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26–28 August 2026

Wednesday 26 August

13:00 CEST KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Room: **Aula** | **Chair: Alessandro Gavazza**

Transportation, Infrastructure and Trade Disruptions

***Myrto Kalouptsidi* — Harvard University**

14:45 CEST INVITED SESSION I

Buyer Power

Room: **SN 163** | **Chair: Michelle Sovinsky**

Oligopsony and Collective Bargaining
Allan Collard-Wexler — Duke University

Welfare Effects of Buyer and Seller Power
Mert Demirer — MIT Sloan

14:45 CEST PARALLEL SESSIONS I (RISING STARS)

Allocation, Rationing and Congestion

Room: **O 145** | Chair: Elu von Thadden

Who Bears the Cost of School Closures? Evidence from Puerto Rico
Reza Moradi — University of Toronto

Competition and Welfare in Airport Slot Allocation
Sebastian Bauer — Stanford GSB

Competition and Antitrust in Pharmaceutical Markets

Room: **EO 150** | Chair: Massimo Motta

The Last Mile to First Treatment: Searching for Opioid Use Disorder Medication
Lance Gui — University of Mannheim

Competition or Collusion? Entry Decisions in the Swedish Pharmaceutical Market
Hung Le — Aalto University

The Cost of Delayed Competition: Quantifying Consumer Harm from Pay-for-Delay Agreements

Alejandro Medina — University of Verona

Corrective Taxes, Subsidies and Public Spending

Room: **EO 145** | Chair: Nick De Roos

Cascading Transformation: Estimating the Effects of Green Government Spending through the Production Network
Jan-Erik Thie — University of Potsdam

Shaping More Than Prices: Corrective Taxes with Product Reformulation
Javier Boncompte — Universidad de los Andes, Chile

Unintended Environmental Policies: The Impact of European Agricultural Subsidies on Pollution
Emma du Puy — Sciences Po

Decarbonization and Carbon Pricing

Room: **O 151** | Chair: David Byrne

The effects of trade on CO2 firm-level emission intensity. Evidence from German microdata.
Alberto Mola — Ku Leuven

The Structural Frictions of Industrial Decarbonization
Eunseong Park — ZEW and University of Mannheim

Climate Policy, Industry Concentration and Technology Adoption: Evidence from the French Cement Industry
Niklas Schoch — Sciences Po Pari

Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure and Entry

Room: **O 129** | Chair: Sofronis Clerides

Spatial Heterogeneity and Investment Inefficiency of Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure
Jiming Wang — The Pennsylvania State University

Strategic Entry and Policy in Isolated EV Charging Markets
Lydia Dimitrakopoulou — Vienna University of Economics and Business (WU)

Employer Market Power and Monopsony

Room: **EO 165** | Chair: Joel Stiebale

Markdowns Across Occupation, Gender, Education and Migration Background
Axel Malmcrona — Gothenburg University

Competition in the Labor Market: Evidence from Swedish Pharmacies
Nelson Sunuwar — University of Zurich

Labor Market Competition and Job Loss
Theodor Friederiszick — University of Zurich

Incentives, Contracts and Organizations

Room: **O 142** | Chair: Johannes Schneider

Pay to Quit: Robust Team Incentives with Hidden Need
Youngji Sohn — University of Warwick

Delegating Monitoring to Interested Expert Managers under Limited Communication
Killian DENGREVILLE — Paris Sciences et Lettres (PSL)

Providing Certainty
Andy Choi — University of Michigan

Patents, IP and Combinatorial Innovation

Room: **EO 159** | Chair: Heiko Gerlach

Acquiring Combinations
Dylan Alezra — CRED - Pantheon-Assas

Patent Ineligible Areas: Combinatorial Innovation as a Response to IP Loss
Danfeng Yue — Toulouse School of Economics

Do Patents Tilt Standard-Setting? Evidence from Cellular Networks
Joakim Wikström — VATT Institute for Economic Research

Personalized Pricing, Privacy and Data Markets

Room: EO 162 | Chair: Johannes Johnen

Competitive Personalized Pricing and Privacy
CHENCHEN YE — Toulouse School of Economics

Personalized Pricing and Data Sharing Regulations
Paul Wegener — University of Mannheim

Tailoring Data for Profit
Xueying Zhao — Frankfurt School of Finance and Management

Production Function and Productivity Estimation

Room: **O 148** | Chair: Jo Seldeslachts

Separating Energy Substitution from Factor-Biased Productivity: Evidence from Norwegian Firms
Fuchen Zhang — University of Stavanger

Competition, Management, and Productivity: Evidence from Industrial Policy in German Coal Mining

Kai Fischer — WU Vienna

Nonparametric Identification and Estimation of Production Functions Invariant to Productivity Dynamics
Rentaro Utamaru — Waseda University

R&D Collaboration and Knowledge Spillovers

Room: **O 135** | Chair: Florian Schuett

Evidence on Firm-to-Firm R&D Collaboration Intensity
Sinjeong Kim — Pennsylvania State University

Close Encounters for Innovation: the Spatial Limits of Technology Demand
Silje Haus-Reve — UIS School of Business and Law

Public and Private Biomedical R&D: Complements or Substitutes?
Chiara Gardenghi — University of Rochester, Simon Business School

Recommender Systems and Platforms

Room: **O 131** | Chair: Alexei Parakhonyak

Consumer Choice between Recommendation Algorithms – Experimental Evidence
Felix Schleef — HEC Paris

Recommendation Design, Pricing, and Regulation
Laurenz Marstaller — University of Bonn

Competition among Online Streaming Platforms: To Vertically Integrate or Not?
Mengxi Zhang — Beijing Academy of Social Sciences

Trade and Industrial Policy in Product Markets

Room: **O 133** | Chair: Philipp Schmidt-Dengler

The Economic Consequences of Trade Sanctions: Evidence from the Global Smartphone Industry
Xiaochen Xie — Renmin University

The Transmission of Trade Shocks in Digital Markets
Jorge Klinnert — University of Maryland

Content Quota, Tariff, and Investment Obligation in the Audiovisual Market
Doriani Lingga — Université Paris Dauphine–PSL

16:45 CEST PARALLEL SESSIONS II

Competition in Public Procurement

Room: **EO 150** | Chair: Carlos Vega

Can We Increase Competition in Public Procurement? Estimating the Pool of Potential Bidders in Finnish Procurement Markets
Jan Jääskeläinen — Finnish Competition and Consumer Authority

Buyer-Initiated Auctions: Nominations in Oil & Gas
Jihyun (Kiara) Kim — Washington University in St. Louis

Recurrent Medicine Procurement with Dynamic Reserve Prices: Evidence from the Philippines
Carlos Vega — University of East Anglia, School of Economics and Centre for Competition Policy

