

# MAER-Net Colloquium 2017

Zeppelin University Friedrichshafen

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> - Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2017



## October 12 (Thursday):

<b>13:00</b>	<b>Welcome and Registration</b>	
<b>13:30 - 16:15</b>	<b>Workshop</b>	
13:30 - 14:30	Tom Stanley	Introduction to meta-regression analysis (MRA)
14:30-15:00	Mehmet Ugur	Multi-level meta-regression
<b>15:00 - 15:15</b>	<b>Break</b>	
15:15-15:45	Jarko Fidrmuc, Svatopluk Kapounek	Bayesian model averaging in meta-analysis
15:45-16:15	Andreas Schneck	Examining publication bias – A simulation-based evaluation of statistical tests on publication bias in meta-analyses
<b>16:15 - 16:30</b>	<b>Break</b>	
<b>Keynote 1</b>	<b>Chair: Chris Doucouliagos</b>	
16:30 - 17:30	Edward Miguel	Transparency, reproducibility, and the credibility of economics research
18:00 - 21:00	Jarko Fidrmuc	Colloquium information
18:00 - 21:00	Alexander Eisenkopf	Welcome speech
<b><i>Grill Dinner, Club Bar and student jazz band</i></b>		

### ***Conference Venue:***

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**October 13 (Friday):**

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<b>Plenary 1</b>	<b>Firm productivity &amp; Management</b> <span style="float: right;">Chair: Killian Seng</span>	
9:00 - 9:20	Mehmet Ugur	What do we know about R&D spillovers and productivity? A meta-regression analysis
9:20 - 9:40	Veredigna Macatangay Ledda	Productivity of firms in global value chains: An inquiry into publication bias using meta-regression analysis
9:40 - 10:10	Ermal Lubishtani	Entrepreneurship and economic performance: A meta-regression analysis
10:10 - 10:30	Ichiro Iwasaki	Ownership concentration and firm performance
<b>10:30 - 10:45</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>10:45 - 11:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
<b>Parallel 1a</b>	<b>Labor markets and migration</b> <span style="float: right;">Chair: Florian Bader</span>	
11:00 - 11:20	Chris Doucouliagos	Do house prices sink or ride the wave of migration?
11:20 - 11:40	Adnan Efendic	Emigration intentions and economic performance: A meta-regression analysis
11:40 - 12:00	Johanna Kemper	The impact of employment protection legislation on unemployment and employment levels: A meta-analysis
12:00 - 12:20	Julien Licheron	Urban amenities and property values: A meta analysis
<b>12:20 - 12:35</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>Parallel 1b</b>	<b>Monetary economics</b> <span style="float: right;">Chair: Christa Hainz</span>	
11:00 - 11:20	Iikka Korhonen	Business cycle synchronisation in a currency union: taking stock of the European evidence
11:20 - 11:40	Andrej Cupák	Comparison of forecast performance of DSGE and VAR models: a meta Analysis
11:40 - 12:00	Svatopluk Kapounek	Impact of money supply on stock exchange prices: evidence from meta-analysis
12:00 - 12:20	Martina Jančoková	Financial globalisation, monetary policy spillovers and macro-modelling: tales from 1001 shocks
<b>12:20 - 12:35</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>Parallel 1c</b>	<b>Energy</b> <span style="float: right;">Chair: Jörn von Lucke</span>	
11:00 - 11:20	Gunther Bensch	What is the effect of behavioural interventions on residential energy consumption? A systematic review
11:20 - 11:40	Jan Babecký	The nexus between oil shocks and stock markets: A meta-analysis
11:40 - 12:00	Gal Hochman	Corn-ethanol and US biofuel policy 10 years later: a quantitative assessment
12:00 - 12:20	Zuzana Iršová	Does daylight saving save electricity? A meta-analysis
<b>12:20 - 12:35</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>12:35 - 14:00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	

