



Midwest Macro Meetings, Fall 2018

Conference schedule

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2nd

12:00pm	Registration, Wilson Hall, Lobby	
1:00pm-2:30pm	Sessions 1-5, Godchaux Annex (refreshments to follow in Wilson lobby)	
3:10pm-4:40pm	Sessions 6-13, Wilson Hall	
4:45pm-6:00pm	Plenary speaker	
	"Macroeconomic Development and Micro Evaluations" Joseph Kaboski, University of Notre Dame Wilson Hall, Room 103	
6:15pm	Conference Reception, Wilson Hall, Lobby	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd

	8:00am-9:00am	Continental Breakfast, Wilson Hall, Lobby		
	9:00am-10:30am	Sessions 14-21, Wilson Hall (refreshments to follow)		
	11:00am-12:30pm	Sessions 22-29, Wilson Hall		
	12:30pm-1:30pm	Lunch, Wilson Hall, Lobby		
	1:30pm-3:00pm	Sessions 30-37, Wilson Hall (refreshments to follow)		
	3:30pm-5:00pm	Sessions 38-45, Wilson Hall		
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		"Measurement Behind Theory" Ellen McGrattan, University of Minnesota Wilson Hall, Room 103		
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11:00am-12:30pm	Sessions 54-59, Wilson Hall
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Monetary policy

Friday, 1:00pm to 2:30pm, Godchaux 167, Chair: Stephen Cole

- Level-k DSGE and Monetary Policy, *Zhesheng Qiu, City University of Hong Kong*
- Heterogeneity in Individual Expectations, Optimism/Pessimism, and Constant-Gain Learning, Stephen Cole, Marquette University
- Assessing the international comovement of equity returns, *Girum Abate, World Bank*

Income risk

Friday, 1:00pm to 2:30pm, Godchaux 166, Chair: Penghui Yin

- The Consumption Response to Tail Earnings Shocks, *Rocio Madera, Southern Methodist University*
- Cyclical Labor Income Risk, *Makoto Nakajima, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia*
- The optimal amount of attention to capital income risk, *Penghui Yin, Goethe University Frankfurt*

Labor policy

Friday, 1:00pm to 2:30pm, Godchaux 165, Chair: Remzi Kaygusuz

- Eligibility, Experience Rating, and Unemployment Insurance Take-up, *David Fuller, University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh*
- The Macroeconomic Effects of Employment Protection on Human Capital and Jobs, Joaquin Garcia-Cabo, University of Minnesota
- Child-Related Transfers, Household Labor Supply and Welfare, *Remzi Kaygusuz,* Sabanci University

Misallocation

Friday, 1:00pm to 2:30pm, Godchaux 162, Chair: Roberto Samaniego

- Misallocation or Misspecification? The Effect of "Average" Distortions on TFP Gains Estimations, *Juan Wasiuk, Banco Central de Chile*
- Securitization and Resource Misallocation in a Private Information Model, *Pamela Labadie, George Washington University*
- Uncertainty and Misallocation, *Roberto Samaniego, George Washington University*



Midwest Macro Meetings



Banking

Friday, 1:00pm to 2:30pm, Godchaux 164, Chair: *Tong Xu*

- Interbank Network Disruptions and the Real Economy, *Dasha Safonova, U.S. Securities* and Exchange Commission
- Public Liquidity, Bank Runs, and Financial Crises, Wenhao Li, Stanford University
- A Model of Bank Credit Cycles, Tong Xu, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics

Monetary policy

Friday, 3:10pm to 4:40pm, Wilson 112, Chair: Sanjay Singh

- Welfare Enhancing Reserve Pooling in the Presence of Competitive Hoarding, Dongwon Lee, University of California, Riverside
- Reverse Quantitative Easing: What are the macroeconomic consequences of shrinking the Federal Reserve's balance sheet? *Kyle Rechard, Clemson University*
- Understanding Persistent Stagnation, Sanjay Singh, University of California, Davis