Competition in Transport and Network Infrastructure

Room: **O 129** | Chair: Jan Svitak

Split ticketing and arbitrage in multi-product monopoly pricing
Alexander Senk — Leibniz University Hannover

Optimal Charging Infrastructure for Electric Vehicles
Youming Liu — Bank of Canada

Network competition in the Dutch broadband internet market
Jan Svitak — Netherlands Authority for Consumers and Markets

Consumer Attention, Information and Advertising

Room: **EO 157** | Chair: Rosa Ferrer

Product Scarcity and Social Learning: Experimental Evidence
Alexei Parakhonyak — University of Oxford

Do Consumers Care? Collusion, Inattention, and the Power of Information
Anja Rösner — The ROCKWOOL Foundation

Targeting Viewers' Heterogeneous Ad Aversion
Rosa Ferrer — UPF and Barcelona School of Economics

Disclosure and Salience

Room: **O 151** | Chair: Cedric Wasser

Fighting over environmental salience
Stephan Eitel — University of Bamberg

Industry Competition, Regulation, and Climate Action: Evidence from the German Sustainability Code Disclosures
Wiebke Siebert — University of Bremen

Bilateral Design of Product Information
Cedric Wasser — University of Basel

Electricity Market Design and Retail Choice

Room: **O 145** | Chair: Kevin Remmy

Market Power and Platform Design in Decentralized Electricity Trading
Nicolas Eschenbaum — Swiss Economics

The impact of price comparison tools on electricity retailer choices
Kevin Remmy — University of Mannheim

Entry, Density and Product Variety in Retail

Room: **EO 145** | Chair: Shresth Garg

Market Dynamics and Welfare: Subsidies and Wholesale Structure in Food Retail
Florin Maican — University of Gothenburg, IFN, and CEPR

Ownership Concentration and Store Density in Franchise Markets
So Hyun An — Korea Institute for Industrial Economics & Trade

Customer-Driven Product Scope
Shresth Garg — University of Pennsylvania

Financial Regulation, Policy, and Competition

Room: **O 131** | Chair: Tove Forsbacka

Institutional Design of Misconduct Redress: Evidence from the Financial Ombudsman Service
William Matcham — Royal Holloway Unviersity of London

Endogenous Finance and Policy Interactions: Monetary Policy, Financial Regulation, and Competition Policy
Keisuke Hattori — Aoyama Gakuin University

Cartels as Shock Absorbers: Collusion Dynamics in Times of Macroeconomic Instability
Tove Forsbacka — Norwegian School of Economics

Identification and Estimation of Production Functions

Room: **O 148** | Chair: Chun Pang Chow

Identification of Gross Output Production Functions with Nonseparable Productivity
Qingsong Pan — Zhejiang University

Estimating Production Functions in Markets with Strategic Interactions: an MPEC Approach
Markus Trunschke — Stanford University

Identification and Estimation of Production Function and Consumer Demand Function under Monopolistic Competition from Revenue
Chun Pang Chow — University of British Colombia

Markets for Technology and Patents

Room: **EO 165** | Chair: Saleh Zakerinia

Dynamic Gains from the Market for Technology: Evidence from Pharmaceutical Licensing
Sungjin Kim — Northwestern University

Incomplete Patent Pools
Jorge Lemus — University of Illinois

The Compounding Effect of Experience in Innovation Dynamics
Saleh Zakerinia — Halle Institute for Economic Research (IWH)

Markets in the Age of AI

Room: **EO 162** | Chair: Chayanin Wipusanawan

Job market signaling in the age of generative AI
Felix Benedikt Klapper — Leibniz University Hannover

Protection or Exploitation? AI Copyright Regulation and Endogenous Market Structure
Yiyang Sun — Peking University / University of Michigan

AI-Mediated Online Marketplaces
Chayanin Wipusanawan — University of Passau

Measuring Markups and Market Power

Room: **EO 154** | Chair: Anna Thum-Thysen

When Do Markups Matter? Contestability and Welfare in Dynamic Entry Models
Anthony Savagar — University of Kent / Bank of England

Market power and the exit of a potential competitor
Thiago Cacicedo — Heriot-Watt University

A joint assessment of markups and profitability Evidence for Europe over 2007-2022
Anna Thum-Thysen — European Commission

Merger Policy: Vertical Effects and Innovation

Room: **O 142** | Chair: Tim Reuter

Vertical Mergers, Customer Access, and Spillovers in Production Networks
Joel Stiebale — DICE, Heinrich Heine University

Merger review with innovation efficiencies
Matias Pietola — European Commission, DG Competition

Merger Control in a Changing World
Volker Nocke — University of Mannheim

Platform Liability and Regulation

Room: **O 135** | Chair: Matthew Mitchell

Platform liability, product safety and optimal pricing
Ali Kashefi — Bielefeld University

Platforms, Data Protection, and Consumer Choice
Heiko Gerlach — U of Queensland

Are You 18? Age Verification and Adult-only Consumption in the US
Matthew Mitchell — European University Institute

Regulatory and Competition Issues in Sports Markets

Room: **O 133** | Chair: Florian Schuett

Regulatory Arbitrage in the Market for Player Rights: Evidence from European Soccer
Federico Ciliberto — University of Virginia

Distorting bargaining dynamics: The case of multi-club ownership in the football transfer market
Diego José Rivera Obón — Université Paris Saclay

Career Concerns and Managerial Risk Taking: Evidence from the National Football League
Florian Schuett — KU Leuven

Theory of the Firm and Vertical Integration

Room: **EO 159** | Chair: Bruno Jullien

A Formal Haggling Theory of the Firm: A Tradeoff Between Rent-Seeking and Bargaining Costs
Yusuke Mori — Ritsumeikan University

Divisionalization, vertical integration and downstream entry.
Ramon Fauli-Oller — Universidad de Alicante

Buying Components
Bruno Jullien — Toulouse School of Economics

18:30 CEST. Welcome Reception in the Palace Catacombs

Join us for the Welcome Reception in the historic catacombs of Mannheim Palace, an atmospheric venue beneath the Baroque residence that once housed the city's electors. This unique setting offers a memorable start to the conference in a place where history quite literally lies beneath your feet.

