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Annual PhD Conference
2021/22

PROGRAMME

Wednesday 13th April | 10:00 – 17.10h | A40 SCGB

Chairs: Kevin Lee and Silvia Sonderegger (PGR Directors)

- 10:00-10:40 **Matias Golman:** ‘The volunteering effect on wages. An instrumental variable approach’
Supervisors: **Trudy Owens** and **Richard Upwards**
- 10:40-11:10 **Athira Vinod:** ‘Did affirmative action in private schools benefit disadvantaged children in India?’
Supervisors: **Richard Upward** and **Trudy Owens**
- 11:10-11:50 **Maria Cristina Griffa Diaz:** ‘How do firms form their understanding of inflation? A VAR analysis using survey data of sectoral inflation’
Supervisors: **Kevin Lee** and **Paul Mizen**
- 11:50-12:30 **Hyunkang Lim:** ‘Misallocation and macroprudential policy in SOEs’
Supervisors: **Rahul Mukherjee** and **Markus Eberhardt**
- 12:30-13:10 **Guido Lamarmora:** ‘Capital allocation under financial frictions’
Supervisors: **Omar Licandro** and **Juan Vizcaino**
- 13:10-14:00 BREAK | after the break A48**
- 14:00-14:40 **Lanlan Wu:** ‘Global supply chain and the comparative advantage of firms’
Supervisors: **Richard Kneller** and **Zhihong Yu**

- 14:40-15:10 **Cleopatra Ngoma:** ‘Bank heterogeneity and interest rates pass-through in Zambia’
Supervisors: **Oliver Morrissey** and **Yoshi Morozumi**
- 15:10-15:50 **Sam van de Schootbrugge:** The distributional consequences of UK fiscal policy’
Supervisors: **Yoshi Morozumi** and **Marta Aloï**
- 15:50-16:30 **Hun Jang:** ‘How should fiscal policies be used as a macroprudential tool?’
Supervisors: **Margarita Rubio** and **Yoshi Morozumi**
- 16:30-17:10 **Benjamin Tatlow:** ‘Unit root tests for explosive financial bubbles in the presence of deterministic level shifts’
Supervisors: **Steve Leybourne** and **David Harvey**