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Provisional List of Papers Accepted and Registered to be Presented (Listed by Presenter's Surname) and Other Attendees

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Papers to be presented:

1. Najla Almutairi, Assistant Professor, King Saud University, Saudi Arabia. Does Investment in Human Capital Promote Economic Growth in the Oil Exporter Country: Saudi Arabia.
2. Christina Anderl, Lecturer, London South Bank University, UK. Fractional Cointegration of Real Exchange Rates and Inflation Expectations.
3. *Katerina Andrews, Associate Professor, Wofford College, USA & Michael Vassalos, Assistant Professor, Clemson University, USA. Medicaid Expansion: Not All about Politics.
4. Pier Giorgio Ardeni, Professor, University of Bologna, Italy. Inequality and Populism: The Growing Conundrum. (*Monday*)
5. Thanos Athanasopoulos, Senior Lecturer, De Montfort University - Leicester, UK. Dynamic Pricing and Compatibility in Durable Goods Markets with Network Effects.
6. Antonio Baez Morales, Professor, University of Guanajuato, Mexico & Ana Karen Negrete-Garcia, Professor, University of Guanajuato, Mexico. The Efficiency of Microenterprises in Mexico in a Context of Economic Liberalization.
7. Fabian Baier, Research Associate, University of Wuppertal, Germany. Does Engaging in International Organizations Pay Off? A Gravity Foreign Direct Investment Analysis.
8. Mohamed Ali Ben Halima, Researcher, Cnam - CEET - Centre d'Etudes de l'Emploi et du Travail, France. The Effects of Expanding the Generosity of the Statutory Sick Leave Insurance: The Case of a French Reform.
9. Jose Reyes Bernal Bellon, Universidad Antonio Nariño, Colombia. Technological Progress from a Postkeynesian Point of View: A Comparison between the United States and China.
10. Mihir Bhattacharya, Assistant Professor, Ashoka University, India, Saptarshi Mukherjee, Associate Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, India & Ruhi Sonal, PhD Student, Indian Institute of Technology, India. Attention and Framing.
11. Iris Boesch, Professor, Federal University of Public Management, Germany & Barbara Henman-Sturm, Professor, Federal University of Public Management, Germany. Digitization Levels Consumer's Transaction Costs.
12. Zhiwu Chen, Victor and William Fung Professor in Economics / Director of Asia Global Institute, The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong. Women as Insurance Assets in Traditional Societies: A Study of Bride-Price in 18th-19th Century China.
13. *Gustavo de Moraes, Assistant Professor, Pontifical Catholic University of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil & Lucas Souza Beppler, Student, Pontifical Catholic University of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil. Total Water Consumption - A Computable General Equilibrium Experiment for the Brazilian's Economic Sectors.

14. Wojciech Drozd, Vice-President for Innovations and Logistics, University of Szczecin, Poland. Implementation of ICT in the Polish DSO.
15. Gihan El Sawy, Assistant Professor, Damanhour University, Egypt. Spatial Distribution of Automated Teller Machine in Alexandria.
16. Xinyu Fan, Assistant Professor, Cheung Kong Graduate School of Business, China, Shuo Chen, Fudan University, China & Zhitao Zhu, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong. The Promotion Club. (ECOCHN) (*Tuesday*)
17. *Xiao Han, PhD Candidate, University of Toronto, Canada. Evolving Institutions for the Market: Experiences from Huizhou and Jiangxi's Timber Trade in Late Imperial South China. (ECOFOR)
18. Chiung-Ju Huang, Professor, Feng Chia University, Taiwan. The Impact of National Fiscal Rules and Government Effectiveness on the Procyclicality of Fiscal Policy in the Asia-Pacific Countries.
19. Samir Kadiric, Research Associate, University of Wuppertal, Germany. The Effects of Brexit on Sovereign Risk Premium in UK and Euro Area Member Countries.
20. Charikleia Kaffe, PhD Candidate, University of Cambridge, UK, David Chambers, Reader in Finance, University of Cambridge, UK & Elroy Dimson, Professor, University of Cambridge, UK. Are University Endowments Really Long-Term Investors?
21. Alois Paul Knobloch, Professor, Chair of Business Administration, Saarland University, Germany. An Option Theoretical Examination of Capital Increases with Preemptive Rights by a Levered Corporation.
22. Marcel Kohler, Professor, University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa. International Trade, Carbon Emissions and Energy Rebound Effects: The Case of South Africa. (*Monday*)
23. Arthur Korus, Research Associate, University of Wuppertal, Germany. Currency Overvaluation and R&D Spending.
24. *Vladimir Kulil, Director, Appraisal Institute, VŠB - Technical University of Ostrava, Czech Republic. Intangible Assets and Goodwill Valuation.
25. Alexander Lubis, PhD Student, Cranfield University, UK and Bank Indonesia, Indonesia, Constantinos Alexiou, Associate Professor, Cranfield University, UK & Joseph Nellis, Deputy Director and Professor, Cranfield University, UK. Monetary Policy and Foreign Exchange Intervention in an Emerging Market: The Case of Indonesia.
26. Anastasiya Luzgina, Deputy Director, Belarusian Economic Research and Outreach Center (BEROC), Belarus. FinTech Influence on Payment System Transformation.
27. Chenghu Ma, Professor, Fudan University, China. Short Selling and Security Lending in Presence of Several Large Security Lenders.
28. Stavroula Malla, Associate Professor, University of Lethbridge, Canada & Derek Brewin, Associate Professor, University of Manitoba, Canada. Biotechnology, Crop R&D and Public Policy.
29. Regina Mensah Onumah, PhD Student / Lecturer, University of Ghana, Ghana, Samuel Nana Yaw Simpson, Senior Lecturer; Head of Accounting Department, University of Ghana Business School, Ghana & Ibrahim Bedi, Senior Lecturer, University of Ghana Business School, Ghana. The Effect of Ethics Education Interventions on Ethical Attitudes of Professional Accountants in Ghana.
30. Tshepang Molosiwa, Lecturer, Botswana Accountancy College, Botswana & Farai Manwa, Policy and Strategy Specialist / Adjunct Lecturer, United Nations Office for Project Services, Switzerland. Performance of Life Insurance Companies and Economic Growth in Botswana: A Supply-Leading Hypothesis.
31. *Simiso Msomi, Lecturer, University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa. Movement of Exchange Rate and Expectations of Future Income.
32. *Diarmuid O'Driscoll, Head of Department of Mathematics and Computer Studies, Mary Immaculate College, Ireland. Comparing Different Methodologies in Polynomial Data Fitting.
33. George Pantelopoulos, PhD Student, The University of Newcastle, Australia. A Redux of Monetary Mechanics in Currency Systems.
34. *Augustus Panton, PhD Candidate, Australian National University, Australia. Leaning Against the Wind via Finance-Neutral Output Gaps: Inflation Targeting and Financial Stability in an Open Economy.
35. Rainer Przywara, President, Baden-Wuerttemberg Cooperative State University Heidenheim, Germany. Economic Prosperity under Varieties of Capitalism 1970-2010.

