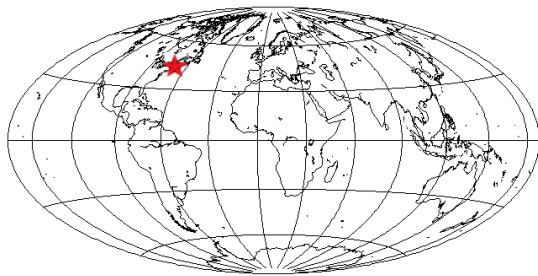


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SUNDAY, MAY 7

18:00 – DINNER (by invitation)

MONDAY, MAY 8

8:00-9:00 – BREAKFAST

Morning Meetings

9:00-10:00 – Innovation and Asset Pricing

Pricing Technological Innovators: Patent Intensity and Life-Cycle Dynamics

Jan Bena (UBC)

Adlai Fisher (UBC)

Jiri Knesl (U Oxford)

Julian Vahl (UBC)

Discussant: Mihail Velikov, Penn State U

Innovation, Industry Equilibrium, and Discount Rates

Maria Bustamante (U Maryland)

Francesca Zucchi (European Central Bank)

Discussant: Lukas Schmid, USC

10:00-10:30 – BREAK

10:30-11:30 – Unconventional Risks

Medium-Run Labor Income Risk

Esther Eiling (U Amsterdam)

Frank de Jong (U Tilburg)

Roger Laeven (U Amsterdam)

Rob Serna Weiland (U Amsterdam)

Discussant: Irina Zviadadze, HEC-Paris

Asset Pricing with the Awareness of New Priced Risks

Christian Heyerdahl-Larsen (Indiana U)

Philipp Illeditsch (Texas A&M U)

Petra Sinagl (U Iowa)

Discussant: Colin Ward, U Minnesota

11:30-11:45 – INTERMITTENT BREAK

11:45-12:45 – Currency Forecasting

A "Bad Beta, Good Beta" Anatomy of Currency Risk Premiums and Trading Strategies

Ethan Chiang (UNC-Charlotte)

Nancy Mo (U Mary Hardin-Baylor)

Discussant: Pasquale Della Corte, Imperial C

Exchange Rate Disconnect Revisited

Ryan Chahrour (Cornell U)

Pablo Guerron-Quintana (Santa Clara U)

Pierre De Leo (U Maryland)

Rosen Valchev (Boston C)

Discussant: Yang Liu, U Hong Kong

12:45-14:15 – LUNCH

Afternoon Meetings

14:15-15:15 – Mutual Funds and ETFs

Hiding Behind the Window Blinds: Strategic Trading under Portfolio Partial Disclosure

Ron Kaniel (U Rochester)

Jennifer Li (SJTU)

Donghui Shi (Shanghai Stock Exchange)

Qi Zhang (SJTU)

Discussant: Ryan Israelsen, Michigan State U

ETFs, Illiquid Assets, and Fire Sales

John Shim (U Notre Dame)

Karamfil Todorov (BIS)

Discussant: Chotibhak Jotikasthira, SMU

15:15-15:30 – INTERMITTENT BREAK

15:30-16:30 – ESG Investing

Active Fund Management when ESG Matters: An Equilibrium Perspective

Doron Avramov (IDC Herzliya)

Si Cheng (U Syracuse)

Andrea Tarelli (U Milan)

Discussant: Kelsey Wei, UT-Dallas

Decarbonizing Institutional Investor Portfolios

Vaska Atta-Darkua (U Virginia)

Simon Glossner (Federal Reserve Board)

Philipp Krueger (U Geneva)

Pedro Matos (U Virginia)

Discussant: Gregory Vilkov, Frankfurt School

16:30-17:00 – REFRESHMENTS & ADJOURN