

# MAER-Net Colloquium 2017

Zeppelin University Friedrichshafen

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> - Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2017



## October 12 (Thursday):

<b>13:00</b>	<b>Welcome &amp; Registration</b>	
<b>Workshop I, LZ02</b>		<b>Chair: Michael Scharnow</b>
13:30 - 14:30	Tom Stanley	Introduction to meta-regression analysis (MRA)
14:30 - 15:00	Mehmet Ugur	Multi-level meta-regression
<b>15:00 - 15:15</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
<b>Workshop II, LZ02</b>		<b>Chair: Anja Achtziger</b>
15:15 - 15:45	Jarko Fidrmuc, Svatopluk Kapounek	Bayesian model averaging in meta-analysis
15:45 - 16:15	Andreas Schneck	Examining publication bias – A simulation-based evaluation of statistical tests on publication bias in meta-analyses
<b>16:15 - 16:30</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
<b>Keynote 1, Foyer</b>		<b>Chair: Chris Doucouliagos</b>
16:30 - 17:30	Edward Miguel	Transparency, reproducibility, and the credibility of economics research
18:00	Jarko Fidrmuc	Colloquium information
18:15	Alexander Eisenkopf	Welcome speech
<b>Grill Dinner, Student Club Bar, Zeppelin University</b>		

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## October 13 (Friday):

<b>Plenary 1, LZ02</b>			<b>Firm productivity &amp; management</b>		<b>Chair: Angela de Martiis</b>
9:00 - 9:25	Mehmet Ugur		What do we know about R&D spillovers and productivity? A meta-regression analysis		
9:25 - 9:50	Veredigna Macatangay Ledda		Productivity of firms in global value chains: An inquiry into publication bias using meta-regression analysis		
9:50 - 10:25	Ichiro Iwasaki		Ownership concentration and firm performance		
<b>10:25 - 10:45</b>	<b>Discussion</b>				
<b>10:45 - 11:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>				
<b>Parallel 1a, LZ02</b>			<b>Labor markets &amp; migration</b>		<b>Chair: Florian Bader</b>
11:00 - 11:25	Chris Doucouliagos		Do house prices sink or ride the wave of migration?		
11:25 - 11:50	Adnan Efendic		Emigration intentions and economic performance: A meta-regression analysis		
11:50 - 12:15	Johanna Kemper		The impact of employment protection legislation on unemployment and employment levels: A meta-analysis		
<b>12:15 - 12:35</b>	<b>Discussion</b>				
<b>Parallel 1b, LZ01</b>			<b>Monetary economics</b>		<b>Chair: Makram El-Shagi</b>
11:00 - 11:25	Iikka Korhonen		Business cycle synchronisation in a currency union: taking stock of the European evidence		
11:25 - 11:50	Andrej Cupák		Comparison of forecast performance of DSGE and VAR models: a meta Analysis		
11:50 - 12:15	Martina Jančoková		Financial globalisation, monetary policy spillovers and macro-modelling: tales from 1001 shocks		
<b>12:15 - 12:35</b>	<b>Discussion</b>				
<b>Parallel 1c, LZ03</b>			<b>Energy</b>		<b>Chair: Iikka Korhonen</b>
11:00 - 11:20	Gunther Bensch		What is the effect of behavioural interventions on residential energy consumption? A systematic review		
11:20 - 11:40	Jan Babecký		The nexus between oil shocks and stock markets: A meta-analysis		
11:40 - 12:00	Gal Hochman		Corn-ethanol and US biofuel policy 10 years later: a quantitative assessment		
12:00 - 12:20	Zuzana Iršová		Does daylight saving save electricity? A meta-analysis		
<b>12:20 - 12:35</b>	<b>Discussion</b>				
<b>12:35 - 14:00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>				

