Empirical Investigations in International Trade

21st Annual Conference

November 7-9, 2014
University of Oregon
Eugene, OR

Conference Website:
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Friday, November 7, 2014

8:00 – 9:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast: Vista Conference Room, Hilton Eugene

Session 1: Trade & Dynamics

Chair: Jon Haveman, FREIT

9:00 – 10:00 a.m. Trade Reform and Regional Dynamics
Rafael Dix-Carneiro, Duke University
Discussant: Farid Toubal, ENS de Cachan, PSE and CEPII

10:00 – 10:15 a.m. Break – Beverages provided

10:15 – 11:15 a.m. Trade Shocks and Factor Adjustment Frictions: Implications for Investment and Labor
Erhan Artuc, World Bank
Discussant: Manisha Goel, Pomona College

11:15 – 11:30 a.m. Break – Beverages provided

11:30 – 12:30 p.m. Price and Quality Dynamics in Export Markets
Joel Rodrigue, Vanderbilt University
Discussant: Mina Kim, Bureau of Labor Statistics

12:30 – 1:30 p.m. Lunch: A light lunch will be provided to conference participants.
## Session 2: Multinationals & Trade

Chair: Bruce Blonigen, University of Oregon

1:30 – 2:30 p.m. **Former Foreign Affiliates: Cast Out and Outperformed?**  
- Steven Poelhekke, VU University Amsterdam  
  *Discussant: Claudia Steinwender, London School of Economics*

2:30 – 2:45 p.m. Break – Beverages provided

2:45 – 3:45 p.m. **Multinational Production and Comparative Advantage**  
- Vanessa Alviarez, University of Michigan  
  *Discussant: Nicholas Sly, University of Oregon*

3:45 – 4:00 p.m. Break – Beverages provided

4:00 – 5:00 p.m. **Multinational Firms and Transfer Pricing**  
- Farid Toubal, ENS de Cachan, PSE and CEPII  
  *Discussant: Lindsay Oldenski, Georgetown University*

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### Saturday, November 8, 2014

8:00 – 9:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast: Vista Conference Room, Hilton Eugene

**Session 3: Trade and Workers**  
Chair: Nicholas Sly, University of Oregon

9:00 – 10:00 a.m. **No Pain, No Gain: The Effects of Globalization on Job Injury and Sickness**  
- Chong Xiang, Purdue University  
  *Discussant: Brian Kovak, Carnegie Mellon University*

10:00 – 10:15 a.m. Break – Beverages provided

10:15 – 11:15 a.m. **Does Exporting Improve Matching? Evidence from French Employer-Employee Data**  
- Matilde Bombardini, University of British Columbia  
  *Discussant: Chong Xiang, Purdue University*

11:15 – 11:30 a.m. Break – Beverages provided

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. **Value Added Exports and U.S. Local Labor Markets: Does China Really Matter?**  
- Peri De Silva, Kansas State University  
  *Discussant: Ryan Monarch, Federal Reserve Board*

12:30 – 2:00 p.m. Lunch: A light lunch will be provided to conference participants.  
Keynote Speech: Andrew Bernard, Dartmouth College  
  “Suppliers and Buyers in Trade”
Session 4: Trade, Matching & Elasticities

Chair: Nicholas Sly, University of Oregon

2:00–3:00 p.m.  
**It's Not You, It’s Me: Breakups in U.S.-China Trade Relationships**  
- Ryan Monarch, Federal Reserve Board  
  *Discussant: Rafael Dix-Carneiro, Duke University*

3:00 – 3:15 p.m.  
Break – Beverages provided

3:15 – 4:15 p.m.  
**The Matching and Sorting of Exporting and Importing Firms: Theory and Evidence**  
- Felipe Benguria, University of Virginia  
  *Discussant: Anson Soderbery, Purdue University*

4:15 – 4:30 p.m.  
Break – Beverages provided

4:30 – 5:30 p.m.  
**Trade Elasticities, Heterogeneity, and Optimal Tariffs**  
- Anson Soderbery, Purdue University  
  *Discussant: Matilde Bombardini, University of British Columbia*

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Sunday, November 9, 2014

8:00 – 9:00 a.m.  
Continental Breakfast: Vista Conference Room, Hilton Eugene

Session 5: Trade & Frictions

Chair: Anca Cristea, University of Oregon

9:00 – 10:00 a.m.  
**Trade and Development: Evidence from the Napoleonic Blockade**  
- Reka Juhasz, London School of Economics  
  *Discussant: Felipe Benguria, University of Virginia*

10:00 – 10:15 a.m.  
Break – Beverages provided

10:15 – 11:15 a.m.  
**The Heterogeneous Costs of Port of Entry Delays**  
- Georg Schaur, The University of Tennessee  
  *Discussant: Alexandre Skiba, University of Wyoming*

11:15 – 11:30 a.m.  
Break – Beverages provided

11:30 – 12:30 p.m.  
**Information Frictions and the Law of One Price: When the States and the Kingdom Become United**  
- Claudia Steinwender, London School of Economics  
  *Discussant: Bruce Blonigen, University of Oregon*

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