Thursday 27 August

09:00 CEST INVITED SESSION II

Transportation

Room: **SN 163** | Chair: **Isis Durrmeyer**

Rigidities in Decentralized Spot Markets: Evidence from the U.S. Freight Network
Nick Buchholz — Princeton University

Carpooling and the Economics of Self-Driving Cars
Michael Ostrovsky — Stanford Graduate School of Business

09:00 CEST PARALLEL SESSIONS III (RISING STARS)

Adoption and Use of Generative AI

Room: **EO 165** | Chair: Sandro Shelegia

Firms' Adoption of Autonomous AI Tools – Evidence From a Survey Experiment Among Managers
Robin Sack — ZEW Mannheim

Learning to Prompt: Human Adaptation in Production with Generative AI
Sijie Lin — University of Toronto

Strategic Algorithmic Monoculture: Experimental Evidence from Coordination Games
Gonzalo Ballestero — Pennsylvania State University

Competition and Intermediation

Room: **O 142** | Chair: Markus Reisinger

Asymmetric information, search frictions and intermediation in car loans
Davi Doneda Mittelstadt — University of Wisconsin-Madison

Competition between payment card networks and rebates
Vera Lubbersen — De Nederlandsche Bank / Vrije Universiteit

From Shares to Machines: How Common Ownership Drives Automation
Dennis Christoph Hutschenreiter — Halle Institute for Economic Research (IWH) - Member of the Leibniz Association

Competition, Investment and Innovation Incentives

Room: **O 135** | Chair: Armin Schmutzler

Competition and Preventive Investments in Climate Insurance
Ananya Goyal — Queen Mary University of London

Make-or-buy decision in Cloud Computing industry
Shuying LIU — ESSEC Business School

Robust merger policy and innovation
Christopher Teh — Toulouse School of Economics

Electric Vehicle Innovation and Demand

Room: **EO 145** | Chair: Federico Ciliberto

Innovation Path Choices in China's Electric Vehicle Battery Industry
Qian Wang — University of Maryland

Estimating Cross-market Interactions in Demand
Yifei Shang — University of Oxford

Energy Input Shocks and Firm Adjustment

Room: **EO 154** | Chair: David Genesove

Firms in a Critical Input Crisis
Costanza Tomaselli — Imperial College Business School

One Hundred Years of Manufacturing: Long-run Consequences of the Indiana Gas Boom
Assaf Abraham — University of Mannheim

Drought, low-water events, and fuel prices. Empirical evidence from the Rhine
Lea Bernhardt — Helmut-Schmidt-University Hamburg, HWWI

Entry, Product Design and Platform Competition

Room: **O 145** | Chair: Bruno Jullien

Two-sided platform competition with gigs or wages
Sumit Shrivastav — Universite catholique de Louvain

Endogenous Product Design: A Linear Demand Approach
Afonso Rodrigues — University of Oxford

Competition under Informational Headstarts
Pia Ennuschat — University of Mannheim

Environmental Information, Labeling and Greenwashing

Room: **EO 157** | Chair: Ginger Jin

Awards vs. Labels: Incentivizing Investments in Environmental Quality
Lisa Heidelmeier — University of Bamberg

Greenwashing or Green Innovation? Signaling Games under Environmental Monitoring
Kexin Shao — University of York

Innovation in Response to the Public: Endogenous Effects of Publicizing Pollution Information
Shin-Ren Pan — KU Leuven

Healthcare and Pharmaceutical Markets

Room: **EO 150** | Chair: Otto Toivanen

Orphan Drug Policy and Economies of Scope in Multi-Indication Drug Development
Jie Fang — McGill University

Allocation and Prioritization in Public Health Care
Tuomas Markkula — University of Hamburg

History Dependence and Firm Incentives in Free Contraception Programs
Milla Hägg — University of Helsinki

Information and Beliefs in the Workplace

Room: **O 133** | Chair: Rosa Ferrer

Providing Benefits to Uninformed Workers
Tomasz Sulka — Humboldt University Berlin

Should Internet traffic be compressed or priced?
Lucía Pinar — University of Valencia

Perceived Productivity when Working From Home and Gender: Evidence From a Survey Experiment
Vincent Rost — ZEW Mannheim

Information Design, Persuasion and Disclosure

Room: **O 131** | Chair: David Rahman

Moderating Content Hosting Platforms
Robin Ng — University of Mannheim

When to Hire an Influencer?
Yushan Meng — Universität Konstanz

Strategic Transparency on Platforms
Rosaria Distefano — University of Catania

Inputs to Innovation: Talent, Compute and Training

Room: **O 151** | Chair: Matthew Mitchell

Talent Hoarding and Upstream Innovation: Labor Market Distortions by Large Incumbents
Shaolong Wu — Harvard University

The Returns to Science of Centrally Provisioned GPUs and Optimal Allocation
Ruby Zhang — Harvard University

Beyond the Lab: The Effect of PhD Programs on Innovation
Manfredi Aliberti — Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition

Labor Market Competition and Worker Mobility

Room: **O 148** | Chair: Heski Bar-Isaac

Workplace Training Unpacked: Labor Market Competition and Investment in General Skills
Mattia Albanese — Rome Economics Doctorate

Startup Noncompetes in the Shadow of Acquihiring
Kyogo Tsubuteishi — Hitotsubashi University

Market Power and Mergers in Production Networks

Room: **EO 162** | Chair: Yossi Spiegel

Sectoral Aggregation and Misallocation from Variable Markups
Alexander Boca — University of Michigan

Market Power and Network Structure
Luca Scotti — Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Centrality as a Merger Defense
Iván Rendo — Toulouse School of Economics

Regulation and Competition

Room: **EO 159** | Chair: Nikos Vettas

Network Effects and ISP Interconnection in U.S. Colocation Data Centers
Chloe Song — Boston University

Floor Shipping Fee and Resale Price Maintenance : Analysis of the French book market
Martin Delville — CREST

Competitive Impact of the 1,500-Hour Rule on U.S. Airlines: Evidence from U.S.–Canada and U.S.–Mexico Markets
Zuzanna Markiewicz — University of Warwick alumna / Analyst at Frontier

Retail Electricity and Energy Market Design

Room: **O 129** | Chair: Thomas Jungbauer

Perverse Curtailments under Two-sided Sliding Feed-in-Premium Contracts
Romain Kremer — Institut Polytechnique de Paris

Optimality of One-Stage Mechanisms in Asymmetric Electricity Networks
Daniel Linnenbrink — University of Mannheim, ZEW

11:00 CEST INVITED SESSION III

Platforms

Room: **SN 163** | **Chair: Volker Nocke**

Platforms as Search Technologies: Competition, Participation, and Welfare
Aniko Öry — Tepper School of Business, CMU

Algorithmic Steering and Advertising on Platforms
Andrew Rhodes — TSE

11:00 CEST PARALLEL SESSION IV

Collusion in Procurement Auctions

Room: **EO 157** | Chair: Claudio Ribeiro Lucinda

Swimming in Dark Water: Bid Rigging in Ticino
David Imhof — COMCO

Bid Uncertainty under Collusive Behavior in Public Procurement Auctions
Nozomu Muto — Hitotsubashi University

