Programme

Monday 11th March 2019

9:45 --- Reception, Coffee

10:15-12:15 --- Session 1

Pierre Cahuc (Sciences Po)
*Identifying Core Parameters of Labor Market Models: Evidence from Unexpected Worker Separations*

Pauline Carry (CREST)
*The Employment Effects of Restricting Fixed-Term Contracts: Theory and Evidence*

Julien Pascal (Sciences Po)
*Labor Income Shocks along the Business Cycle*

12:15-13:00 --- Lunch

13:00-15:00 --- Session 2

Ludo Visschers (Edinburgh)
*Cyclical Earnings and Employment Transitions*

Jake Bradley (Nottingham)
*A Job Ladder Model with Stochastic Employment Opportunities*

Richard Audoly (UCL)
*Firm Dynamics and Random Search over the Business Cycle*

15:00-15:20 --- Coffee

15:20-17:20 --- Session 3

Maarten Janssen (Vienna)
*Retail Discrimination in Search Markets*

Eeva Mauring (Vienna)
*Informational Cycles in Search Markets*

Tobias Gamp (Humboldt)
*Cursed Beliefs in Search Markets*

19:00 --- Conference dinner – Lido Restaurant
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9:00-11:00 --- Session 4

Carlos Carillo-Tudela (Essex)
*Unemployment and Endogenous Reallocation over the Business Cycle*

Alex Clymo (Essex)
*Job Search and Experimentation in the Standard Incomplete Markets Model*

Ran Gu (Essex)
*Specific Capital and the Business Cycle Effects on the Postgraduate Wage Premium*

11:00-11:15 --- Coffee

11:15-13:15 --- Session 5

Belen Jerez (Carlos 3)
*Wealth Effects and Search Frictions in Housing Markets*

Cristina Lafuente (Edinburgh)
*Search Capital and Unemployment Duration*

Tim Obermeier (Mannheim)
*Employer Screening and Optimal Unemployment Insurance*

13:15 --- End of conference
Conference venue:
35 Berkeley Square, Clifton, Bristol
http://www.bris.ac.uk/maps/google/?latlng=51.45480087,-2.6049769400000287&t=0&h=1

Directions:
- From Bristol airport: taxis are operated by Arrow Cars, Tel: +44 (0)1275475000. There is also a bus service connecting the airport to the Bristol bus station (Airport Flyer Express Link) in about 30mins (£11 for a return ticket). Walking from the bus station to Berkeley Square takes about 20mins but it is a steep climb. There are taxis just outside the Bristol bus station.
- From Bristol Temple Meads train station: there are taxis just outside the main hall. There is also a bus (8 and 9) going from the station to Queens road, just next to Berkeley Square. Please avoid taking a train to Bristol Parkway as this station is far from the city centre.

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- Berkeley Square Hotel: 15 Berkeley Square, BS8 1HB, Tel: +44 (0)1179254000
- Clifton Hotel; St Paul’s Road, BS8 1LX, Tel: +44 (0)1179736882
- Ibis Hotel Bristol Centre, BS1 5TY, Tel: +44 (0)1173199000
- Victoria Square Hotel: 29-30 Victoria Square, BS8 4EW, Tel: +44 (0)1179739058
- Rodney Hotel: Rodney Place, BS8 4HY, Tel: +44 (0)1177935422

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- V Cars: +44 (0)1179252626
- Yellow Cabs: +44 (0)92315151
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Conference dinner:
Lido: Oakfield Place, BS8 2BJ, Tel: +44 (0)1179339530

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