



# Research Seminars 2022

## Institute of Economics and Econometrics

### 21 February 2022

#### IEE Webinar

Douglas Gollin, University of Oxford, UK

*The Long-Run Development Impacts of Agricultural Productivity Gains: Evidence from Irrigation Canals in India*

(jointly with Sam Asher (Johns Hopkins SAIS), Alison Campion (Development Data Lab), and Paul Novosad (Dartmouth College))

### 1 March 2022

#### Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Imran Rasul, University College London, UK

*The Search for Good Jobs: Evidence from a Six-Year Field Experiment in Uganda*

(jointly with Oriana Bandiera, Vittorio Bassi, Robin Burgess, Munshi Sulaiman, and Anna Vitali)

### 3 March 2022

#### IEE Brown Bag

Martina Pons, University of Bern, Switzerland

*Minimum Distance Estimation of Quantile Panel Datamodels*

### 7 March 2022

#### IEE Webinar

Jaakko Meriläinen, ITAM, Mexico

*Famine, Inequality, and Conflict*

(jointly with Matti Mitrunen (University of Helsinki) and Tuomo Virkola (VATT Institute for Economic Research))

### 14 March 2022

#### IEE Seminar

Mara P. Squicciarini, Università Bocconi, Italy

*Religiosity and Science: An Oxymoron? Evidence from the Great Influenza Pandemic*

(jointly with Enrico Berkes, Davide Coluccia, and Gaia Dossi)

### 15 March 2023

#### Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Antonella Nocco, University of Salento, Lecce, Italy

*Harnessing Market Power through Globally Coordinated Corporate Taxes and Subsidies*

(jointly with Gianmarco Ottaviano, Matteo Salto, and Atsushi Tadokoro)

#### Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Chris Woodruff, University of Oxford, UK

*Long-Run Effects of Cash Grants: The Sri Lanka Microenterprise Project after 10 Years*

(jointly with Sure De Mel and David McKenzie)

**21 March 2022**IEE Seminar

Jan David Bakker, Università Bocconi, Italy  
*Cities, Heterogeneous Firms, and Trade*

**24 March 2022**IEE Brown Bag

Flavia Cifarelli, GSEM  
*Under the Spotlight: CSR Choices in a Fragile Supply Chain Environment*

**28 March 2022**IEE Seminar

Tatyana Deryugina, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA  
*Pollution and Mortality in the United States: Evidence from 1972-1988*  
(jointly with Julian Reif)

**29 March 2022**Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Paula Bustos, CEMFI, Spain  
*The Effects of Climate Change on Labor and Capital Reallocation*  
(jointly with Christoph Albert (CEMFI), and Jacopo Ponticelli (Northwestern University, NBER, and CEPR))

Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Kate Casey, Stanford University, USA  
*Scaling Political Information Campaigns*  
(jointly with Rachel Glennerster)

**31 March 2022**IEE Brown Bag

Souparna Maji, GSEM  
*Free School Lunch Program and Conflict: Evidence from India's Midday Meal Scheme*  
(jointly with Katia Bergonzoli (University of Lausanne))

**5 April 2022**Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Miklós Koren, Central European University, Austria  
*Foreign Firms and Foreign Managers*  
(jointly with Almos Telegdy)

**7 April 2022**IEE Brown Bag

Chao Fang, GSEM  
*Impact of Tax Exemptions on Cross Border E-Commerce*

**11 April 2022**IEE Seminar

Selim Gulesci, Trinity College Dublin, Ireland  
*Childcare, Labor Supply, and Business Development: Experimental Evidence from Uganda*

**12 April 2022**

Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series  
Leonard Wantchekon, Princeton University, USA  
*Externalities of Colonial Schools*

**14 April 2022**

IEE Brown Bag  
Chen Jiang, GSEM  
*College Education and Gender Role Change: Evidence from an affirmative policy in China*

