



Conference on "New Directions in International Trade Theory"

Leverhulme Centre for Research on Globalisation and Economic Policy (GEP), University of Nottingham

8th and 9th June 2007

to be held in A39 and A42, Sir Clive Granger Building, University Park

PROGRAMME

Friday, 8th June

Coffee available from 9.00 am

9.20 – 9.30 Welcome and Conference Opening

9.30 – 11.30 **Session 1:**

'Multilateral Subsidy Games'

By Dermot Leahy and Peter Neary

Speaker: Peter Neary (Oxford University)

Discussant: Arijit Mukherjee (University of Nottingham and GEP)

'Paths of Efficient Self-enforcing Trade Agreements'

By Eric Bond

Speaker: Eric Bond (Vanderbilt University)

Discussant: Rod Falvey (University of Nottingham and GEP)

11.30 – 12.00 Coffee

12.00 – 13.00 **Session 2**:

'Does Trade Foster Contract Enforcement?'

By James Anderson

Speaker: James Anderson (Boston College)

Discussant: Daniel Seidmann (University of Nottingham)

13.00 – 14.30 Lunch in Staff Club

14.30 – 15.30 **Session 3:**

'Tariff Reforms and Rigid Wages'

By Udo Kreickemeier and Rod Falvey

Speaker: Udo Kreickemeier (University of Nottingham and GEP)

Discussant: Peter Neary (Oxford University)

15.30 - 16.00 Coffee

16.00 – 17.00 **Session 4:**

'Exploring Policy Options in Joint Intertemporal-Spatial Trade Models Using an Incomplete Market Approach'

By Hui Huang, John Whalley and Shunming Zhang

Speaker: John Whalley (University of Western Ontario)

Discussant: Spiros Bougheas (University of Nottingham and GEP)

19.30 Dinner at the Waltons Hotel

Saturday, 9th June

Coffee available from 08.45

9.00 – 11.00 **Session 5**:

'A Multi-country Dynamic Heckscher-Ohlin Model with Physical and Human Capital Accumulation'

By Yunfang Hu, Murray Kemp and Koji Shimomura

Speaker: Yunfang Hu (Kobe University)

Discussant: Ronald Jones (University of Rochester)

'International Trade Models and Real World Features'

By Ronald Jones

Speaker: Ronald Jones (University of Rochester) Discussant: James Anderson (Boston College)

11.00 - 11.15 Coffee

11.15 – 12.15 **Session 6:**

'Free Trade: What Are the Terms-of-Trade Effects?'

By Carsten Kowalczyk and Raymond Riezman

Speaker: Carsten Kowalczyk (Tufts University) Discussant: Eric Bond (Vanderbilt University)

12.15 – 13.15 Lunch in A42

13.15 – 14.15 **Session 7:**

'Trade Liberalization, Growth and Productivity'

By Claustre Bajona, Mark Gibson, Timothy Kehoe and Kim Ruhl

Speaker: Mark Gibson (Washington State University) Discussant: Doug Nelson (Tulane University and GEP)

14.15 - 14.30 Coffee

14.30 – 15.30 **Session 8:**

'Predicting the Pattern of International Specialization in the Neoclassical Trade Model: A Synthesis'

By Daniel Bernhofen

Speaker: Daniel Bernhofen (University of Nottingham and GEP)

Discussant: Catia Montagna (University of Dundee)

16.00 Visit to a local pub for refreshments

20.00 Dinner at Antalya Restaurant, Nottingham City Centre