

CEDS Workshop

“Sustainable growth and diversification”



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Venue: High Performance Center (HPC)
Burnett st, Hatfield, Pretoria
<http://www.hpc.co.za>

Closest Gautrain station: Hatfield

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September, 9th (Sunday) – Arrival		
<p>Arrival at OR Tambo, international airport of Johannesburg, South Africa. Individual transport with Gautrain speed train to Hatfield and from there to the Guest House at the High Performance Centre (HPC), Sport grounds, University of Pretoria (see email for transport information).</p> <p><u>Accommodation at Guest House of the HPC:</u> Address: Burnett st, Hatfield, Pretoria Telephone: +27 (0)12 484 1700 Email: info@hpc.co.za Website: www.hpc.co.za</p>		
19:00	Informal welcome dinner at the HPC With André Jordaan, Sebastian Dullien, Heike Joebges and Barbara Fritz	HPC restaurant

September, 10th (Monday) – Discussion of PhD students' papers		
06:30 - 08:15	Breakfast (buffet style)	HPC restaurant
08:15 - 09:00	Registration at HPC auditorium foyer, (group photo @08:45)	HPC auditorium foyer
09:00 - 09:30	Address of welcome: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UP coordinator - Prof André Jordaan • Dean of the EMS faculty - Elsabe Loots • Project director(s): Heike Joebges/ Sebastian Dullien 	HPC auditorium
09:30 - 09:45	Division into two groups	HPC auditorium
09:45 - 11:15	<u>Session 1:</u> Parallel Groups A and B with PhD student proposals	HPC auditorium/cricket board room
11:15 - 11:45	Mid-morning tea/coffee break	HPC auditorium foyer
11:45 - 13:15	<u>Session 2:</u> Parallel Groups A and B with PhD student proposals	HPC auditorium/cricket board room
13:30 - 14:30	Lunch (buffet style)	HPC restaurant
14:30 - 16:00	<u>Session 3:</u> Parallel Groups A and B with PhD student proposals	HPC auditorium/cricket board room
16:00 - 16:30	Afternoon tea/coffee break	HPC auditorium foyer
16:30 - 18:00	<u>Session 4:</u> Parallel Groups A and B with PhD student proposals	HPC auditorium/cricket board room
19:00 - 20:00	Dinner	HPC restaurant

September, 11 th (Tuesday) – Methodological Workshop		
06:30 - 08:45	Breakfast	HPC restaurant
09:00 - 09:15	Address of welcome: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> UP coordinator - André Jordaan Project director(s): Heike Joebges/ Sebastian Dullien 	HPC auditorium
09:15 - 10:30	<u>Methodological Session 1:</u> Claudius Gräbner: Measures of economic complexity – Introduction and background	Chair: André Jordaan HPC auditorium
10:30 - 11:00	Mid-morning tea/coffee break	HPC foyer
11:00 - 12:30	<u>Methodological Session 2:</u> Claudius Gräbner: Measures of economic complexity - applications and limitations in development studies	Chair: Barbara Fritz HPC auditorium
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch	HPC restaurant
13:30 - 15:00	<u>Parallel:</u> Meeting of project coordinators: way forward of the project?	Chair: Heike Joebges HPC venue TBC
	Students: “Speed-Dating –Session” Location: HPC restaurant outside terrace	Chair: Alejandro Márquez-Velázquez HPC veranda
15:00 - 15:30	Afternoon tea/coffee break	HPC foyer
15:45 - 18:30	Collection for transfer at 15:45 Free time: Menlyn Mall	HPC parking area (Pick up point TBC)
18:30 - 20:15	Dinner at the food chain	Menlyn Mall
20:30	Transfer back to accomodation	Pick up spot TBC