**25 April 2022**

IEE Seminar  
Giovanni Mastrobuoni, Collegio Carlo Alberto, Italy  
*Migrants at Sea: Unintended Consequences of Search and Rescue Operations*  
(jointly with Claudio Deiana and Vikram Maheshri)

**26 April 2022**

Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series  
Duncan Thomas, Duke University, USA  
*Evolution of Risk Aversion over Five Years after a Major Natural Disaster*  
(jointly with Nicholas Ingwersen and Elizabeth Frankenberg)

**28 April 2022**

IEE Brown Bag  
Fulvio Silvy, GSEM  
*When Tweets Speak Louder than Actions: How Foreign Affiliates Shaped the Stock Market Responses to the 2016 US Election Shock*

**2 May 2022**

IEE Webinar  
Rodrigo Pinto, UCLA, USA  
*Economics of Monotonicity Conditions*  
(jointly with Moshe Buchinsky)

**3 May 2022**

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop  
David Hemous, University of Zurich, Switzerland  
*Growth, Trade, and Patents: A Quantitative Evaluation of TRIPS*  
(jointly with Ralph Ossa, Julian Schaefer, and Tom Sampson)

**5 May 2022**

IEE Brown Bag  
Nandeeta Neerunjun, Aix-Marseille School of Economics, France  
*Carbon Pricing Instruments with Intermittent Renewables: Second-Best Policy*

## **9 May 2022**

### IEE Seminar

Stefania Paredes Fuentes, University of Warwick, UK  
*Who Studies Economics?*

## **10 May 2022**

### Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Banu Demir Pakel, Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey

#### *O-Ring Production Networks*

(jointly with Ana Cecilia Fieler (Yale University and NBER), Daniel Yi Xu (Duke University and NBER), and Kelly Kaili Yang (Duke University))

### Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Martina Björkman Nygvist, Stockholm School of Economics, Sweden

#### *Community Health Provision at Scale: Evidence from a Randomized Trial in Uganda*

(jointly with Andrea Guariso, Jakob Svensson, and Phyllis Awor)

## **12 May 2022**

### IEE Brown Bag

Saeed Tajrishi, Sharif University of Technology, Iran

#### *Economic and Distributional Effects of Dams: Evidence from Iran*

(jointly with Josvan Ommeren and Hans Koster)

## **16 May 2022**

### IEE Webinar

Maria Micaela Sviatschi, Princeton University, USA

#### *Rebel Governance and Development: The Long-Term Effects of Guerrilla's in El Salvador*

## **17 May 2022**

### Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Robert Elliott, University of Birmingham, UK

#### *Eco-Innovation and R&D Outsourcing*

(jointly with Liza Jabbour and Zuokuan Zhou)

## **19 May 2022**

### IEE Brown Bag

Pietro Campa, GSEM

#### *Intergenerational Mobility: The Role of Grandparents*

(jointly with Giacomo De Giorgi, Mauricio Prado, and Battista Severgnini)

## **23 May 2022**

### IEE Seminar

Itay Saporta-Eksten, Tel Aviv University, Israel

#### *Universal Basic Income: Inspecting the Mechanisms*

(jointly with Nir Jaimovich (University of Zurich), Ofer Setty (Tel Aviv University), and Yaniv Yedid-Levi (Interdisciplinary Center, Herzliya))

## **24 May 2022**

### Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Isabela Manelici, London School of Economics, UK

*Responsible Sourcing? Theory and Evidence from Costa Rica*

(jointly with Alonso Alfaro-Ureña, Benjamin Faber, Cecile Gaubert, and José P. Vasquez)

### Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Gianmarco Leon-Ciliotta, U. Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona School of Economics (BSE), Spain

*Promotions and Productivity: The Role of Meritocracy and Pay Progression in the Public Sector*

(jointly with Erika Deserranno and Philipp Kastrau)

## **25 May 2022**

### IEE Seminar

Hunt Allcott, New York University, USA

*When Do Nudges Increase Welfare?*

(jointly with William Morrison and Dmitry Taubinsky)