Fiscal policy

Friday, 3:10pm to 4:40pm, Wilson 113, Chair: Nam Vu

- Sectoral Heterogeneity, Production Networks, and the Effects of Government Spending, Omar Rachedi, Banco de España
- Money-Financed Fiscal Stimulus: The Effects of Implementation Lag, *Takayuki Tsuruga, Osaka Unviersity*
- Fiscal Stimulus, Forward Monetary Guidance, and the Liquidity Trap: Implications for State-Dependent Government Spending Multiplier, Nam Vu, Miami University

Firm dynamics

Friday, 3:10pm to 4:40pm, Wilson 115, Chair: Wyatt Brooks

- Economies of Scale and International Business Cycles, *Daisoon Kim, University of Washington & London Business School*
- Entry Decision, Option Value of Delay and Business Cycles, *Ia Vardishvili, University of Virginia*
- Bringing Data to the Model: Firm-to-Firm Learning in a Structural Model, *Wyatt Brooks, University of Notre Dame*



Fiscal policy

Friday, 3:10pm to 4:40pm, Wilson 121, Chair: *Hewei Shen*

- The Failure of Fiscal Policy and Japan's Lost Decades: The Role of Household Expectations, *Geeta Garg, Indiana University*
- Understanding Why Fiscal Stimulus Can Fail through the Lens of the Survey of Professional Forecasters, *Hyeongwoo Kim, Auburn University*
- Fiscal Commitment and Sovereign Default Risk, *Hewei Shen, University of Oklahoma*

Inflation

Friday, 3:10pm to 4:40pm, Wilson 122, Chair: Tomohiro Tsuruga

- Understanding de-anchoring of inflation expectations. Evidence from Chile, *Michael Pedersen, Central Bank of Chile*
- Missing Wage Inflation? Estimating the Natural Rate of Unemployment in a Nonlinear DSGE Model, *Mototsugu Shintani, University of Tokyo*
- Central Bank Communication on Inflation Target: The Value of Public Information under Unknown Priors, *Tomohiro Tsuruga, Bank of Japan*

Political economy

Friday, 3:10pm to 4:40pm, Wilson 127, Chair: Santanu Chatterjee

- A Three-Party Game of Institutional Resilience versus Transition: A Model and Comparative History of China-Japan Revisited, *Masaki Nakabayashi, The University of Tokyo*
- Connecting to Power: Political Connections, Innovation, and Firm Dynamics, *Salome* Baslandze, EIEF Einaudi Institute for Economics and Finance
- Delays in Public Goods, Santanu Chatterjee, University of Georgia

Sovereign debt

Friday, 3:10pm to 4:40pm, Wilson 129, Chair: Hyungseok Joo

- The Ultralong Sovereign Default Risk, Radek Paluszynski, University of Houston
- Government Debt Maturity Structure, Fiscal Policy, and Default, Sergii Kiiashko, National Bank of Ukraine, Kyiv School of Economics
- Sovereign Debt Overhang, Expenditure Portfolio, and Debt Restructurings, *Hyungseok Joo, Wayne State University*



Wage rigidity

Friday, 3:10pm to 4:40pm, Wilson 120, Chair: Jean-François Rouillard

- Minimum Wage and Occupational Mobility, Yizhou Liu, UC, Santa Barbara
- New Evidence on Cyclical Variation in Labor Costs, *Grace GU, UC Santa Cruz*
- Credit crunch and downward nominal wage rigidities, *Jean-François Rouillard,* Université de Sherbrooke

Monetary policy

Saturday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 112, Chair: Xu Zhang

- When and Why Can Forward Guidance De-anchor Expectations?, *Georg Strasser, European Central Bank*
- Optimal Central Bank Forward Guidance, Eunmi Ko, University of Rochester
- Evaluating the Effects of Forward Guidance and Large-scale Asset Purchases, Xu
 Zhang, University of California, San Diego

