



CESifo-Delphi Conferences



Human Capital and the Global Division of Labour
European Cultural Centre, Delphi

12-13 June 2009

Scientific Organizers

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PROGRAMME

THURSDAY, 11 JUNE 2009

21:30 Welcome Reception and Dinner (European Cultural Centre)

FRIDAY, 12 JUNE 2009

09:00 – 09:15 Welcome

09:15 – 10:05 [Education, Corruption and the Distribution of Income](#)
Theo Eicher, *Cecilia García-Peñalosa* and Tanguy van Ypersele
Discussant: *Arye Hillman*

10:05 – 10:55 [Human capital and structural change: how do they interact with each other in growth?](#)
Dalila Nicet-Chenaf and *Eric Rougier*
Discussant: *Cecilia García-Peñalosa*

10:55 – 11:20 **Coffee Break**

11:20 – 12:10 [The Out of Africa Hypothesis, Genetic Diversity, and comparative Economic Development](#)
Quamrul Ashraf and *Oded Galor*
Discussant: *Elias Dinopoulos*

12:10 – 13:00 [The Skill Composition of Immigrants and the Generosity of the Welfare State: Free vs. Policy-Controlled Migration](#)
Alon Cohen and *Assaf Razin*
Discussant: *Francesco Cinnirella*

13:00 – 14:00 **Lunch**

14:00 – 14:50 [A Simple Model of Quality Heterogeneity and International Trade](#)
Elias Dinopoulos and Bulent Unel
Discussant: *Sarantis Kalyvitis*

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14:50 – 15:40 [Foreign Languages and Trade](#)
Jan Fidrmuc and *Jarko Fidrmuc*
Discussant: *Eric Rougier*

15:40 – 16:05 **Coffee Break**

16:05 – 16:55 [Barriers to Internationalization: firm-level evidence from Germany](#)
Christian Arndt, Claudia Buch and Anselm Mattes
Discussant: *Margarita Katsimi*

17.00 – 19.00 **Guided tour of the Archaeological Site and Museum**

21:15 **Dinner, Delphi Palace Hotel, Delphi**

SATURDAY, 13 JUNE 2009

09:15 - 10:05 [Technology Transfer and Human Capital Accumulation](#)
Ngo Van Long, Soubeyran Antoine and Soubeyran Raphael
Discussant: *Apostolis Philippopoulos*

10:05 – 10:55 [The Global Joint Distribution of Income and Health](#)
Ximing Wu, Andreas Savvides and *Thanasis Stengos*
Discussant: *Jarko Fidrmuc*

10:55 – 11:20 **Coffee Break**

11:20 – 12:10 [Globalization and Divergence](#)
Joseph Zeira
Discussant: *Ngo Van Long*

12:10 – 13:00 [Margins of Multinational Labor Substitution](#)
Marc-Andreas Muendler and Sascha O. Becker
Discussant: *Thanasis Stengos*

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[Welfare Implications of Public Education Spending Rules](#)

Konstantinos Angelopoulos, Jim Malley and *Apostolis Philippopoulos*

Discussant: *Marc-Andreas Muendler*

14:50 – 15:40

[Education versus Fertility: Evidence from before the Demographic Transition](#)

Sascha O. Becker, *Francesco Cinnirella* and Ludger Woessmann

Discussant: *Kyriakos Neanidis*

18:00

Bus Departs for the seaside town of Galaxidi

20:00

Dinner, Galaxidi
