



PROGRAMⁱ

29th Dubrovnik Economic Conference

May 25 - May 27, 2023

Dubrovnik, Croatia

Thursday, May 25, 2023

8:00 p.m. Welcome Cocktail/Dinner

Friday, May 26, 2023

9:30 - 9:40 a.m. Opening Session

Boris Vujčić, Croatian National Bank

9:40 - 11:10 a.m. PANEL DISCUSSION I – HOW QUICKLY WILL INFLATION RETURN TO TARGET?

Chairperson: Boris Vujčić, Croatian National Bank

Panellists:

Giovanni Dell’Ariccia, International Monetary Fund

Andreas Billmeier, Brevan Howard

Philip Lane, European Central Bank

Marco Jacopo Lombardi, Bank for International Settlements

11:10-11:40 a.m. Coffee Break

11:40-1:10 p.m. SESSION I – MARKET CONDITIONS AND OUTLOOK

Chairperson: Marc Uzan, Reinventing Brettonwoods Committee

Nina Boyarchenko (Federal Reserve Bank of New York)

Financial Conditions and Risks to Economic Outlook

Discussant: Christian Keller, Barclays

Martin Pintarić and Jurica Zrnc (Croatian National Bank)

Loan Supply and Prices

Discussant: Iftekhar Hasan, Fordham University

1:10-3:00 p.m. Lunch

3:00-4:30 p.m. SESSION II – Keynote speech

Chairperson: Marko Škreb, Centralbanking consultant

Joel Mokyr (Northwestern University)

Diversity, Pluralism and Tolerance: The Roots of Economic Progress?

Discussant: Dubravko Mihaljek, Bank for International Settlements
Shahin Vallee, DGAP

8:00 p.m. Dinner

Saturday, May 27, 2023

9:30 - 11:00 a.m. SESSION III – INTEREST RATES, CLIMATE AND MONETARY POLICY

Chairperson: Sandra Švaljek, Croatian National Bank

Łukasz Rachel (Bank of England) and Lawrence H. Summers (Harvard University)

On Secular Stagnation in the Industrialized World

Discussant: Milan Deskar Škrbić, Croatian National Bank

Emanuela Benincasa (University of Zürich), Gazi Kabaş (Tilburg University) and Steven Ongena (University of Zürich)

“There is No Planet B”, but for Banks “There are Countries B to Z”: Domestic Climate Policy and Cross-Border Lending

Discussant: Maroje Lang, Croatian National Bank

11:00-11:30 a.m. Coffee Break

11:30 – 1:00 p.m. PANEL DISCUSSION II – WHY ARE LABOUR MARKETS SO RESILIENT?

Chairperson: Geoff Gottlieb, International Monetary Fund

Panellists:

Chris Kopf, Union Investment
 Servaas Deroose, former Deputy Director DG ECFIN
 Vedran Šošić, Croatian National Bank
 Tina Žumer, Bank of Slovenia

1:00 - 2:30 p.m. Lunch

2:30 - 4:00 p.m. PANEL DISCUSSION III – FISCAL AND MONETARY POLICIES IN TIMES OF INFLATION

Chairperson: Poul Thomsen, London School of Economics and Political Science

Panellists:

David Andolfatto, University of Miami, Miami Herbert Business School
 Gabriel Makhoul, Central Bank of Ireland
 Gian Maria Milesi Ferretti, Brookings Institution
 Pierre Wunsch, National Bank of Belgium

4:00 – 4:30 p.m. Coffee Break

4:30 - 6:00 p.m. PANEL DISCUSSION IV – BANKING: TROUBLES ON HORIZON OR IDIOSYNCRATIC SHOCKS?

Chairperson: Ásgeir Jónsson, Central Bank of Iceland

Panellists:

Gillian Edgeworth, Wellington Management

Radovan Jelašić, Erste Bank

Damir Odak

Nicolas Véron, Bruegel, Peterson Institute of International Economics

6:00 – 6:10 p.m. Closing Session

Marko Škreb, Centralbankig consultant

Paul Wachtel, New York University

8:00 p.m. Dinner

ⁱ Preliminary and subject to further changes.