Inequality

Saturday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 113, Chair: Siddhartha Sanghi

- How Important Is Health Inequality for Lifetime Earnings Inequality?, Kai Zhao, University of Connecticut
- Health Disparities and the Socioeconomic Gradient in Elderly Life-Cycle Consumption, *Neha Bairoliya, University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
- Health Inequality: Role of Insurance and Technological Progress, Siddhartha Sanghi, Washington University in St. Louis

Housing

Saturday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 115, Chair: Greg Howard

- The Housing Market, Financial Shocks, and Spillovers, Ayse Sapci, Utah State University
- Housing Boom and Non-housing Consumption: Evidence from Urban Households in China, *Dong Cheng, Union College*
- The Geography Channel of House Price Appreciation, Greg Howard, University of Illinois



Computation

Saturday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 121, Chair: Tyler Atkinson

- Automated Solution of Heterogeneous Agent Models, *David Childers, Carnegie Mellon* University
- Generalized Endogenous Grid Method for Models with a Default Option, *Youngsoo Jang,* Shanghai University of Finance and Economics
- The Accuracy of Linear and Nonlinear Estimation in the Presence of the Zero Lower Bound, *Tyler Atkinson, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas*

Migration

Saturday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 122, Chair: Marius Bickmann

- Labor demand response to labor supply incentives: Evidence from the German Mini-Job reform, *Gabriela Galassi, Bank of Canada*
- The Distributional Implications of Migration: An Open-Economy Analysis of Germany and Poland, *Marius Bickmann, TUDortmund*

Supply chains

Saturday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 127, Chair: Wataru Miyamoto

- Intermediate Goods and Exchange Rate Disconnect, William Craighead, Colorado College
- International Price System, Intermediate Inputs and Regional Trade, Nikhil Patel, BIS
- International Linkages and the Changing Nature of International Business Cycles, Wataru Miyamoto, University of Hong Kong

Inequality

Saturday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 129, Chair: Siqiang Yang

- Distributional Imbalances and the U.S. Business Cycle, *Nikolaos Charalampidis, University of California, Irvine*
- Household Portfolio Accounting, *Siqiang Yang, University of Pittsburgh*
- Best Time for College? Quantitative Evaluation of Life-cycle Higher Education Choices and Labor Income Inequality, *Guanyi Yang, Ohio State University*





Banking

Saturday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 120, Chair: *Tingting Zhu*

- Risk Pooling, Leverage Constraints, and the Business Cycle, Andrea Modena, Ca' Foscari University of Venice
- No Pain, No Gain. Multinational Banks in the Business Cycle, *Qingqing Cao, Michigan State University*
- Endogenous risk and credit contagion, *Tingting Zhu, Unversity of California, Davis*

Monetary policy

Saturday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 112, Chair: Willem Van Zandweghe

- Are supply curves convex? Implications for state-dependent responses to shocks, *Christoph Boehm, UT Austin*
- Government Spending during Sudden Stop Crises, *Siming Liu, Indiana University*
- Monetary Policy and Macroeconomic Stability Revisited, *Willem Van Zandweghe, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City*

Wage rigidity

Saturday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 113, Chair: Pritha Chaudhuri

- Optimal Monetary Policy with Skill Heterogeneity and Wage Rigidity, *Pritha Chaudhuri, Purdue University*
- Downward Nominal Wage Rigidity and Inflation Dynamics during and after the Great Recession, *Tomohide Mineyama*,
- On the Cyclicality of Real Wages and Employment: New Evidence and Stylized Facts from Performance Pay and Fixed Wage Jobs, *Christos Makridis, Massachusetts Institute of Technology*

Housing

Saturday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 115, Chair: Rory McGee

- Housing Boom, Mortgage Default and Agency Friction, *Desen Lin, University of Pennsylvania*
- Housing Finance, Boom-Bust Episodes, and Macroeconomic Fragility, Aaron Hedlund, University of Missouri
- Housing, Heterogeneity and Bequest Motives, Rory McGee, University College London/IFS



