Conference on 'ADJUSTING TO GLOBALISATION'

at the University of Nottingham, 28^{th} to 29^{th} June, 2002

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Conference Convenors: David Greenaway (Nottingham) and Doug Nelson (Tulane)

PROGRAMME

Friday 28th June

09.00 - 09.05 Conference opening: David Greenaway

Session 1 (Chair: David Greenaway)

09.05 - 10.55

Wilhelm Kohler (University of Linz)

'Aspects of International Fragmentation'

Discussant: Rod Falvey (GEP, University of Nottingham)

Carl Davidson and Steve Matusz (Michigan State University)

'Liberalisation and Compensation'

Discussant: Doug Nelson (Tulane University)

10.55 - 11.15 Coffee

11.15 - 13.00

Sajal Lahiri (University of Essex) and Saqib Jafarey (University of Liverpool)

'Export Experience under Borrowing Constraints'

Discussant: Spiros Bougheas (GEP, University of Nottingham)

Sourafel Girma, David Greenaway and Richard Kneller (GEP, University of Nottingham)

'Does Exporting Lead to Better Performance? A Microeconometric Analysis of Matched Firms'

Discussant: Joakim Gullstrand (Lund University)

13.00 - 14.00 Lunch

Session 2 (Chair: Holger Görg)

14.00 - 16.00

Francesca Fabbri (University College London), Jonathan Haskel (Queen Mary and Westfield College, University of London) and Matt Slaughter (Dartmouth College) 'Globalisation and labour demand elasticities in Britain'.

Discussant: Daniel Mirza (GEP, University of Nottingham)

Joanne Lindley, Richard Upward and Peter Wright (GEP, University of Nottingham)

'Regional Mobility and Unemployment Transitions in the UK and Spain' Discussant: Christopher Moir (Department of Trade and Industry)

16.00 Coffee and free time

18.30 Drinks at the University Club

20.00 Dinner in the Council Dining Room, University Park.

Saturday, 29th June

Session 3 (Chair: Peter Wright)

09.00 - 10.50

Amy Jocelyn Glass (Texas A&M University)

'Outsourcing Under Imperfect Protection of Intellectual Property'
Discussant: Pascalis Raimondos-Møller (University of Copenhagen)

Sourafel Girma and Holger Görg (GEP, University of Nottingham)

'Outsourcing, Foreign Ownership and Productivity: Evidence from UK Establishment Level Data'

Discussant: Steve Redding (London School of Economics)

10.50 - 11.10 Coffee

Peter Egger and Michael Pfaffermayr (University of Innsbruck)

'Wage (Adjustment) Effects of International Outsourcing in the EU' Discussant: Sourafel Girma (GEP, University of Nottingham)

Ken Scheve (Yale) and Matt Slaughter (Dartmouth College)

'Economic Insecurity and the Globalization of Production'
Discussant: Fredrik Sjoholm (Stockholm School of Economics)

13.00 - 14.00 Lunch

Session 4 (Chair: Chris Milner)

14.00 - 16.00

Simon Evenett (World Trade Institute, University of Bern)

'Export Growth in Developing Countries: Market Entry and Bilateral Trade Flows' Discussant: Peter Egger (University of Innsbruck)

Noel Gaston (Bond University) and Doug Nelson (Tulane University)

'Indirect versus Direct Globalisation Effects'

Discussant: Simon Evenett (World Trade Institute)

16.00 Coffee and free time

18.30 Drinks - venue tba

20.00 Dinner at Mr Man's Restaurant