



THE SIXTEENTH YOUNG ECONOMISTS' SEMINAR

TO THE TWENTY-NINTH DUBROVNIK ECONOMIC CONFERENCE

Organized by the Croatian National Bank

PROGRAMⁱ

WEDNESDAY MAY 24, 2023

8:00 p.m. Dinner

THURSDAY MAY 25, 2023

9:00 – 9:15 a.m. Opening Session

A word from the Young Economists' Seminar organizers

9:15 – 11:15 a.m. Session I

Chairman: Randall K. Filer (Hunter College & The CUNY Graduate Center)

Paper 1: Johannes Binder (Goethe University Frankfurt)

Singles and Couples in a Risky Labor Market

Discussants: Randall K. Filer (Hunter College & The CUNY Graduate Center)
and Marko Škreb (Centralbanking consultant)

Paper 2: Tihana Škrinjarić and Maja Sabol (Croatian National Bank)

Easier said than done: Predicting downside risks to house prices in Croatia

Discussants: Evan Kraft (American University) and Ricardo Lago (University of Miami, Miami Herbert Business School)

11:15 – 11:30 a.m. Coffee Break

11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Session II

Chairman: Ricardo Lago (University of Miami, Miami Herbert Business School)

- Paper 3:** Giulia Piccillo and Poramapa Poonpakdee (Maastricht University)
Ambiguous Business Cycles, Recessions and Uncertainty: quantitative analysis
- Discussants:** Ricardo Lago (University of Miami, Miami Herbert Business School) and Evan Kraft (American University)
- Paper 4:** Julian Gabriel Soriano Harris (Universidad de Alicante)
MacroPrudential Policy's influence on Monetary Policy's Interest Rate Channel. An empirical assessment for the European Union
- Discussants:** Iftekhar Hasan (Fordham University) and Randall Filer (Hunter College & The CUNY Graduate Center)
- 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. Lunch**
- 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Session III**
- Chairman:** Iftekhar Hasan (Fordham University)
- Paper 5:** Lukas Diebold (University of Mannheim) and Björn Richter (Universitat Pompeu Fabra and Barcelona School of Economics)
When Two Become One: Foreign Capital and Household Credit Expansion
- Discussants:** Ivan Žilić (Croatian National Bank) and Evan Kraft (American University)
- Paper 6:** Bono Beriša (Croatian National Bank)
Do Specialised Banks Lend to Croatian Zombies?
- Discussants:** Iftekhar Hasan (Fordham University) and Marko Škreb (Centralbanking consultant)

ⁱ Preliminary and subject to further changes.