Credit constraints

Saturday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 121, Chair: Tiago Tavares

- Corporate debt composition and business cycles, *Jelena Zivanovic, Bank of Canada*
- Multiple Credit Constraints and Time-Varying Macroeconomic Dynamics, Marcus Ingholt, University of Copenhagen
- Investment Slumps during Financial Crises: The Role of Credit Constraints, *Tiago Tavares, CIE ITAM*

Demographics

Saturday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 122, Chair: Yongquan Cao

- Demographics and the European Divide, *Edwin Nusbaum, University of California, Santa Barbara*
- Demographics and Sectoral Reallocations: A Search Theory with ImmobileWorkers, *Simona Cociuba, University of Western Ontario*
- Demographic Uncertainties and Macroeconomic Cycles, Yongquan Cao, Indiana University

Inventories

Saturday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 127, Chair: Hsuan Yu

- Inflation, Debt, and Default, Sewon Hur, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland
- The Effect of Credit Crunch on Output Price Dynamics: The Corporate Inventory and Liquidity Management Channel, *Ryan Kim, Johns Hopkins University*
- The Behavior of Inventories and Marginal Cost under Rational Inattention, *Hsuan Yu, University of Maryland*

Tariffs and trade

Saturday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 129, Chair: AKM Morshed

- Why Containerization Did Not Reduce Ocean Trade Shipping Costs, *Benjamin Bridgman, U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis*
- How do Trade Frictions Differentially Impact Trade Outcomes? Lessons from the US Transportation Revolution, *James Harrison, United States Naval Academy*
- The Great Recession and Price Convergence Among United States Cities, AKM Morshed, Southern Illinois University Carbondale



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Human capital

Saturday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 120, Chair: Michal Horvath

- Income, Education and Democracy, *Luis Felipe Saenz, University of South Carolina*
- Human Capital and Development Accounting with Imperfect Skill Substitution, *Lutz* Hendricks, UNC Chapel Hill
- Redistribution and Human Capital Investment in a Heterogeneous-Agent Economy, Michal Horvath, University of York

Interwar macroeconomics

Saturday, 1:30pm to 3:00pm, Wilson 112, Chair: Margaret Jacobson

- Complications for the United States from International Credits: 1913 -1940, *George Hall, Brandeis University*
- The International Diffusion of the Automobile from 1913 to 1940, *Mario Crucini, Vanderbilt University*
- Recovery of 1933, Margaret Jacobson, Indiana University

Labor micro

Saturday, 1:30pm to 3:00pm, Wilson 113, Chair: Soojin Kim

- Elderly Care in an Aging Population and the Female Labor Markets, *Jue (Jessie) Wang, Furman University*
- Couples' Time-Use and Aggregate Outcomes: Evidence from a Structural Model, Monika Merz, University of Vienna
- Labor Market Screening and Social Insurance Program Design for the Disabled, *Soojin Kim, Purdue University*

Housing

Saturday, 1:30pm to 3:00pm, Wilson 115, Chair: Sanha Noh

- Propagation of Housing Market Disruptions during the Great Recession: Supply Chain Network Channel, Jay Hyun, Columbia University
- State-dependent Adjustment Cost and Labor Dynamics in Recessions: Evidence using FGTS Policy in Brazil, *Neville Francis, UNC Chapel Hill*
- House Price Uncertainty, Business Cycles, and Welfare, Sanha Noh, University of Missouri



Open economy macro

Saturday, 1:30pm to 3:00pm, Wilson 121, Chair: Yang Jiao

- The Monetary Policy Dilemma in Emerging Economies, Seunghoon Na, Purdue University
- Financial Crises, Bailouts and Monetary Policy in Open Economies, Yang Jiao, Dartmouth College and FISF, Fudan Unviersity
- Financial (in) stability in Chile, Ekaterina Kazakova, HSE

