



September 11-12, 2025

Hotel Schloss Edesheim

## **Families in Macroeconomics**

**Wednesday September 10 – Welcome BBQ 6pm**

**September 11, 2025 – Thursday**

08:55-09:00    Opening Remarks

**Session 1:    Marriage and Divorce**

09:00-10:40    FRANCESCO CHIOCCIO (CEMFI) – “Marital Decline: The Role of House Prices and Parental Coresidence”.

JEANNE LAFORTUNE (Universidad Catolica de Chile) – “Trapped in Purgatory? The Effects of Divorce Legislation on Female Welfare with Marital Separation” (with Paula Calvo and Murat Iyigun).

10:40-10:55    *Coffee Break*

**Session 2:    Child Penalties**

10:55-12:35    YASEMIN ÖZDEMİR (University of Bayreuth) – “Child Penalties and Fertility across Sectors” (with Sena Coskun and Husnu Dalgic).

HAOMIN WANG (Cardiff University) – “Working Hours and Child Penalty in an Equilibrium Household Search Model” (with Alessandro Di Nola, Leo Kaas and Chiara Lacava).

12:35-14:30    *Lunch* and **Poster Session I**

HOSNY ZOABI (The New Economic School Moscow) -- “Beneath the Ban of Abortion: Evidence from the USSR”

FRANCISCO JAVIER RODRÍGUEZ ROMÁN (Goethe University Frankfurt) – “The Sex Ratio, Marriage and Bargaining: A Look at China”

YIWEI YIN (University of Mannheim) – “Unemployment insurance and family labor supply”

FABIO BLASUTTO (Université libre de Bruxelles) – “Income Pooling and Within Household Risk-Sharing: Evidence from Data on Individual Expenditures”

PAULA GOBBI (Université libre de Bruxelles) – “Inheritance Customs, the European Marriage Pattern and Female Empowerment”

ANNING XIE (University of Mannheim) – “The Dynamics of Fertility, Bargaining, and Human Capital Accumulation”



### **Session 3      Women's Careers and the Gender Wage Gap**

- 14:30-17:00      URSULA BERRESHEIM (University of Mannheim) – “Work from Home, Work for Less? How Location Flexibility Affects Mothers' Careers.”
- CORINNE STEPHENSON (Boston University) – “Macroeconomic Consequences of Gender Differences in Job Search”.
- SARA CASELLA (LUISS University) – “Women's Labor Force Participation and the Business Cycle”.

18:00              **Wine Tasting in Hainfeld**

20:00              **Dinner**

### **September 12, 2025 – Friday**

#### **Session 1:      Interaction in Couples**

- 09:00-10:40      BASTIAN SCHULZ (Aarhus University) – “Joint Labor Search and the Taxation of Couples” (with Piotr Denderski, Leo Kaas and Nawid Siassi).
- DAN ANDERBERG (Royal Holloway) – “Intimate Partner Violence and Children's Human Capital” (with Alexander Vickery and Gloria Moroni).

10:40-10:55      *Coffee Break*

#### **Session 2:      Fertility I**

- 10:55-12:35      MINCHUL YUM (Virginia Commonwealth University) – “Parental Leave Policies, Fertility, and Labor Supply” (with Daisoon Kim).
- ALEXANDER LUDWIG (European University Institute) – “Heterogeneous Fecundity and Beliefs: Aggregate Implications for Egg Freezing, Fertility, and Women's Labor Market Outcomes” (with Lidia Cruces, Fane Groes, Francesco Saverio Lenzi, Virginia Sánchez Marcos and Raül Santaaulàlia-Llopis).

12:35-14:30      *Lunch* and **Poster Session II**

- MEHMET DEMIR (Nazarbayev University) – “Entrepreneurship, Marriage, and Female Labor Force Participation in the US”
- JOSEPH PEDTKE (Clemson University) – “The Implications of Family Structure, Education Prices, and Policy Reforms for Inequality and Intergenerational Mobility”
- TEREZA RANOSOVA (Deutsche Bundesbank) – “Gender Equality and the Impact of Monetary Policy on Employment”
- LIDIA CRUCES DE SOUSA (Goethe University Frankfurt) – “On Sandwiches and Club-Sandwiches: Institutions, Longevity and Fertility”



KANATO NAKAKUNI (University of Mannheim) – “Education Subsidy as Insurance for Fertility Choices”

EFI ADAMOPOULOU (ZEW) – “Early Life Conditions, Time Preferences, and Savings”

### **Session 3      Fertility II**

14:30-17:00      ANSON ZHOU (HKU Business School) – “The Fertility Race Between Technology and Social Norms” (with Xican Xi).

ANDREA MATTIA (Bank of Italy) – “Can you do the dishes? Intra-household time use, division of labor and fertility”.

MARY ANN BRONSON (Georgetown University) – “The Power of Policy Incentives: Female Labor Supply, Fertility and Parental Leave Policy Design” (with Deniz Sanin).

17:00              **Hike**

20:00              **Dinner**

### **Organizers:**

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