Competition or Collusion? Bid-Level Evidence from Medical Gas Procurement
Claudio Ribeiro Lucinda — University of São Paulo (FEA)

Consumer Search and Price Dispersion

Room: **O 142** | Chair: Nicolas de Roos

A Model of Sequential Search with Learning
Sandro Shelegia — Universitat Pompeu Fabra

Context Effects and Price Dispersion in Search Markets
Heiko Karle — Frankfurt School of Finance and Management

A simple model of price cycles and price dispersion
Nicolas de Roos — University of Liverpool

Corporate Finance and Governance

Room: **EO 159** | Chair: Heski Bar-Isaac

Why Profit-Driven Venture Capital is Socially Optimal
Stephen Dossou — Mines Paris-PSL

Who provides CEO incentives?
Heski Bar-Isaac — University of Toronto

Dynamics of Entry, Trading and Production

Room: **O 135** | Chair: Matthias Meier

Selling Synergies
Thomas Jungbauer — Cornell University

Modeling Trading over Time
Sergei Balakin — Monash University

On the Importance of Manufacturing Order Books
Matthias Meier — University of Mannheim

Environmental Market

Room: **EO 154** | Chair: Marcel Canoy

Standards and Technology Innovation with Search
Lluis Granero — Universitat de València

Environmental Taxation and Technological Choice under Cournot Competition
Santiago Rubio — Universidad de Valencia

The honest truth about true pricing
Marcel Canoy — Vrije Unuiversiteit Amsterdam and ACM

Environmental Regulation and Competition

Room: **O 131** | Chair: Thomas Wiedenhofer

Green antitrust conundrum: Cooperation with social goals
Limor Hatsor — JCT

Fast and Furious (and Dirty): How Asymmetric Regulation May Hinder Environmental Policy
Cristian Huse — University of Oldenburg

Binding Emission Standards in the European Car Market
Thomas Wiedenhofer — University of Vienna

Generative AI: Adoption and Market Effects

Room: **O 145** | Chair: AYSE OZGUR PEHLIVAN

User Preferences for Large Language Models: Implications for AI Safety and Market Structure
Maria-Ana Vitorino — INSEAD

Early adoption of generative AI: Users, uses, and behavioral change
Sebastian Valet — ZEW Mannheim

AI Exposure and Markups: Early Evidence from a Large Emerging Economy
AYSE OZGUR PEHLIVAN — TOBB ECONOMICS and TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY

Markups and Input-Output Market Power

Room: **EO 150** | Chair: Waleed Hassan

Input and Output Market Power with Non-neutral Productivity: Livestock and Labor in US Meatpacking
Rigoberto Lopez — University of Connecticut

Input and output market power in the presence of fixed costs
Waleed Hassan — KU Leuven - VIVES

Merger Waves

Room: **O 129** | Chair: Naoki Wakamori

Merger Waves in Retrospective: Evidence from the U.S. Airline Industry
Isabel Pham — WU Vienna & Wifo

The role of banks in financing European fintechs: Capturing value or guarding the turf?
Fernando Martinez-Santos — ESSEC

Compatible Mergers: Assets, Service Areas, and Market Power
Naoki Wakamori — Hitotsubashi University

Procurement Auctions and Negotiations

Room: **EO 145** | Chair: Sander Onderstal

The costs and benefits of mediocrity: Endogenous auction design in procurement
Andrea Tulli — University of Tübingen

Auctions vs. Negotiations: The Role of Communication in an Experiment with Procurement Managers
Nicolas Fugger — University of Cologne

Profit-Share Auctions in Procurement
Sander Onderstal — University of Amsterdam

Public and Social Service Provision

Room: **EO 162** | Chair: Kan Kuno

Provider Density and Quality in German Home Health Care
Annika Herr — Leibniz University Hannover

Labor Market Effects of Private Provider Entry in Social and Health Services
Markku Siikanen — VATT Institute for Economic Research

Daycare Matching with Siblings: Social Implementation and Welfare Evaluation
Kan Kuno — University of Tokyo

Social Media and Content Platforms

Room: **O 151** | Chair: Kenichi Kurita

Contestability and the Optimal Regulation of Social Media Platforms
Carl-Christian Groh — University of Bonn

Algorithmic Attention and Content Creation on Social Media Platforms
Marcel Preuss — Cornell University

Platform Competition and the Erosion of Creator Royalties in NFT Marketplaces
Kenichi Kurita — Kyushu University

Theory of Innovation

Room: **O 133** | Chair: Francisco Poggi

Technological Openness, Variety, and Consumer Participation
Anton-Giulio Manganelli — EADA Business School

Moon-Shot versus Incremental: Innovation, Competition, and Product Ranges
Johannes Schneider — JKU Linz

Selling (Un)finished Products
Francisco Poggi — University of Mannheim

Two-Sided Platform Pricing

Room: **O 148** | Chair: Bo Hu

Pricing and investment by a two-sided monopoly platform
Long Hoàng — Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

Platform Governance and Information Disclosure in Markets with Add-Ons
She Huixin — Toulouse School of Economics

From Cash to Buy-Now-Pay-Later: How Platform Credit Shapes Market Allocation
Bo Hu — Fudan University

Vertical Restraints and Foreclosure

Room: **EO 165** | Chair: Jerome Pouyet

Resale Price Maintenance and Consumer Search
Yang Yang — Tsinghua University

Demand-Investment in Distribution Channels
Dongsoo Shin — Santa Clara University

Screening Contracts as a Barrier to Entry
Jerome Pouyet — ESSEC

12:45 CEST PANEL SESSION I

MaCCI/EPoS Fireside Talk “The New Draft EU Merger Guidelines: Key Changes and the Role of Economic Research

Room: **SN 169** | **Chair: Martin Peitz**

Speakers:
Otto Toivanen — Aalto University
Hans Zenger — European Commission

13:45 CEST INVITED SESSION IV

Resource Markets

Room: **SN 163** | Chair: Ulrich Wagner

Conservation Policy with Political Resistance
Allan Hsiao — Stanford University

Critical Minerals, Geopolitics, and the Green Transition
Tomas Dominguez-Iino — University of Chicago Booth School of Business

13:45 CEST PARALLEL SESSIONS V

Abuse of Dominance in Digital Platforms

Room: **EO 150** | Chair: Erion Shtjefanaku

Platform tying and its effects
Massimo Motta — Icrea-UPF & Barcelona School of Economics

Too Little, Too Late? Antitrust Remedies in the Google Shopping Case
Adrián Moreno María — Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Modeling Abuses of Dominance in Digital Platform Ecosystems: Tying and Data Exploitation
Erion Shtjefanaku — Solve Economics

