The Murphy Institute, CESifo and

Leverhulme Centre for Research on Globalisation and Economic Policy

Conference on Global Migration: Economics, Politics, Policy 11-12 March 2011







11 March 2011

- •9:00a--Welcome
 - Steven Sheffrin (Murphy Institute, Tulane University)
 - Doug Nelson (Murphy Institute, Tulane University)

Panel I. Migration and Trade

- 9:15-10:15
 - Richard Upward (Nottingham): Do foreign workers reduce trade barriers: microeconomic evidence

- 10:15-10:30, Coffee
- 10:30-12:30
 - Philip Martin (UC Davis): Trade and Migration: Comparing Mexico-US and Turkey EU
 - Peter Egger (ETH-Zürich): Trade and Migration
- 12:30-1:30, Lunch (At the Intercontinental)

Panel II. Migration and Labor Markets

- 1:30-3:30p
 - Anna Maria Mayda (Georgetown): South-South Migration and the Labor Market: Evidence from South Africa
 - Madeline Zavodny (Agnes Scott College): Chinese Immigrants in the U.S. Labor Market: Effects of Post-Tiananmen Immigration Policy
- 3:30-3:45, Coffee

Panel III. Migration Data Challenges

- 3:45-4:45
 - Çağlar Özden (World Bank): Migration data challenges
- 6:30p: Dinner at K-Pauls (416 Chartres, New Orleans)

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Panel IV. Taxing Remittances

- 9:00-10:00a
 - Jay Wilson (Michigan State University): The Optimal Tax Treatment of Remittances
- 10:00-10:15a: Coffee

Panel V. Political Economy of Migration

- 10:15-12:15
 - Giovanni Facchini (Erasmus): The rhetoric of closed borders: quotas, lax enforcement and illegal migration
 - Michael Hiscox (Harvard): TBA
- 12:15-1:30: Lunch

Panel VI. Political Economy, II

- **1:30-3:30**
 - Jens Hainmueller (MIT): TBA
 - Yotam Margalit (Columbia): TBA
- 3:30-3:45, coffee
- **3:45-4:45**
 - Spiros Bougheas (Nottingham): Skilled Worker Migration

and Trade: Inequality and Welfare

- 6:00-6:45--Reception (Herbsaint)
- 7:00p--Dinner at Herbsaint (701 St. Charles, New Orleans)

The conference venue is the <u>Intercontinental Hotel</u>, 44 St. Charles Avenue, New Orleans, LA.

Participant list.