Open economy macro

Saturday, 1:30pm to 3:00pm, Wilson 122, Chair: Xiang Fang

- Monetary Policy in Sudden Stop-prone Economies, Louphou Coulibaly, University of Montreal
- The Information Content of Capital Controls, Owen Nie, University of Michigan
- Monetary Policy and Exchange Rate Puzzles: An Intermediary Perspective, Xiang Fang, University of Pennsylvania

Development

Saturday, 1:30pm to 3:00pm, Wilson 127, Chair: Jacob Short

- Transition and Inequality, *Haiyan Ding, Zhejiang University of Finance and Economics*
- Can Capital Deepening Explain the Global Decline in Labor's Share, *Jacob Short, Bank* of Canada

Tariffs and trade

Saturday, 1:30pm to 3:00pm, Wilson 129, Chair: Hakan Yilmazkuday

- Estimating the Impacts of Tariff Changes: Three Illustrative Scenarios, *Anthony Landry, Bank of Canada*
- Leaving NAFTA: Implications for Inequality, Andrea Waddle, University of Richmond
- Welfare Gains from Trade in Multi-Sector Models: The Role of Aggregation and Income Elasticities, Hakan Yilmazkuday, Florida International University



Forecasting

Saturday, 1:30pm to 3:00pm, Wilson 120, Chair: Taeyoung Doh

- Forecasting Recessions: A Hybrid Alternative to DSGE Models, *Marta Boczon, University of Pittsburgh*
- Combining Survey Long-Run Forecasts and Nowcasts with BVAR Forecasts Using Relative Entropy, Saeed Zaman, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland
- Reconciling VAR-based Forecasts with Survey Forecasts, *Taeyoung Doh, Economic Research Dept.*

Monetary

Saturday, 3:30pm to 5:00pm, Wilson 112, Chair: Riccardo DiCecio

- Discouraging Deviant Behavior in Macroeconomics, Lawrence Christiano, Northwestern University
- Persistence Dependence in Historical FOMC Fed Funds Rate Responses and the Great Inflation, *Randal Verbrugge, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland*
- Optimal Monetary Policy for the Masses, *Riccardo DiCecio, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis*

Labor market

Saturday, 3:30pm to 5:00pm, Wilson 113, Chair: Kevin Donovan

- Trade-Induced Job Turnover, Unemployment, and Allocative Efficiency: The Role of Demand Elasticity Adjustment, *Hamid Firooz, Pennsylvania State University*
- Assessing the Impact of Informal Sector Employment on Young Less-Educated Workers, *John Gibson, Georgia State University*
- Labor Market Flows and Development, *Kevin Donovan, Yale University*

Firm dynamics

Saturday, 3:30pm to 5:00pm, Wilson 115, Chair: *Gajendran Raveendranathan*

- Firm Entry, Excess Capacity and Endogenous Productivity, Anthony Savagar, University of Kent
- Bribery, Plant Size and Economic Development, Nazim Tamkoc, Arizona State University
- The Firm Dynamics of Business Cycles, *Gajendran Raveendranathan, McMaster University*





Sovereign debt

Saturday, 3:30pm to 5:00pm, Wilson 121, Chair: Nicolas Maeder

- A Quantitative Theory of Hard and Soft Sovereign Defaults, *Grey Gordon, FRB Richmond*
- Bank Pass-Through of Global Capital Flows, *Diogo Sampaio Lima, Indiana University Bloomington*
- Likelihood Estimation of a Nonlinear Economy: Identification of a Regime Switch in the Market for Sovereign Debt, *Nicolas Maeder, Vanderbilt University*

Uncertainty

Saturday, 3:30pm to 5:00pm, Wilson 122, Chair: Zhao Han

- Market-Based Monetary Policy Uncertainty, *Aeimit Lakdawala, Michigan State* University
- Deconstructing Uncertainty, Xiaohan Ma, Texas Tech University
- Low-frequency Fiscal Uncertainty, *Zhao Han, College of William and Mary*