Algorithms and Measurement in Digital Markets

Room: **EO 154** | Chair: Eric de Bodt

Market Power and Self Steering in Two Sided Platforms
Moein Nili Ahmadabadi — Stockholm School of Economics

Algorithmic Repricers in Experimental Marketplaces
Adrian Hillenbrand — ZEW Mannheim

An improved text-based industry peer-firm identification algorithm
Eric de Bodt — Norwegian School of Economics (NHH-Bergen)

Auction Format and Information Design

Room: **O 131** | Chair: Pasha Andreyanov

Front-Running in Ascending Auctions: The Case for a Random-Close Rule
Samuel Häfner — University of St. Gallen

Information Design and Entry in Auctions
Federico Innocenti — University of Konstanz

More Quality Criteria, Less Competition in Scoring Auctions
Pasha Andreyanov — HSE, Moscow

Collusion: Communication and Algorithms

Room: **O 135** | Chair: Lisa Bruttel

Consumer Boycotts and Collusion in a Laboratory Experiment
Marco Haan — University of Groningen

Artificial Intelligence and Collusion: Evidence from Large Language Models
Marek Giebel — Copenhagen Business School

Communication and Collusion in Oligopoly Experiments: A Meta-Study using Machine Learning
Lisa Bruttel — Uni Potsdam

Competition in Airline and Aircraft Markets

Room: **O 129** | Chair: Shizhe Yu

Industrial Policy and Competition: Equity Injections in the European Airline Industry
Jo Seldeslachts — KU Leuven & DIW Berlin

Beyond Price Effects: A Dynamic Structural Analysis of Airline Mergers with Endogenous Pricing and Flight Frequency
Chen Zhang — University of California, Irvine

The Asymmetric Effects of Trade Policy: Airbus and Boeing
Shizhe Yu — University of Wisconsin-Madison

Grocery Retail: Prices and Margins

Room: **O 151** | Chair: Nanxi Fu

Retail Margins and Grocery Inflation
Aljoscha Janssen — Singapore Management University

The Role of Store Assortment on Fresh Produce Consumption
Nanxi Fu — University of Toronto

Industry Studies: Frictions and Intermediation

Room: **EO 159** | Chair: Nir Shlomo Yoseph

Concentration, Organizational Form, and Technology Adoption: Evidence from the U.S. Dialysis Market
Sara Trabetti — Fideres

Economies of Density and Congestion in Equipment Rental Markets
Hester Zhang — IESE Business School

The Role of Intermediaries in Durable Goods Markets: Evidence from the Used Car Market
Nir Shlomo Yoseph — Bar-Ilan University

Labor Market Power and Monopsony

Room: **EO 165** | Chair: Timothy Richards

Monopsony and Backloaded Compensation: Theory and Evidence from Public Accountants
Bernardo Silveira — UCLA

Employment relationships, wage setting, and labor market power
Leonard Treuren — KU Leuven

Concentration and Wages
Timothy Richards — Arizona State University

Product Differentiation and Quality

Room: **O 148** | Chair: Andreea Cosnita-Langlais

A Unified Linear Model of Product Differentiation
Armin Schmutzler — University of Zurich, Department of Economics

Signaling premium quality with a basic version: discount, delist, or degrade
Joao Montez — University of Lausanne
Product Liability Matters for Product Differentiation

Andreea Cosnita-Langlais — University Paris Nanterre

R&D Subsidies and Innovation Grants

Room: **EO 162** | Chair: Roger Svensson

The Misuse of China's R&D Subsidies: Noncompliance and Its Impact on Policy Effectiveness
Bettina Peters — ZEW - Leibniz Centre for European Economic Research

To repeat or not to repeat R&D grants to firms: That is the question?
Alexander Ehrlich — ZEW & TU Munich

Do Innovation Loans Foster Firm Growth? Evidence from First-Time vs. Repeat Public Support
Roger Svensson — Research Institue of Industrial Economics

Regulatory Enforcement and Transparency

Room: **O 145** | Chair: Keaton Miller

Perverse Effects of Imperfectly Enforced Price Controls
Boris Knapp — Corvinus University of Budapest

Tax evasion, exclusionary practices, and competition policy
Martin Besfamille — Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

Do Transparency Laws Reduce Higher Education Foundation Assets?
Keaton Miller — University of Oregon

Search and Pricing under Uncertainty

Room: **EO 145** | Chair: Yves Gueron

General Search for Prices
Atabek Atayev — ZEW, Mannheim

Optimal Delegated Search with Hidden Information: Screening without Transfers
Elnaz Bajoori — University of Bath

Robust Uniform Pricing
Yves Gueron — Seoul National University

Startups and Entrepreneurial Ecosystems

Room: **O 133** | Chair: Axel Gautier

Silicon Valley Everywhere? Startup Accelerators and the Geography of Entrepreneurship
Mohaddeseh Heydari Nejad — Indiana University

Not All Kill Zones Are Created Equal: Innovation Type and the Limits of Preemptive Acquisitions
Alessandro Genovese — University of Palermo

Talent Acquisition and Technology Leadership: A Study of Digital Platforms
Axel Gautier — University of Liege

Storage and Capacity in Energy Markets

Room: **O 142** | Chair: David Ronayne

Storage, interconnection and arbitrage
Michael Waterson — University of Warwick

Competition through storage
Raffaele Fiocco — University of Bergamo

Little and Large: Capacity Choices in Uniform-Price Auctions
David Ronayne — ESMT Berlin

Vertical Contracts and Supply Chains

Room: **EO 157** | Chair: Adil Boufarsi

Supply Chain Frictions: The Interaction between Feasibility and Incentive Constraints in Vertical Relations
Ernst-Ludwig von Thadden — Universitaet Mannheim

Secret Wholesale Contracts in Source-to-Stock Markets and the Role of Buybacks
Germain GAUDIN — University of Freiburg

Credit Constraints in Vertical Relations: Insights from Public Support for Secondary Markets
Adil Boufarsi — Université Grenoble Alpes, INRAE, UMR GAEL

15:45 CEST KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Room: **Aula** | **Chair: Patrick Rey**

Personalization and Competition

Jidong Zhou **- Yale University**

Award Presentation: YEEA AWARDS

19:00 CEST Conference Dinner in Luisenpark

Join us for the Conference Dinner at the Baumhainhalle in Luisenpark, one of Germany's most beautiful urban parks and a true Mannheim landmark. Surrounded by gardens, ponds, and greenery, the evening offers a relaxed setting to enjoy good food and conversation with fellow participants.

Participants are welcome to enter Luisenpark from 18:00 onwards and explore the park before the dinner. A sparkling wine reception will begin at 19:00, followed by a buffet dinner at 19:30. The event will conclude at 22:00.