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<b>Keynote 2, Foyer</b>		<b>Chair: Jarko Fidrmuc</b>
14:00 - 15:00	Tom Stanley	Recent developments: Should we WAAP economics' low power and exaggerated results?
<b>15:00 - 15:15</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
<b>Parallel 2a, LZ02</b>		<b>Chair: Kilian Seng</b>
<b>Consumption</b>		
15:15 - 15:40	Tomáš Havránek	Habit formation in consumption: a meta-analysis
15:40 - 16:05	Helena Pirhonen, Irina Dolgoplova	Meta-analysis on the effect of framing on consumer food choices
16:05 - 16:30	Taisuke Imai	Meta-analysis of estimation of time discounting of rewards
<b>16:30 - 16:50</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>Parallel 2b, LZ01</b>		<b>Chair: Christa Hainz</b>
<b>Monetary economics &amp; development</b>		
15:15 - 15:35	Makram El-Shagi	Money demand in China: A meta study
15:35 - 15:55	Thi Mai Lan Nguyen	A meta-analysis on the impacts of monetary policy on aggregate demand and price level in emerging and developing countries
15:55 - 16:15	Petr Koráb	Dollarization, euroization and economic performance: a meta-analysis
16:15 - 16:35	Xiaoye Pu	Meta-analysis of financial development & economic growth in China
<b>16:35 - 16:50</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>Parallel 2c, LZ03</b>		<b>Chair: Martin Siddiqui</b>
<b>Growth &amp; fiscal policy</b>		
15:15 - 15:35	Sebastian Gechert	Which fiscal multipliers are regime-dependent? A meta-regression analysis
15:35 - 15:55	Georgios Magkonis	Volatility and growth: A not so straightforward relationship
15:55 - 16:15	Francesco Aiello	Explaining differences in efficiency: The case of local government literature
16:15 - 16:35	Svatopluk Kapounek, Jūratė Kuklytė	Meta-analysis on impact of cybercrime costs
<b>16:35 - 16:50</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>16:50 - 17:05</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
<b>Plenary 2, LZ02</b>		<b>Chair: Tom Stanley</b>
<b>Methods of meta-analysis</b>		
17:05 - 17:25	Bernd Weiß	Heteroskedastic mixed-effects meta-regression
17:25 - 17:45	Mohammad Jalali	A flexible method for aggregation of prior statistical findings
17:45 - 18:15	Stephan Bruns	Star wars: power needs to awake
18:15 - 18:35	Pedro Bom	A kinked meta-regression model for publication bias correction
<b>18:35 - 18:50</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>19:00 -</b>	<b>Dinner at Zeppelin University, Mensa</b>	
19:00	Josef Wieland	Dinner speech

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## October 14 (Saturday):

<b>9:30 - 9:50,</b>	<b>Open Forum, Foyer</b>	
<b>Plenary 3, LZ02</b>	<b>Education</b>	<b>Chair: Tomáš Havránek</b>
9:50 - 10:10	Margaret Giles	Are correctional education and training programs cost effective? A meta-regression analysis
10:10 - 10:30.	Melvin Vooren	The effectiveness of active labor market policies: A meta-analysis
10:30 - 10:50	Martin Paldam	Public policy with thin evidence markets
<b>10:50 - 11:05</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>11:05 - 11:20</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
<b>Parallel 3a, LZ01</b>	<b>Public Policy</b>	<b>Chair: Martin Paldam</b>
11:20 - 11:40	Ronja Lind	Macroeconomic impact of Basel III: Evidence from a meta-analysis
11:40 - 12:00	Marco Mariani	Evaluating public supports to the investment activities of business firms: A meta-regression analysis of Italian studies
11:50 - 12:00	Fabienne Lind	The knowledge gap hypothesis: A meta-analysis
<b>12:20 - 12:35</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>Parallel 3b, LZ02</b>	<b>Financial markets</b>	<b>Chair: Mehmet Ugur</b>
11:20 - 11:40	Markus Hang	The mediating role of corporate financing strategy in the corporate hedging-firm value relationship: A meta-analysis
11:40 - 12:00	Jerome Geyer-Klingenberg	To hedge or not to hedge? A meta-regression analysis of the existing empirical evidence on corporate hedging and firm value
12:00 - 12:20	Paul-Olivier Klein	Do shareholders value bond offerings? A meta-analysis
<b>12:20 - 12:30</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>Parallel 3c, LZ03</b>	<b>Environment</b>	<b>Chair: Ichiro Iwasaki</b>
11:20 - 11:40	Mayula Chaikumbung	Do institutions shape wetland valuations?
11:40 - 12:00	Maike Bruckes	Drawing the line: examining the relevance of dynamic capabilities and the resource-based view
12:00 - 12:20	Tobias Gaugler	Negative externalities of agriculture: a meta-analysis on the external effects of food production focusing on global climate impacts
<b>12:20 - 12:30</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>Brown-Bag-Lecture (Weisswurst), Foyer</b>		<b>Chair: Marcel Tyrell</b>
12:30 - 13:00	Jan Fidrmuc	Beautiful minds: exploring the impact of beauty on research productivity in economics
13:00 - 13:10	Jarko Fidrmuc	Concluding remarks
<b>14:00 - 22:00</b>	<b>Conference Trip to Meersburg</b>	

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