

Barcelona GSE Summer Forum

June 9-28, 2014

The Summer Forum at the Barcelona Graduate School of Economics aims to bring top researchers from around the globe to Barcelona to debate the present and future of the frontier of knowledge in Economics.

- Policy Events of renowned experts open to the public
- 23 workshops on specific topics across the main fields of economic research
- Over 400 researchers from around the world participated in the first Barcelona GSE Summer Forum in 2013

POLICY EVENTS

Lecture: China: The Great Convergence and Beyond
| Wednesday, June 11 at 18:30 pm

Venue: Auditorium Fundació Catalunya-La Pedrera
(Pg. de Gràcia 92, Barcelona)

Speaker: Fabrizio Zilibotti (University of Zürich)

Roundtable. From Policy to Evidence (and Back): Education and Immigration | Tuesday, June 17 at 18:30

Venue: Auditorium Fundació Catalunya-La Pedrera
(Pg. de Gràcia 92, Barcelona)

Speakers: George Borjas (Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University), Caterina Calsamiglia (UAB and Barcelona GSE), Victor Lavy (University of Warwick and Hebrew University) and Antonio Ciccone (ICREA-UPF and Barcelona GSE), *Roundtable Chair*

WORKSHOPS

WEEK 1

Bounded Rationality in Choice, (June, 9-10)
Firms in the Global Economy (June, 9-10)
International Capital Flows (June, 9-10)
Theoretical and Experimental Macro (June, 9-10)
Financial Intermediation, Risk and Liquidity (June, 10-11)
Advances in Micro Development Economics (June, 11-12)
Trade, Growth and Income Distribution (June, 11-12)
Applied Industrial Organization (June, 12-13)
Asset Prices and the Business Cycle (June, 12-13)
Sorting: Theory and Estimation (June, 12-13)

WEEK 2

The Economic Analysis of Electoral Politics (June, 16)
Information and Market Frictions (June, 16-17)
Migration (June, 16-17)
Towards Sustained Economic Growth: Geography, Demography and Institutions (June, 16-17)
Children's Health, Well-being, and Human Capital Formation (June, 17-18)
Economics of Science and Innovation (June, 17-18)
Political Institutions (June, 17-18)
Understanding Civil Conflict (June, 18-19)
Learning in Macroeconomics and Finance (June, 19-20)
Macro and Micro Perspectives on Taxation (June, 19-20)
Time Series Analysis in Macro and Finance (June, 19-20)

WEEK 3

Statistics, Jump Processes and Malliavin Calculus: Recent Applications (June, 25-27)
ThReD (Theoretical Research in Development Economics) Conference (June 27, 28)

Summer Forum Organizers:

Omar Licandro (IAE-CSIC and Barcelona GSE)

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VENUES AND DIRECTIONS

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WORKSHOP ORGANIZERS

Advances in Micro Development Economics (June 11-12)

- Giacomo de Giorgi (ICREA-MOVE, UAB and Barcelona GSE)
- Gianmarco León (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Stephan Litschig (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Rohini Pande (Harvard University)
- Alessandro Tarozzi (UPF and Barcelona GSE)

Applied Industrial Organization (June 12-13)

- Susanna Esteban (UAB and Barcelona GSE)
- Rosa Ferrer (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Christian Michel (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Helena Perrone (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Carlos J. Serrano (UPF and Barcelona GSE)

Asset Prices and the Business Cycle (June 12-13)

- Andrea Caggese (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Alberto Martín (CREI, UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Ander Pérez Orive (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Jaume Ventura (CREI, UPF and Barcelona GSE)

Bounded Rationality in Choice (June 9-10)

- Larbi Alaoui (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Jose Apesteguia (ICREA-UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Miguel-Angel Ballester (UAB and Barcelona GSE)

Children's Health, Well-being, and Human Capital (June 17-18)

- Gabrielle Fack (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Libertad González (UPF and Barcelona GSE)

Economics of Science and Innovation (June 17-18)

- Albert Banal-Estañol (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Inés Macho-Stadler (UAB and Barcelona GSE)
- David Pérez-Castrillo (UAB and Barcelona GSE)

Financial Intermediation, Risk and Liquidity (June 10-11)

- Xavier Freixas (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- José Luis Peydró (ICREA-UPF and Barcelona GSE)

Firms in the Global Economy (June 9-10)

- Julian di Giovanni (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Christian Fons-Rosen (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Carolina Villegas-Sánchez (ESADE)

Information and Market Frictions (June 16-17)

