

PROGRAM

32nd Dubrovnik Economic Conference

May 29 – May 31, 2026, Dubrovnik, Croatia

FRIDAY, MAY 29, 2026

8:00 P.M. WELCOME COCKTAIL/DINNER

SATURDAY, MAY 30, 2026

9:30 – 9:40 A.M. OPENING SESSION

9:40 – 11:10 A.M. SESSION I

Fabio Canova (BI Norwegian Business School)

Does the transmission of monetary policy shocks change when inflation is high?

Ivo Bakota, Davor Kunovac, Domagoj Šelebaj (Hrvatska narodna banka)

Exchange rate pass-through in the euro area: a counterfactual SVAR approach

11:10 – 11:40 A.M. COFFEE BREAK

11:40 – 1:10 P.M. PANEL DISCUSSION I - CENTRAL BANK INDEPENDENCE UNDER ATTACK

1:10 – 2:40 P.M. LUNCH

2:40 – 4:10 P.M. KEYNOTE LECTURE I

Speaker: Catherine Schenk (Oxford University)

Moving money: public and private interests in the architecture of global payments

4:10 – 4:30 P.M. COFFEE BREAK

4:30 – 6:00 P.M. PANEL DISCUSSION II - WHAT CAN CENTRAL BANKS DO ABOUT HOUSING AFFORDABILITY?

8:00 P.M. DINNER

SUNDAY, MAY 31, 2026

9:30 – 11:00 A.M. SESSION II

Moritz Schularick (SciencesPo)

The safety net: central bank balance sheets and financial crises

Zsolt Darvas, Bruegel

Sovereign debt and fiscal integration in the European Union

11:00 – 11:30 A.M. COFFEE BREAK

11:30 – 1:00 P.M. KEYNOTE LECTURE II

1:00 – 2:30 P.M. LUNCH

2:30 – 4:00 P.M. PANEL DISCUSSION III – BANKS, PRIVATE CREDIT AND PRIVATE EQUITY

4:00 – 4:30 P.M. COFFEE BREAK

4:30 – 6:00 P.M. PANEL DISCUSSION IV – STABLECOINS AND MONETARY POLICY

6:00 - 6:10 P.M. CLOSING SESSION

8:00 P.M. DINNER