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3rd Conference on Immigration in OECD Countries

Friday, 6 December 2013

OECD Conference Centre

2, rue André Pascal - 75775 Paris Cedex 16

Program

9:15-9:45 - Welcome Coffee

9:45-10:00 - **WELCOME ADDRESS** [Room C](#)

Sébastien Jean (CEPII Director)

and Stefano Scarpetta (Director for Employment, Labour and Social Affairs at the OECD)

10:00-11:00 - **KEYNOTE ADDRESS** [Room C](#)

Timothy Hatton (Australian National University)

"The Slump and Immigration Policy in Europe"

Moderator: Stefano Scarpetta

11:00-11:30 - Coffee Break

11:30-13:00 - **INVITED SESSION** [Room C](#)

Chair: Hubert Jayet (Université de Lille 1, EQUIPPE)

Hillel Rapoport (Paris School of Economics)

"Birthplace Diversity and Economic Prosperity"

Discussant: Mariya Aleksynska (ILO)

Michel Beine (University of Luxemburg)

"Aggregate Fluctuations and International Migration"

Discussant : Hubert Jayet (Université de Lille 1, EQUIPPE)

Jesus Fernandez-Huertas Morega (Foundation for the Study of Applied Economics and IZA)

"The European Crisis and Migration to Germany: Expectations and the Diversion of Migration Flows"

Discussant: Tito Boeri (Bocconi University)

13:00-14:30 -LUNCH

14:30- 16:00 - Parallel Sessions 1

1A- Business cycles, public opinion and migration trends in OECD countries

Room CC18

Chair: Lionel Ragot (Université Paris Ouest and CEPII)

1- **Julia Jauer** (OECD), Thomas Liebig (OECD), John Martin (OECD) and Patrick Puhani (University of Hannover)

“Migration as an adjustment mechanism in the crisis? A comparison of Europe and the United States”

Discussant : Hippolyte d’Albis

2- **Hippolyte d’Albis** (Paris School of Economics), Ekram Boubtan (CERDI, Université d’Auvergne) and Dramane Coulibaly (EconomiX-CNRS, Université Paris Ouest)
“Immigration Policy and macroeconomic Performances in France”

Discussant : Cedric Gorinas

3- **Cedric Gorinas** (The Danish National Centre for Social Research) and Mariola Pytliková (The Danish Institute for Local and Regional Government Research)

“The influence of attitudes toward immigrants on international migration”

Discussant : Julia Jauer

1B- Immigration, labour market and welfare

Room CC16

Chair: Thomas Liebig (OECD)

1- **Luca Marchiori** (Central Bank of Luxembourg), Patrice Pieretti (CREA, Université du Luxembourg) and Benteng Zou (CREA, Université du Luxembourg)

“Immigration, occupational choice and public employment”

Discussant : Osea Giuntella

2- **Osea Giuntella** (University of Oxford, IZA) and Fabrizio Mazzonna (University of Lugano, MEA)

“Immigration, Working Conditions, and Health”

Discussant : Mehtap Akgüç

3- **Mehtap Akgüç** (IZA and Toulouse School of Economics)

“Do Visas Matter? Labor Market Outcomes of Immigrants in France by Visa Classes at Entry”

Discussant : Luca Marchiori

16:00-16:30 -Coffee Break

16:30- 18:00 - Parallel Sessions 2

2A-Socio-economic aspects of migration

Room CC18

Chair: Maëlan Le Goff (CEPII)

1- **Nicolas Fleury** (Center for Studies and Forecasting-Alpha Group and EQUIPPE-

2B-Migrant selection and international transferability of skills

Room CC16

Chair: Jean Christophe Dumont (OECD)

1-Costanza Biavaschi (Institute for the Study

University of Lille)

“How large second-generation migrants and natives differ in terms of human capital accumulation and why? Empirical evidence for France”

Discussant : Doris A. Oberdabernig

2- Peter Huber (Austrian Institute of Economic Research) and **Doris A. Oberdabernig** (Vienna University of Economic and Business)

“Decomposing welfare wedges: An analysis of welfare dependence of immigrants and natives in Europe”

Discussant : Sona Kalantaryan

3- **Sona Kalantaryan** (University of Turin)

“Housing Market Responses to Immigration; Evidence from Italy”

Discussant : Nicolas Fleury

of Labor) and **Benjamin Elsner** (Institute for the Study of Labor)

“Let’s be selective about migrant self-selection”

Discussant : Anthony Edo

2- **Anthony Edo** (Paris School of Economics), and Farid Toubal (Paris School of Economics, CEPII)

“Selective Migration Policies and Wages Inequality”

Discussant : Florin Vadean

3- Matloob Piracha (University of Kent and IZA), Massimiliano Tani (Macquarie University and IZA) and **Florin Vadean** (University of Rome Tor Vergata and University of Kent)

“Immigrant Over- and Under-education: The Role of Home Country Labour Market Experience”

Discussant : Benjamin Elsner

18:00- 19:00 - Cocktail

Names in **bold** are for presenters