

Kent Workshop in Labour Economics: Labour Supply, Employment and Policy

Date: July 14, 2017
 Location: Kent Business School Symposium Room
 University of Kent, Canterbury, UK

Thursday, 13 July	
18:30	<i>Workshop dinner at The Goods Shed</i>
Friday, 14 July	
08:50 – 09:00	Welcome and introduction
<i>Session A: Intra-household aspects of labour supply</i>	
09:00 – 09:40	<i>Home production of childcare and labour supply decisions in a collective household model</i> Hélène Turon (U Bristol)
09.40 – 10:20	<i>Unemployment risks and intra-household insurance</i> Javier Fernandez-Blanco (U Autònoma de Barcelona)
10:20 – 10:50	<i>Coffee break, KBS Upper Foyer</i>
<i>Session B: Job search and economic development</i>	
10:50 – 11:30	<i>Job search and subsistence constraints</i> Juliana Mesén Vargas (UC Louvain-la-Neuve) and Bruno Van der Linden
11:30 – 12:10	<i>Job search and labour market exclusion in a growing African city</i> Simon Quinn (Oxford U), Girum Abebe, Stefano Caria, Marcel Fafchamps, Paolo Falco and Simon Franklin
12:10 – 13:30	<i>Lunch at “Dolce Vita”</i>
<i>Session C: Hiring and wages at segmented markets</i>	
13:30 – 14:10	<i>Targeted fiscal policy to increase employment and wages of unskilled workers</i> Wei Jiang (U Kent), Konstantinos Angelopoulos and James Malley
14:10 – 14:50	<i>Meritocracy, public sector pay and human capital accumulation</i> Pedro Gomes (U Carlos III de Madrid) and Andri Chassamboulli

14:50 – 15:20	<i>Coffee break, KBS Upper Foyer</i>
<i>Keynote speech</i>	
15:20 – 16:20	<i>Marriage, labor supply and the social safety net</i> Costas Meghir (Yale U)
<i>End of the workshop</i>	