Supply chains

Saturday, 3:30pm to 5:00pm, Wilson 127, Chair: Ping Wang

- Industrial Policy and Welfare in a Two-Sector-R&D Economy, *Gilad Sorek, Auburn University*
- Structural Change with Input-Output Linkage, Hang Hu, University of Melbourne
- Mismatch and Assimilation, *Ping Wang, Washington University in St. Louis*

Taxation

Saturday, 3:30pm to 5:00pm, Wilson 129, Chair: Herve Zeida

- Efficient wealth inequality and differential asset taxation with dynamic agency, Thomas Phelan, University of Minnesota
- Estate Taxation, Capital Income Taxation, Efficiency, and Wealth Inequality, *Shahar Rotberg, Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation and The University of Toronto*
- Optimal Business Income Taxation, Herve Zeida, Université de Montréal



Monetary policy

Saturday, 3:30pm to 5:00pm, Wilson 120, Chair: Matthias Meier

- Investment Shocks and Optimal Monetary Policy, *Daeha Cho, University of Melbourne*
- Why do Contractionary Monetary Policy shocks lower aggregate TFP?, *Matthias Meier, University of Mannheim*
- Communicating Monetary Policy Rules, Andrew Foerster, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco

Monetary policy

Sunday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 112, Chair: Pavel Chakraborty

- Taking Away the Punch Bowl: Monetary Policy and Financial Instability, *Kevin Sheedy, London School of Economics*
- A Monetary Business Cycle Model for India, *Parantap Basu, Durham University*
- Financial Crisis, Monetary Policy and Exports: Evidence from a Matched Firm-Bank Dataset, *Pavel Chakraborty, Lancaster University*

Labor micro

Sunday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 113, Chair: Fang Yang

- Nonlinear household earnings dynamics, self-insurance, and welfare, *Gonzalo Paz Pardo, University College London*
- Can the unemployed borrow? Implications for public insurance, *J. Carter Braxton, University of Minnesota*
- The effects of marriage-related taxes and Social Security benefits, *Fang Yang, Louisiana State University*

Life cycle

Sunday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 115, Chair: *Steven Lugauer*

- Heterogeneity, risk-sharing and policy in a life-cycle model, *Eungsik Kim, Carnegie Mellon University*
- Demographics, monetary policy, and the zero lower bound, *Michal Brzoza–Brzezina, Narodowy Bank Polski*
- Demographics and Monetary Policy Shocks, *Steven Lugauer, University of Kentucky*





Sovereign debt

Sunday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 121, Chair: Georgios Stefanidis

- Political Constraints And Sovereign Default Premia, Nirvana Mitra, Stony Brook University
- IMF Lending in Sovereign Default, *Georgios Stefanidis, York University*

Labor market

Sunday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 122, Chair: Minchul Yum

- Labor Market Dynamics under Technology Shocks: the Role of Subsistence Consumption, *Myungkyu Shim, Sogang University*
- Financial Crises and Labor Market Recoveries: A Bayesian Evaluation, *Shahed Khan, York University*
- Is Household Heterogeneity Important for Business Cycles?, Minchul Yum, University of Mannheim

Supply chains

Sunday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 127, Chair: Wenting Yu

- Forecast shock in production networks, Can Tian, University of North Carolina
- Cyclical Dynamics of Trade Credit with Production Networks, *Wukuang Cun, University* of Southern California
- A Tale of Many Cities: Industrial Networks and Urban Productivity, *Wenting Yu, Carnegie Mellon University*

Inequality

Sunday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 129, Chair: Kozo Ueda

- Monetary Policy and Inequality: How Does One Affect the Other?, *Eunseong Ma, Texas* A&MUniversity
- Wealth Accumulation, On the Job Search, and Inequality, *Gaston Chaumont, Pennsylvania State University*
- Reallocation Effects of Monetary Policy, *Kozo Ueda, Waseda University*