Friday 28 August

09:00 CEST INVITED SESSION V

Mergers / Retail Markets

Room: **SN 163** | Chair: Christine Zulehner

A Large-Scale Evaluation of Merger Simulations
Vivek Bhattacharya — Northwestern University

Milking the demand curve: consumer and firm behavior in inflationary times
Alon Eizenberg — The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

09:00 CEST PARALLEL SESSIONS VI

Artificial Intelligence, Productivity, and Firm Performance

Room: **O 131** | Chair: Mahdiyeh Entezarkheir

Do technological capabilities and vertical chain collaboration foster AI adoption in firms?
Elene Esiava — Maastricht University, School of Business and Economics

Artificial Intelligence and Firm-Level Productivity: Early Evidence from a Small Open Economy
Iulia Siedschlag — Economic and Social Research Institute

AI-Oriented Innovation, Productivity, and Market Structure: Evidence from U.S. Firms
Mahdiyeh Entezarkheir — Huron at Western University

Below-Cost Pricing and Price Guarantees

Room: **EO 165** | Chair: Chenchen Huang

The Empirical Analysis of Predatory Pricing Aspects of Loss Leading
Boyoung Seo — Indiana University

Never Knowingly Undersold: Do Low Price Guarantees Result in Lower Prices?
Rhys Williams — University of Cambridge

How do price commitments affect price competition and dispersion?
Chenchen Huang — Toulouse School of Economics

Cash, Cards, and Retail Banking

Room: **EO 159** | Chair: Robert Petrunia

An equilibrium model of card acceptance
Alejandro Zamora-Pérez — European Central Bank

Banking Competition and Access to Cash and Financial Services in Rural Canada
Robert Petrunia — Lakehead University

Data, Privacy, and Consent

Room: **EO 154** | Chair: Julia Krämer

Estimating the Value of Personal Data on Data Exchange Networks
Clara Jean — Grenoble Ecole de Management

Shadow profiling and privacy regulation
Eliza Stenzhorn — ZEW Mannheim

Preference Revelation under Design Frictions: Evidence from Cookie Consent Banners
Julia Krämer — Erasmus University Rotterdam

Dynamic Pricing and Oligopoly

Room: **O 142** | Chair: Philipp Schmidt-Dengler

Dynamic oligopoly: Dynamic pricing with Inventories
Konstantinos Valaskas — Foundation for Economic and Industrial Research

A Unified Framework for Dynamic Monopoly Pricing: Trading-Up
Stefan Buehler — University of St. Gallen

A Computable Dynamic Oligopoly Model of Capacity Investment
Philipp Schmidt-Dengler — University of Vienna

Identification in Auctions and Conduct

Room: **O 145** | Chair: Masato Nishiwaki

Auction Identification with Unobserved Rejected Offers
Aaron Barkley — University of Melbourne

Order Statistics as Finite Mixtures
Charles Hodgson — Yale University

Analyzing Collusion Using Set-Identified Marginal Cost Functions
Masato Nishiwaki — University of Osaka

Mergers and Innovation Dynamics

Room: **EO 150** | Chair: Michele Polo

Competition Policy and Productivity Dynamics
David Rahman — University of Minnesota

Conglomerate mergers and the dynamics of innovation
Patrick Rey — Toulouse School of Economics

Dominant Ecosystems and Innovation Slowdown
Michele Polo — Bocconi University

Patent Litigation and Disclosure

Room: **EO 157** | Chair: Tommaso Alba

When the Patent Quid Pro Quo is Distorted: Protection-Disclosure Imbalance and Follow-on Innovation
Marek Giebel — Copenhagen Business School

Forum Shopping and Forum Selling in German Patent Litigation: A Quantitative Analysis
Alexander Morell — Goethe-University Frankfurt

A Tale of Trolls and Fees: The Role of Fee-Shifting in Patent Litigation
Tommaso Alba — KU Leuven

Pharmaceutical Procurement and Input Markets

Room: **O 135** | Chair: Connie Xu

Pills to Potatoes: Trading off Price and Quality in China's Volume-Based Procurement
Ziwei Wang — University of Toronto

Cutting Out the Middlemen: Evaluating the Impact of Mark Cuban's Cost Plus Drug Company on Pharmaceutical Pricing
Jingwei Li — Singapore Management University

Scientific Input Costs and Budgetary Constraints in University Life Sciences Research
Connie Xu — Harvard University

Platform Theory

Room: **EO 145** | Chair: Markus Reisinger

Platform design and product quality
Berno Buechel — University of Fribourg

The paradox of platform recommendations: Harmful in markets they are needed most
Armando Jose Garcia Pires — Centre for Applied Research at NHH (SNF)/Norwegian

Selling on Recommender Platforms: Demand Boost versus Customer Migration
Markus Reisinger — Frankfurt School of Finance & Management

Production Function Identification

Room: **EO 162** | Chair: Joonkyo Hong

Firm-level productivity and demand shocks in imperfectly competitive labor markets: implications for wage dynamics
Micole De Vera — Banco de España

Assignment at the Frontier: Identifying the Frontier Structural Function and Bounding Mean Deviations
David Genesove — Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Factor-Biased Efficiency Gains from Exporting: Evidence from Colombia
Joonkyo Hong — National Taiwan University

Quality Signaling and Online Ratings

Room: **O 133** | Chair: André Stenzel

Harvesting Ratings
Johannes Johnen — CORE/LIDAM, UCLouvain

Signal Jamming and Cournot-Bertrand Comparison
Junichi Haraguchi — Kanagawa University

Designing Vertical Differentiation with Information
André Stenzel — Universidad de los Andes, Chile

Trade Policy and Supply Chains

Room: **O 129** | Chair: Junji Xiao

Mergers and the Demand for Protectionism
Felix Montag — NYU Stern

Strategic Investment in Supply Chain Resilience under Geopolitical Interference: Theory and Policy Implications
Rune Stenbacka — Hanken School of Economics

Local Content Requirements and Auto Parts Imports of China
Junji Xiao — Lingnan University

Vertical and Hub-and-Spoke Cartels

Room: **O 148** | Chair: Niklas Nagel

When Wholesalers Join the Cartel: Prices, Markups, and Rent Sharing
Bruno Amat — UW-Madison

Hub-and-Spoke Collusion with Differentiated Spokes: Evidence from an automotive fuel cartel
Daniel Chaves — University of Western Ontario

Cartels in Complementary Goods Markets: Theory and Evidence
Niklas Nagel — University of Freiburg

Wholesale Electricity Markets

Room: **O 151** | Chair: Carlos Daniel Santos

📄 Strategic Rebidding Under Averaged Pricing: Evidence from the Australian National Electricity Market
Wan-Chiao Chang — University of British Columbia