September, 12 th (Wednesday) – Thematic Workshop		
06:30 - 08:45	Breakfast	HPC restaurant
09:00 - 11:00	<u>Thematic Session 1:</u> Andre Jordaan: “Protectionism and de-globalisation in a globalised world” Q & A Session.	Chair: Heike Joebges HPC auditorium
	Laike Yang: “Global value chains, China's position and China-US trade balance” Q & A Session.	
11:00 - 11:20	Mid-morning tea/coffee break	HPC foyer
11:20 - 12:20	<u>Thematic Session 2:</u> Joerg Mayer: “Digitalization and industrialization: friends or foes?” Q & A Session.	Chair: Melike Döver HPC auditorium
12:20 - 12:30	Short break	
12:30 - 13:30	<u>EU Representative</u> Massimo De-Luca, Head of Trade & Economics, Delegation of the European Union to South Africa. “How international	Chair: André Jordaan HPC auditorium

	trade and FDI contribute to regional value chains” Q & A Session.	
13:30 - 14:30	Lunch	HPC restaurant
14:30 - 15:30	<u>Thematic Session 3:</u> Martin Breitenbach & Carolyn Chisadza: “Export diversification and economic shocks: developed vs developing countries” Q & A Session.	Chair: Laike Yang HPC auditorium
15:30 - 16:00	Afternoon tea/coffee break	HPC foyer
16:00 - 18:00	<u>Thematic Session 4:</u> Emiliano Libman: “Sustained investment surges” Q & A Session. Kunyu Tao: “Assessing local government debt risks in China - A case study of local government financial vehicles” Q & A Session	Chair: Daniela Prates HPC auditorium
18:30	Dinner	HPC restaurant

September, 13th (Thursday) – Thematic Workshop		
06:30 - 08:45	Breakfast	HPC restaurant
09:00 - 11:00	<u>Thematic Session 5:</u> Aparna Sawhney: “Sustainability through recycling: a study of the Indian steel industry” Q & A Session. Hemant Kassean: “Investigating the impact of sustainability pillars on firms in the Mauritian business sector - A small island developing economy” Q & A Session.	Chair: Barbara Fritz HPC auditorium
11:00 - 11:30	Mid-morning tea/coffee break	HPC foyer
11:30 - 13:30	<u>Thematic Session 6:</u> Meeta Mehra: “Renewable energy in India: implications for macro economy and energy security” Q & A Session. Alejandro Márquez Velázquez: “Post-boom macro policies in an oil-dependent and democratic emerging country. Waiting for Godot?” Q & A Session.	Chair: Sebastian Dullien HPC auditorium
13:30 - 14:30	Lunch	HPC restaurant
14:30 - 16:30	<u>Thematic Session 7:</u> Heike Joebges: “Price competitiveness, wages, and wage inequality in Germany” Q & A Session. Barbara Fritz & Daniela Prates: “Economic policy shifts in Brazil: developmentalism and the return of orthodoxy” Q & A Session.	Chair: Aparna Sawhney HPC auditorium
16:30 - 17:00	Afternoon tea/coffee break	HPC restaurant

17:00 - 18:00	Internal session: "Evaluation of the workshop and collection of ideas for the way forward of CEDS"	Chair: Heike Joebges HPC auditorium
18:00	Bus pick up, transport to dinner venue	HPC parking area
18:30 - 20:15	Dinner	TBC
20:30	Transfer back to accommodation	Pick up spot TBC

September, 14th (Friday) – Excursion day – details TBC		
06:30 - 07:30	Breakfast	HPC restaurant
07:45 (!)	Bus depart to venue, pick up in HPC parking area	HPC transport
08:30 - 12:00	Visit Nissan plant	
12:15	Bus depart to Hartbeespoort – Hand-craft market	Hartbeespoort
12:45 - 14:45	Hand-craft market – shopping of African curios Lunch - next to hand-craft market	Hartbeespoort
15:00	Bus depart to Lion Park	
15:30	Arrival at Lion Park	
16:00	Game drive	
18:30	Dinner at Lion Park	
20:30	Bus depart to HPC	

September, 15th (Saturday) - Departure		
Vacate rooms and departure from HPC at 09:30, with transport provided by HPC to Hatfield station; then individual transport to the airport with Gautrain.		