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Banking

Sunday, 9:00am to 10:30am, Wilson 120, Chair: Guillaume Sublet

- Bank Regulation and Monetary Policy Transmission: Evidence from the U.S. States
 Liberalization, *Matthew Schaffer, University of North Carolina Greensboro*
- Macroprudential and Monetary Policies with an Imperfectly Competitive Banking Sector, Nimrod Segev, Fordham University
- Optimal Macro-Prudential Policy, *Guillaume Sublet, University of Montreal*

Monetary policy

Sunday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 112, Chair: *Thibaut Duprey*

- A New Perspective on Identifying Monetary-Fiscal Policy Regimes -- A Sign-identified SVAR Approach, *Junjie Guo, Indiana University*
- How to Manage Macroeconomic and Financial Stability Risks: A New Framework, Thibaut Duprey, Bank of Canada
- Flexible Information Acquisition and Optimal Policy in Lemons Markets, *Seungjun Baek, Florida State University*

Inequality

Sunday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 127, Chair: David Enocksson

- Entrepreneurial Investment Dynamics And The Wealth Distribution, *Eugene Tan, Duke University*
- Innovate to Lead or Innovate to Prevail: When do Monopolistic Rents Induce Growth?, *Roberto Piazza, International Monetary Fund*
- Implications of Contract Provisions and Employment Compensation Strategies for Occupational Choice, *David Enocksson,*

Labor search

Sunday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 113, Chair: Niklas Engbom

- The Marginal Propensity to Hire, *Davide Melcangi, Federal Reserve Bank of New York*
- Dynamic Beveridge Curve Accounting, *Hie Joo Ahn, Federal Reserve Board*
- Application Cycles, *Niklas Engborn, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis*



Search

Sunday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 115, Chair: Seth Neumuller

- Accounting for the Sources of Gender Wage Gap: A Search and Matching Approach, Anni Isojarvi, IOWA STATE UNIV
- Cyclical Part-time Employment in an Estimated New Keynesian Model with Search Frictions, *Kazuhiro Teramoto, New York University*
- Can Income Differences Explain the Racial Wealth Gap? A Quantitative Analysis, *Seth Neumuller, Wellesley College*

Exchange rates

Sunday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 121, Chair: Xiang Fang

- An Equilibrium Model of the International Price System, *Dmitry Mukhin, Yale University*
- Deviations in real exchange rate levels in the OECD countries and their structural determinants, *Martin Berka, Massey University*
- Volatility, Intermediaries, and Exchange Rates, *Xiang Fang, University of Pennsylvania*

Finance

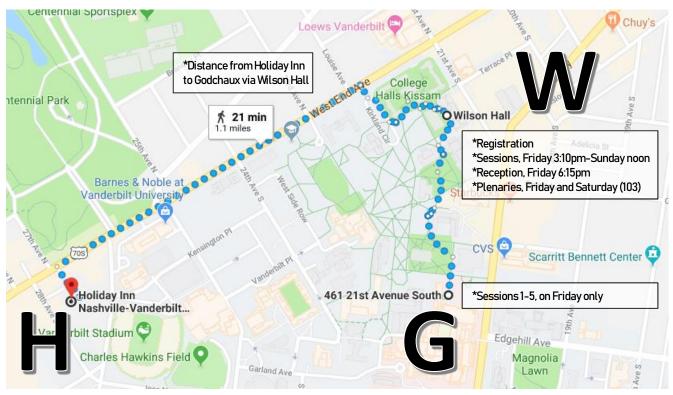
Sunday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Wilson 122, Chair: Nathaniel Throckmorton

- The Effect of Mutualization and Collateralization On Credit Default Swaps, *Freddy Rojas Cama, Rutgers University*
- Optimal contract for asset trades: Collateralizing or selling?, Kee Youn Kang, Yonsei University
- Valuation Risk Revalued, *Nathaniel Throckmorton, William & Mary*





Conference map (<u>Route</u>)



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Conference parking

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- All meters along streets

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