📄 The Competitive Effects of Vertical Integration Under Incomplete Hedging
Keisuke Ito — University of Chicago

📄 The Value of Interconnection
Carlos Daniel Santos — Lisbon School of Economics and Management

11:00 CEST PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

Room: **Aula** | **Chair: Mark Armstrong**

Bank deposit pricing in the euro area

***Alessandro Gavazza* – London School of Economics**

12:45 CEST PANEL SESSION II

Doing IO at a Major Antitrust/Regulation Consulting Firm

Room: **SN 169** | Chair: Lawrence J. White

Speakers:
Pauline Affeldt — RBB Economics
Christian Michel — CRA
Erika Pini — Oxera
Nikita Roketskiy — Cornerstone

13:45 CEST INVITED SESSION VI

AI / Pricing (Sponsored by Econic Partners)

Room: **SN 163** | Chair: Irene Bertscheck

📄 Algorithmic Pricing, Price Wars and Tacit Collusion: Evidence from E-Commerce
Leon Musolff — Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania

📄 Calibrated Learning in Bayesian Games and the Limits of Algorithmic Collusion
Martino Banchio — Bocconi University

13:45 CEST PARALLEL SESSIONS VII

Algorithmic Pricing and Collusion
Room: **O 129** | Chair: Lindsay Robinson

Artificial Intelligence, algorithmic pricing, and predatory behavior
Nickolas Batista — Universidade de São Paulo

Algorithmic Bidding in Electricity Auctions
Paul Püplichhuisen — Düsseldorf Institute for Commpetition Economics

Autonomous Algorithmic Collusion: Efficient Learning with Q-Function Approximation
Lindsay Robinson — University of Melbourne

App Stores and Platform Commissions
Room: **EO 165** | Chair: Ambre Elsas-Nicolle

App Store Competition
Leonardo Madio — University of Padua

Cross-Platform Entry Effects of Commission Rates: Evidence from Mobile Applications in China
Xuan Teng — Ludwig-Maximilian University of Munich

Competition-as-a-Service: How subscription bundles reshape platform competition and seller performance
Ambre Elsas-Nicolle — Mines Paris - PSL

Assessing Merger Effects
Room: **O 145** | Chair: Luise Eisfeld

Product Networks and the Competitive Effects of Acquisitions
Mario Leccese — Boston University

Mergers in Vertical Markets with Complementary Inputs
Elpiniki Bakaouka — University of the Balearic Islands

When the Merger is Reviewed by Consumers: Stealth Acquisitions and Online Ratings
Luise Eisfeld — University of Lausanne and Swiss Finance Institute

Cartel Networks, Stability and Damages
Room: **EO 157** | Chair: Sebastian Schröter

When Cartels Strike Again: How Repeated Anticompetitive Behavior Shapes Productivity
Panagiotis Fotis —

Anatomy of a Fall: an Empirical Analysis of Corporate Cartel Networks Stability
Florian Thierry-Coudon — CRED - Paris Research Center for Law and Economics

Revenue-based Damage Presumptions and Cartel Stability
Sebastian Schröter — University of Bayreuth

Common Ownership and Corporate Control

Room: **EO 150** | Chair: Ricardo Ribeiro

What do we know about partial ownership
Yossi Spiegel — Tel Aviv University

Buying Leaders: Acquisitions, Non-Compete Agreements, and the Mobility of Founders and Executives
Ginger Jin — Boston University

Estimating Oligopoly with Shareholder Voting Models
Ricardo Ribeiro — Católica Porto Business School

Demand Estimation Methods

Room: **O 151** | Chair: Guido Deiana

Inference for Average Functionals in Regularized Nonparametric Random Coefficients Logit Models
Maximilian Osterhaus — University of Groningen

Demand estimation without outside good shares
Linqi Zhang — The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Demand Estimation with Market-Share Rankings
Guido Deiana — New York University

Emissions Pricing and Permit Markets

Room: **O 148** | Chair: Tom Brinker

Pollution Pricing in Equilibrium: Production, Reallocation, and Aggregate Impacts
R. Andrew Butters — Kelley School of Business, Indiana University

Optimal Emissions Permits in Oligopolistic Markets
Ting Liu — Stony Brook University

Emissions Trading with Supply Adjustment Mechanisms and Market Power
Tom Brinker — University of Cologne

Incentives and Contracts in Oligopoly

Room: **EO 145** | Chair: Jean-Christophe Poudou

Allocation, entry, and welfare in successive oligopoly
David Rietzke — Lancaster University

Designing Managerial Incentives in Competitive Markets
Juan Sebastián Ivars — University of the Balearic Islands

Optimal Contracts under Moral Hazard, Adverse Selection and Limited Liability
Jean-Christophe Poudou — University of Montpellier, MRE, MUSE

Innovation and Bargaining in Health Care

Room: **O 133** | Chair: Anastasiia Evdokimova

Old but Gold: Population Ageing and Innovation Incentives
Maria Luisa Mancusi — Università Cattolica (Milano)

Capacity Constraints & Interdependent Bargaining in Health Care Markets
Daniel Ludwinski — Emory University

Forward-Looking Adoption under Policy Uncertainty: Evidence from Healthcare
Anastasiia Evdokimova — Yale University

Innovation Investment and Growth

Room: **O 131** | Chair: Gilad Sorek

Beyond the short run: monetary policy and innovation investment
Tobias Schmidt — Deutsche Bundesbank

How Subsidies Shape Innovation: The Dual Role of Quality and Market-Research in a Dynamic Real-Options Model
Thomas Gehrig — University of Vienna

Learning by Doing and Schumpeterian Growth Cycles
Gilad Sorek — Auburn University

Intermediaries and Parity Clauses

Room: **EO 162** | Chair: Filipa Mota

Competing Multiproduct Intermediaries
Yusuke Zennyo — Kobe University

Design and sale of market segments
Stefan Terstiege — Maastricht University

The Competitive Effects of Platform Most-Favored-Nation Clauses on Price and Quality
Filipa Mota — Católica Porto Business School

Personalized and Nonlinear Pricing

Room: **O 142** | Chair: Gregory Sun

When personalized pricing harms adjacent markets: Implications for Article 102 TFEU
Noriaki Matsushima — University of Osaka

Personalized Pricing and the Value of Past Purchase Histories: An Empirical Perspective
Isis Durrmeyer — Toulouse School of Economics

Salience and (Non-)Buyer's Remorse: Optimal Nonlinear Pricing with Cognitively Constrained Consumers
Gregory Sun — Washington University in St Louis

Regulation under Asymmetric Information

Room: **EO 154** | Chair: Jacopo Gambato

Optimal Carbon Leakage
Topi Hokkanen — University of Helsinki

Costly Corporate Tax Credits and Intangibles
Fabio Antoniou — Athens University of Economics and Business