- Christian Hellwig (Toulouse School of Economics)
- Alessandro Pavan (Northwestern University)
- Xavier Vives (IESE Business School)

International Capital Flows (June 9-10)

- Fernando Broner (CREI, UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Alberto Martín (CREI, UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Andrés Neumeyer (Universidad Torcuato di Tella)
- Guido Sandleris (Universidad Torcuato di Tella)

Learning in Macroeconomics and Finance (June 19-20)

- George Evans (University of Oregon)
- Roger Guesnerie (College de France and Paris School of Economics)
- Juan F. Jimeno (Bank of Spain)
- Albert Marcet (ICREA-IAE-CSIC, MOVE and Barcelona GSE)
- Ramon Marimon (European University Institute, UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Ho-Mou Wu (Peking University)

Macro and Micro Perspectives on Taxation (June 19-20)

- Nezih Guner (ICREA-MOVE, UAB and Barcelona GSE)
- Gustavo Ventura (Arizona State University)

Migration (June 16-17)

- Lidia Farré (Universitat de Barcelona and IAE-CSIC)
- Jesús Fernández-Huertas (FEDEA)
- Ada Ferrer-i-Carbonell (IAE-CSIC and Barcelona GSE)
- Joan Lull (MOVE, UAB and Barcelona GSE)
- Francesc Ortega (Queens College, CUNY)

Political Institutions (June 17-18)

- Carles Boix (Princeton University and IPEG)
- Ruben Enikolopov (UPF, IPEG and Barcelona GSE)
- Patricia Funk (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Stephan Litschig (UPF and Barcelona GSE)

Sorting: Theory and Estimation (June 12-13)

- Jan Eeckhout (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Phillip Kircher (Edinburgh School of Economics)

Statistics, Jump Processes and Malliavin Calculus: Recent Applications (June 25-27)

- Eulàlia Nualart (UPF and Barcelona GSE)

The Economic Analysis of Electoral Politics (June 16)

- Gianmarco León (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Maria Petrova (ICREA-UPF, IPEG and Barcelona GSE)
- Giacomo Ponzetto (CREI and Barcelona GSE)

Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics (June 9-10)

- John Duffy (University of Pittsburgh)
- Frank Heinemann (Berlin Institute of Technology)
- Rosemarie Nagel (ICREA-UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Shyam Sunder (Yale University)

Theoretical Research in Development Economics (ThReD) (June 27-28)

- Chair of the Committee: Dilip Mookherjee (Boston University)
- Jean-Marie Baland (Université de Namur)
- Joan Maria Esteban (IAE-CSIC and Barcelona GSE)
- Maitreesh Ghatak (London School of Economics)
- Laura Mayoral (IAE-CSIC and Barcelona GSE)
- Kalle Moene (University of Oslo)
- Andy Newman (Boston University)
- Debraj Raj (New York University)

Time Series Analysis in Macro and Finance (June 19-20)

- Majid Al-Sadoon (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Christian Brownlees (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Barbara Rossi (ICREA-UPF and Barcelona GSE)

Towards Sustained Economic Growth: Geography, Demography and Institutions (June 16-17)

- Omar Licandro (IAE-CSIC and Barcelona GSE)
- Luigi Pascali (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Yanos Zylberberg (CREI)

Trade, Growth and Income Distribution (June 11-12)

- Alessandra Bonfiglioli (UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Gino Gancia (CREI, UPF and Barcelona GSE)
- Giacomo Ponzetto (CREI, UPF and Barcelona GSE)

Understanding Civil Conflict (June 18-19)

- Laia Balcells (Duke University)
- Joan-Maria Esteban (IAE-CSIC and Barcelona GSE)
- Laura Mayoral (IAE-CSIC and Barcelona GSE)
- Hannes Mueller (IAE-CSIC and Barcelona GSE)
- Debraj Ray (New York University)

ABOUT ECONOMIC RESEARCH AT THE BARCELONA GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS

The Barcelona Graduate School of Economics (Barcelona GSE) is grounded in a strong research community with a long history of cooperation. It is composed of four academic units:

- Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Department of Economics and Business (UPF)
- Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Unit of Economic Analysis (UAB)
- Institute of Economic Analysis (IAE-CSIC)
- Center for Research in International Economics (CREI)

The Barcelona GSE community constitutes one of the leading clusters of economic research in Europe and worldwide.

Research Papers in Economics (RePEc) has ranked Barcelona GSE among the top economic research centers in the world for scientific output.

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In 2011, Barcelona GSE was distinguished as one of eight top research institutions of excellence with an international impact in the framework of the Severo Ochoa Program, sponsored by the Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness.