## **30 May 2022**

### IEE Seminar

Martí Mestieri, Northwestern University, USA

*Technological Waves and Local Growth*

(jointly with Ruben Gaetani and Enrico Berkes)

## **31 May 2022**

### Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Christian Volpe Martincus, Inter-American Development Bank (IDB), USA

*Linkages with Multinationals: The Effects on Domestic Firms' Exports*

(jointly with Jerónimo Carballo, Ignacio Marra de Artiñano, and Gianmarco Ottaviano)

## **7 June 2022**

### Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Melissa Dell, Harvard University, USA

*How Deep Learning Can Help Us Understand Economic Development*

## **9 June 2022**

### IEE Brown Bag

Trang Luu, GSEM

*The Impact of Trade Liberalization on Fields of Study in Viet Nam*

## **19 September 2022**

### IEE Seminar

Katarzyna Wac, GSEM

*QoL Vadis? Open Discussion on Economics of Behaviors, Health, and Life Quality Outcomes*

## **22 September 2022**

### IEE Brown Bag

Andrea Rangel, Université Savoie Mont Blanc, France

*Mobility Gini: Distributional Effects of Transportation Policies*

### **26 September 2022**

#### Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Rafael Dix-Carneiro, Duke University, USA

*Understanding Migration Responses to Local Shocks*

(jointly with Kirill Borusyak and Brian Kovak)

### **27 September 2022**

#### Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Michael Greenstone, University of Chicago, USA

*Can Pollution Markets Work in Developing Countries? Experimental Evidence from India*

### **3 October 2022**

#### IEE Seminar

Vera Chau, GSEM

*Network Effects and New Technology Adoption: Evidence from the Energy Sector*

### **4 October 2022**

#### Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Harald Fadinger, University of Mannheim, Germany

*Gravity with Granularity*

(jointly with Holger Breinlich, Volker Nocke, and Nicolas Schutz)

### **6 October 2022**

#### IEE Brown Bag

Erik Katovich, GSEM

*Labor Reallocation, Human Capital Investment, and "Stranded Careers:" Evidence from an Oil Boom and Bust*

### **10 October 2022**

#### IEE Seminar

Fanny Henriët, Paris School of Economics, France

*'Bad' Oil, 'Worse' Oil, and Carbon Misallocation*

(jointly with Renaud Coulomb and Léo Reitzmann)

### **11 October 2022**

#### Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Marco Sanfilippo, University of Torino, Italy

*Foreign Direct Investment, Geography and Welfare*

(jointly with Jose Asturias and Asha Sundaram)

#### Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Dilip Mookherjee, Boston University, USA

*Network Expansion and Overhang: Entrepreneurship in China's Structural Transformation*

(jointly with Ruo Chen Dai, Kaivan Munshi, and Xiaobo Zhang)

**13 October 2022**

IEE Brown Bag

Chiara Tasselli, Università degli Studi di Modena e Reggio Emilia, Italy

*Gender Inequalities in College Major Choices. The Role of Stereotypes, the Subjective Task Value, and the Expectation of Success*

**17 October 2022**

IEE Seminar

Clara Santamaría, Sciences Po, France

*Delayed Childbearing and Urban Revival*

(jointly with Ana Moreno-Maldonado (CUNEF))

**20 October 2022**

IEE Brown Bag

Eleonora Brandimarti, GSEM

*Self-Selection, University Courses and Returns to Advanced Degrees*

**24 October 2022**

IEE Seminar

Stéphane Mechoulan, Dalhousie University, Canada

*Revisiting the Effects of Abortion Legalization on the Incidence of Sexually-Transmitted Diseases*

(jointly with Juan Pantano (University of Arizona))

**25 October 2022**

Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Paula Bustos, CEMFI, Spain

*The Effects of Climate Change on Labor and Capital Reallocation*

**27 October 2022**

IEE Brown Bag

Kyungbo Han, GSEM

*Long-Term Impact of Emergency Aid on Health: Evidence from the 1984 Ethiopian Famine*