Regulatory Capacity and Hard-to-Enforce Requirements
Jacopo Gambato — University of Vienna

Retail Gasoline Markets

Room: **O 135** | Chair: Charon Jiawei Yang

Dynamic Demand in Retail Gasoline Markets
David Byrne — University of Melbourne

Gasoline demand under the Microscope: Evidence from transaction-level data
Ritvana Rrukaj — Norwegian University of Life Sciences

Apps Matter: Search Dynamics and Platform Design
Charon Jiawei Yang — University of Melbourne

Trade and Oligopoly

Room: **EO 159** | Chair: Alejandro Sabal

Entry, differentiation and trade: the case of asymmetric industries
Sébastien MITRAILLE — Institut Mines-Télécom Business School

Gravity with Granularity
Nicolas Schutz — University of Mannheim

Product Entry in the Global Automobile Industry
Alejandro Sabal — Yale University

15:45 CEST PARALLEL SESSIONS VIII

Banking and Fintech

Room: **O 131** | Chair: Jun Honda

Collateral, Information and Welfare: Implications for Open Banking
Anastasios Dosis — ESSEC

Value Migration and Defense Strategies
Gaston Llanes

Hiding in Good Times, Caught in Bad: Strategic Masking and the Delayed Detection of Financial Adviser Misconduct
Jun Honda — Shinshu University

Behavioral and Experimental Approaches to Auction

Room: **EO 145**| Chair: Marion Ott

Round Bidding in Auctions
Adriaan Soetevent — University of Groningen

Bid heterogeneity and the winner's curse in multi-unit auctions
Marion Ott — ZEW Mannheim & JLU Giessen

Competition, Networks, and Innovation

Room: **EO 150** | Chair: Bernhard Ganglmair

Vertical Mergers and Innovation: Evidence from Supply Chain Relationships
Aline Mohr — Düsseldorf Institute for Competition Economics

Interlocking Directorates, Innovation, and the Flow of Ideas
Mirko De Maria — Imperial College London

Competition and the Strategic Disclosure of Innovation: Theory and Evidence from Patent Applications
Bernhard Ganglmair — University of Mannheim

Cost Pass-Through and Pricing

Room: **EO 157** | Chair: Jonas von Wangenheim

Competition and pass-through of market-wide cost changes under convex costs
Bertram Neurohr — Oxera Consulting LLP

Pass-Through, Quality Adjustment, and Imperfect Competition
Takanori Adachi — Kyoto University

Price Discrimination in Search Markets: The Role of Consumer Awareness
Jonas von Wangenheim — University of Bonn

Detecting and Deterring Collusion

Room**: O 151** | Chair: Hisayuki Yoshimoto

Collusion without Patience
Jacopo Bizzotto — Oslo Metropolitan University

When tougher punishment leads to a more severe crime: an application to antitrust enforcement
Ola Kvaløy — University of Stavanger School of Business and Law

Auditing Collusion in Public Procurement: An Empirical Study
Hisayuki Yoshimoto — University of Glasgow

Digitalization and Productivity

Room: **EO 162** | Chair: Maria Garcia-Vega

The Impact of Digitalization on Price Dynamics
Yanfitri Pakpahan — University of Nottingham

Firms' digitalisation and TFP performance for Spanish manufacturing
Dolores Añón — Universitat de València

Automation and outsourced employment
Maria Garcia-Vega — University of Nottingham

Lock-in and Exclusionary Conduct

Room: **O 142** | Chair: Michelle Sovinsky

The welfare effects of aftermarket power with heterogeneous consumers and network effects
Nicolas Pasquier — GAEL

"Walled Gardens'': Exclusive Complementarity and Consumer Lock-in in Multiproduct Oligopoly Markets
Shiyun Xia — Tianjin University

Incapacitating the Competition: The Impact of Vertical Restraints on Technology Adoption
Michelle Sovinsky — Univ of Mannheim

Merger Remedies and Screening

Room: **EO 159** | Chair: Francisco Espinosa

The Welfare Effects of Structural Remedies
Oscar Jara — Norwegian School of Economics

Entry-Facilitating Merger Remedies: Evidence from the Fiat-Peugeot Merger in Chile
Jose Manuel Paz y Miño — Universidad de Chile

A "Local Markets Lab": Are our merger screens doing what we think they're doing?
Francisco Espinosa — Econic Partners

Organizational Economics

Room: **O 135** | Chair: Maxim Senkov

Hierarchies: New Facts from Administrative HR Data
Felipe Aldunate — ESE Business School, Universidad de los Andes

The Bright Side of Peter-Principle Promotions
Takeharu Sogo — SKEMA Business School

Optimal Committee Design under State-Asymmetric Signal Precision
Maxim Senkov — Universitat de Barcelona

Pharmaceutical Pricing and Prescribing

Room**: O 148** | Chair: Shalvi Harshad Thakur

Universal Subsidies in Pharmaceutical Markets: Lessons from Poland’s Drugs 75+ Policy
Gosia Majewska — ESSEC Business School

Breaking Bad Opioid Sorting
Han Ng — Institute of Economics, Academia Sinica

Who Drives High Medicine Costs? Decomposing Physician and Patient Effects on Prescription Prices in India
Shalvi Harshad Thakur — Erasmus University Rotterdam

Platform Price Discrimination

Room: **O 145** | Chair: Jing Su

A model of sharing economy platforms and adjacent markets
J. Manuel Sánchez-Cartas — Universidad Complutense de Madrid

Behavior-Based Price Discrimination with Endogenous Learning in a Repeated Hotelling Model
Semih Karaorman — Universität Bremen

Consumer Fairness Concerns and Price Discrimination of Two-Sided Platforms
Jing Su — Université catholique de Louvain

Pricing under Demand Uncertainty

Room**: O 129** | Chair: Andras Niedermayer

Centralized or Decentralized Retail Pricing Strategy
Claire CHAMBOLLE — INRAE

Lower Prices with Less Price Comparison?
Atharwa Deshmukh — University of St.Gallen

Rational panic purchases are caused by low and uncertain future prices
Andras Niedermayer — CY Cergy Paris Université

Renewables and Capacity in Power Markets

Room**: O 133** | Chair: Par Holmberg

Subsidizing Close Substitutes: The Impact of Electricity Tax Exemption on Solar Panel Adoption in Brazil
Thiago Rodrigues — ICCT Brasil

Who Bears the Risk of Extreme Weather? Capacity Allocation in U.S. Natural Gas Pipelines
Yanyou Chen — University of Toronto

Long-run Equilibrium Effects of Variable Renewable Energy
Par Holmberg — IFN

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