

Workshop on Methods and Applications for Dynamic Stochastic General Equilibrium Models

Hosted by Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia. The workshop also serves as a mid-year meeting of the NBER EFSF Workgroup on Methods and Applications for DSGE Models.

Organizers:

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Friday October 16, 2015

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| 09:00 – 10:00 | Gianluca Benigno (LSE), Andrew Foerster (FRB KC), Chris Otrok (Missouri), Alessandro Rebucci (Johns Hopkins), and Eric Young (Virginia): “Estimating Macroeconomic Models of Financial Crisis”
Discussant: Dario Calda (BOG) |
| 10:00 – 10:30 | Coffee Break |
| 10:30 – 11:30 | Jonas Arias (Board of Governors), Chris Erceg (Board of Governors), and Mathias Trabandt (Board of Governors): “The Economic Consequences of Disinflation”
Discussant: Cosmin Ilut (Duke) |
| 11:30 – 12:30 | Carlos Carvalho (PUC-Rio), Stefano Eusepi (FRB NY), Emanuel Moench (Bundesbank), and Bruce Preston (Melbourne): “In Search of a Nominal Anchor: What Drives Inflation Expectations?”
Discussant: James Nason (NC State) |
| 12:30 – 02:00 | Lunch Break |
| 02:00 – 03:00 | Tao Wu (IMF): “The Effectiveness of Forward Guidance During the Great Recession”
Discussant: David Lopez-Salido (BOG) |
| 03:00 – 04:00 | Marco Del Negro (FRB NY), Marc Giannoni (FRB NY), and Christiana Patterson (MIT): “The Forward Guidance Puzzle”
Discussant: Luca Guerrieri (BOG) |
| 04:00 – 04:30 | Coffee Break |
| 04:30 – 05:30 | Assaf Patir (Hebrew University): “Synchronization Bias in a Simple Macroeconomic Model”
Discussant: Zhen Huo (Yale) |

Saturday, October 17, 2015

- 09:00 – 10:00 Zhongjun Qu (Boston University): “A Composite Likelihood Framework for Analyzing Singular DSGE Models”
Discussant: Timothy Christensen (NYU)
- 10:00 – 10:30 Coffee Break
- 10:30 – 11:30 Pablo Guerron-Quintana (FRB Philadelphia), Atsushi Inoue (Vanderbilt) and Lutz Kilian (Michigan): “Impulse Response Matching Estimators for DSGE Models”
Discussant: Jonathan Wright (Johns Hopkins)
- 11:30 – 12:30 Yasuo Hirose (Keio University): "Parameter Bias in an Estimated DSGE Model: Does Nonlinearity Matter?"
Discussant: Anna Kormilitsina (SMU)
- 12:30 – 02:00 Lunch / Departure