, UK

### **30 November 2016**

<u>IEE Research Seminar</u> Martin Weidner, University College London, UK

# 6 December 2016

<u>Geneva Trade and Development Workshop</u> Reshad N. Ahsan, Melbourne University, Australia

#### 7 December 2016

# IEE Research Seminar

Marc Sangnier, Groupement de Recherche en Economie Quantitative d'Aix-Marseille (GREQAM), France

# IEE Brownbag

Tuan Nguyen, GSEM

### 13 December 2016

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop Yuan Zi, Graduate Institute, Switzerland

# 14 December 2016

<u>IEE Brownbag</u> Anja Grujovic, GSEM

### 20 December 2016

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop Eric Verhoogen, Columbia University, USA

# 21 December 2016

**IEE Brownbag** 

Yann Koby, Princeton University, USA