(jointly with Salvatore Di Falco)

**31 October 2022**

IEE Seminar

Tanguy Bernard, University of Bordeaux, France

*Contracting and Quality Upgrading: Evidence from an Experiment in Senegal*

(jointly with Joshua Deutschman and Ouambi Yameogo)

**3 November 2022**

IEE Brown Bag

Federica Braccioli, GSEM

*The Institutional Role of the Italian Mafia: Enforcing Contracts When the State Does Not*

**7 November 2022**

IEE Seminar

Robert D. Metcalfe, University of Southern California, USA  
*Welfare and Congestion*

**8 November 2022**

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Yuan Tian, University of Nottingham, UK  
*Trade Disruptions along the Global Supply Chain*  
(jointly with Alejandro Graziano)

Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Debraj Ray, New York University, USA  
*Measuring Upward Mobility*

**21 November 2022**

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Marta Santamaria, University of Warwick, UK  
*Community Networks and Trade: Evidence from India*  
(jointly with Lucie Gadenne, Johannes Boken, and Tushar Nandi)

**22 November 2022**

Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Shing-Yi Wang, University of Pennsylvania, USA  
*The Benefits and Costs of Guest Worker Programs: Experimental Evidence from The India-UAE Migration Corridor*

**28 November 2022**

IEE Seminar

Beat Hintermann, University of Basel, Switzerland  
*Pigovian Transport Pricing in Practice*  
(jointly with Alberto Castro, Thomas Götschi, Beat Hintermann, Joseph Molloy, Beaumont Schoeman, Christopher Tchervenkov, and Uros Tomic)

**29 November 2022**

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Jie Bai, Harvard Kennedy School, USA  
*Stand Out from the Millions: Market Congestion and Information Friction on Global E-Commerce Platforms*  
(jointly with Maggie Chen, Jin Liu, Xiaosheng Mu, and Daniel Yi Xu)

**1 December 2022**

IEE Brown Bag

Chen Jiang, GSEM  
*College Education and Gender Role Change: Evidence from an Affirmative Action Policy in China*

## **5 December 2022**

### Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Beata Javorcik, University of Oxford, UK

*Did the 2018 Trade War Improve Job Opportunities for US Workers?*

(jointly with Katherine Stapleton (World Bank), Benjamin Kett (IMF), and Layla O'Kane (Burning Glass Technologies))

## **6 December 2022**

### IEE Seminar

Luigi Pistaferri, Stanford University, USA

*Assortative Mating and Wealth Inequality*

(jointly with Andreas Fagereng and Luigi Guiso)

### Virtual Development Economics Seminar Series

Rachel Glennerster, University of Chicago, USA

*The Media or the Message: Experimental Evidence on Mass Media and Contraception in Burkina Faso*

## **8 December 2022**

### IEE Brown Bag

Souparna Maji, GSEM

*Effect of a Large School Construction Program on Domestic Violence in India: Incidence and Reporting*

## **12 December 2022**

### IEE Seminar

Marleen Marra, Sciences Po, France

*Competitive Award of Scarce Airport Slots: an Empirical Analysis*

## **15 December 2022**

### IEE Brown Bag

Flavia Cifarelli, GSEM

*The Impact of NGO Criticisms on Shareholders*

## **19 December 2022**

### IEE Seminar

Massimo Anelli, Università Bocconi, Italy

*Willingness to Pay for Workplace Amenities*

(jointly with Felix Koenig (Carnegie Mellon University, CEP, IZA))

## **20 December 2022**

### Geneva Trade and Development Workshop

Ralph Ossa, University of Zurich, Switzerland

*A Quantitative Analysis of Sustainable Globalization*

(jointly with Mathilde Le Moigne, Simon Lepot, Marcos Ritel, and Dora Simon)

## **22 December 2022**

### IEE Brown Bag

Pritam Saha, GSEM

*Effect of Subsidies on Investment in the Oil and Gas Sector: Evidence from Norway*