Distribution of presentations on Monday (September 10, 2018)

The student sessions will be structured in the following way:

- All students will be divided into two parallel groups (8 students)
- Each paper/exposé will get a 45 min time range (15min presentation, 2x7min comments (1x fellow student, 1x prof), 16 min discussion)
- PLUS: all other participants will provide their feedback, orally, and other PhDs additionally with a feedback form

Session 1				
Group A: Main HPC auditorium				
<u>Time</u>	<u>Presenter</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Commentators</u>	<u>Chair</u>
9:45 – 10:30	Leone Walters	“Ethnic Favouritism in South Africa: Evidence From Public Infrastructure Provision”	Bo Xu & Heike Joebges	Jörg Mayer
10:30 – 11:15	Chipanda Blessing	“An Empirical Exploration Into Africa's Under-Performing Trade”	Melike Döver & Laike Yang	
<i>(coffee break)</i>				
11:45 – 12:30	Melike Döver	“Regionalization as an Industrial Policy Tool? The Potential of Regional Trade for Structural Transformation in Southern African Economies”	Chipanda Blessing & Andre Jordaan	Laike Yang
12:30 – 13:15	Corinna Martin	“The Impact of Economic Partnership Agreements on Regional Integration in Africa”	Zhao Lingyun & Martin Breitenbach	

Group B: Cricket room

<u>Time</u>	<u>Presenter</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Commentators</u>	<u>Chair</u>
9:45 – 10:30	Patricia Funkija	“Colonialism, Ethnicity and Intergenerational Mobility in Africa”	Xiang Yuan Meng & Hemant Kassean	Alejandro Márquez-Velazquez
10:30 – 11:15	Saul Chicas Cienfuegos	“Lender of Last Resort in Dollarized Economies: A Comparative Study Between El Salvador and Ecuador”	Nathalie Marins & Daniela Prates	
<i>(coffee break)</i>				
11:45 – 12:30	Gabriel Palazzo	“Exogenous Episodes of Real Exchange Rate Misalignment and Structural Change”	Sk Md Azharuddin & Alejandro Márquez-Velazquez	Daniela Prates
12:30 – 13:15	Sk Md Azharuddin	“Modeling the Macroeconomic Business Cycle Fluctuations for India: A Dynamic Stochastic General Equilibrium (DSGE) Approach”	Gabriel Palazzo & Emiliano Libman	

Session 2

Group A: Main HPC auditorium

<u>Time</u>	<u>Presenter</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Commentators</u>	<u>Chair</u>
14:30 – 15:15	Hema Soondram	“The Effects of Bilateral Tax Treaties on African FDI Activity”	Florencia Fares & Meeta Mehra	Andre Jordaan
15:15 – 16:00	Florencia Fares	“Foreign Trade Elasticities as a Reflection of Productive Structure: The Argentine Case”	Hema Soondram & Kunyu Tao	
<i>(coffee break)</i>				

16:30 – 17:15	Bo Xu	“Global Value Chain, Sustainable Growth and Carbon Emissions”	Leone Walters & Aparna Sawhney	Meeta Mehra
17:15 – 18:00	Zhao Lingyun	“A Comparison Between the Division Positions of China and India in the Global Value Chain”	Corinna Martin & Jörg Mayer	
Group B: Cricket room				
<u>Time</u>	<u>Presenter</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Commentators</u>	<u>Chair</u>
14:30 – 15:15	Xiang Yuan Meng	“Policy Trade Offs Under Generalized Trilemma Configuration and Economic Growth”	Patricia Funkija & Emiliano Libman	Sebastian Dullien
15:15 – 16:00	Nathalie Marins	“Monetary and Exchange Rate Policy in Latin America”	Saul Chicas & Barbara Fritz	
<i>(coffee break)</i>				
16:30 – 17:15	Suneila Gokhool	“Vulnerable Employment in Mauritius: Experience of an Upper-Middle Income Country”	Philton Makena & Sebastian Dullien	Barbara Fritz
17:15 – 18:00	Philton Makena	“Income Inequality and Economic Growth: A Re-examination of Theory and Evidence”	Suneila Gokhool & Claudius Gräbner	