36. Hanitra Rakotoarison, Economist, Office National des Forêts (ONF), France & Martin Delsart, Student, Office National des Forêts (ONF), France. Understanding and Forecasting Wood Price Fluctuation? A Study Case in French Public Forest. (ECOFOR)
37. Rodrigo Roratto, Professor, Federal University of Santa Maria (UFSM), Brazil. Knowledge in Mortality of Small Business: A Study in the Metallurgical Sector of the Central Region of RS / Brazil.
38. *Debdatta Saha, Assistant Professor, South Asian University (SAU), India & Sunil Kumar, Professor, South Asian University (SAU), India. Efficiency of Production in an Industrially Backward Region: An Application of Two-Stage Network DEA.
39. *Samuel Seaman, Professor, Pepperdine University, USA. Gender BIAS in Professional Services. (*Monday*)
40. *Melain Modeste Senou, PhD Student, Université Félix Houphouët-Boigny, Côte d'Ivoire. Financial Inclusion Dynamics in WAEMU: Was Digital Technology the Missing Piece.
41. *Jana Simakova, Assistant Professor, Silesian University in Opava, Czech Republic. The Exchange Rate as a Determinant of the Development of Foreign Trade in the Food Industry. (ECODEV)
42. Abbhirami Sivarajan, PhD Student, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM), Malaysia, Fathin Faizah Said, Senior Lecturer, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM), Malaysia, Zulkefly Abdul Karim, Associate Professor, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM), Malaysia & Mohd Rizdwan Yaakub, Senior Lecturer, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM), Malaysia. Trade in Value Added: A Systematic Review.
43. Estelle Sommeiller, Researcher, Institut de Recherches Economiques et Sociales (IRES), France. Employment & Poverty in Southern Europe: When Measurement Matters.
44. Jesper Stage, Professor, Luleå University of Technology, Sweden. What are the Drivers of the Swedish Sustainable Development Path? New Evidence from Bayesian Dynamic Linear Models.
45. Stella Stylianou, Senior Lecturer, RMIT University, Australia. Screening Designs under Model Uncertainty.
46. Alexi Thompson, Associate Professor, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, USA. The Colombian Peso: Commodity Currency or Cocaine Currency?
47. *Silvester van Koten, Associate Professor, Vysoká škola ekonomická v Praze, Czech Republic. The Forward Premium in Electricity Markets: An Experimental Study.
48. Alen Veljan, PhD Student / Lecturer, Universidad Rey Juan Carlos / Hamburg University of Applied Sciences, Spain / Germany. Influence of Intra-and Inter-System Concentration on the pre-Regulated Setting of Interchange Fees within Cooperative Card Payment Networks. (*Tuesday*)
49. Lina Vyas, Assistant Professor, The Education University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong. Work-Life Balance as a Work Motivator among Ethnic Minorities: A Case Study of Hong Kong. (ECOHRM)
50. Yijiang Wang, Professor, Cheung Kong Graduate School of Business, China. The Wealth of Nations in Different Worlds and the Road to Smith. (ECOCHN) (*Tuesday*)
51. Ying Wu, Professor, Salisbury University, USA & Hong Yao, Professor, Salisbury University, USA. Does Foreign Import-Biased Growth Need to Hurt Advanced Economies? – More on International Effects of Growth. (ECOTRD) (*Tuesday afternoon*)
52. Maroussa Zagoraiou, Associate Professor, University of Bologna, Italy, Alessandro Baldi Antognini, Professor, University of Bologna, Italy & Marco Novelli, Adjunct Professor, University of Bologna, Italy. Limitations of Likelihood-based Asymptotic Inference in Response-Adaptive Clinical Trials for Treatment Comparisons. (*Monday afternoon or Tuesday*)