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<b>Keynote 2</b>		<b>Chair: Jarko Fidrmuc</b>
14:00 - 15:00	Tom Stanley	Recent developments: Should we WAAP economics' low power and exaggerated results?
<b>15:00 - 15:15</b> <i>Coffee Break</i>		
<b>Parallel 2a</b>		<b>Chair: Anja Achtziger</b>
<b>Consumption</b>		
15:15 - 15:35	Tomáš Havránek	Habit formation in consumption: a meta-analysis
15:35 - 15:55	Irina Dolgoplova	Meta-analysis on the effect of framing on consumer food choices
15:55 - 16:15	Taisuke Imai	Meta-analysis of estimation of time discounting of rewards
16:15 - 16:35	Jean-Christian Tisserand	Social preferences across different populations: meta-analyses on the ultimatum game and dictator game
<b>16:35 - 16:50</b> <i>Discussion</i>		
<b>Parallel 2b</b>		<b>Chair: Ichiro Iwasaki</b>
<b>Monetary economics and development</b>		
15:15 - 15:35	Makram El-Shagi	Money demand in China: A meta study
15:35 - 15:55	Thi Mai Lan Nguyen	A meta-analysis on the impacts of monetary policy on aggregate demand and price level in emerging and developing countries
15:55 - 16:15	Petr Korab	Dollarization, euroization and economic performance: a meta-analysis
16:15 - 16:35	Xiaoye Pu	Meta-analysis of financial development & economic growth in China
<b>16:35 - 16:50</b> <i>Discussion</i>		
<b>Parallel 2c</b>		<b>Chair: Martin Siddiqui</b>
<b>Growth and fiscal policy</b>		
15:15 - 15:35	Sebastian Gechert	Which fiscal multipliers are regime-dependent? A meta-regression analysis
15:35 - 15:55	Georgios Magkonis	Volatility and growth: A not so straightforward relationship
15:55 - 16:15	Francesco Aiello	Explaining differences in efficiency: The case of local government literature
16:15 - 16:35	Jūratė Kuklytė	Meta-analysis on impact of cybercrime costs
<b>16:35 - 16:50</b> <i>Discussion</i>		
<b>16:50 - 17:05</b> <i>Coffee Break</i>		
<b>Plenary 2</b>		<b>Chair: Tom Stanley</b>
<b>Methods of meta-analysis</b>		
17:05 - 17:25	Bernd Weiß	Heteroskedastic mixed-effects meta-regression
17:25 - 17:45	Mohammad Jalali	A flexible method for aggregation of prior statistical findings
17:45 - 18:15	Stephan Bruns	Star wars: power needs to awake
18:15 - 18:35	Pedro Bom	A kinked meta-regression model for publication bias correction
<b>18:35 - 18:50</b> <i>Discussion</i>		
19:00	Josef Eisenkopf	Dinner speech
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<b>Open Forum</b>		
<b>9:30 - 9:50</b>		
<b>Plenary 3</b>	<b>Education</b>	<b>Chair: Chris Doucouliagos</b>
9:50 - 10:10	Margaret Giles	Are correctional education and training programs cost effective? A meta-regression analysis
10:10 - 10:30.	Melvin Vooren	The effectiveness of active labor market policies: A meta-analysis
10:30 - 10:50	Martin Paldam	Public policy with thin evidence markets
<b>10:50 - 11:05</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>11:05 - 11:20</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
<b>Parallel 3a</b>	<b>Public Policy</b>	<b>Chair: Iris Nikolopoulos</b>
11:20 - 11:40	Ronja Lind	Macroeconomic impact of Basel III: Evidence from a meta-analysis
11:40 - 12:00	Marco Mariani	Evaluating public supports to the investment activities of business firms: A meta-regression analysis of Italian studies
11:50 - 12:00	Fabienne Lind	The knowledge gap hypothesis: A meta-analysis
<b>12:20 - 12:35</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	

<b>Parallel 3b</b>	<b>Financial Markets</b>	<b>Chair: Marcel Tyrell</b>
<b>11:20 - 11:40</b>	Markus Hang	The mediating role of corporate financing strategy in the corporate hedging-firm value relationship: A meta-analysis
11:40 - 12:00	Jerome Geyer-Klingenberg	To hedge or not to hedge? A meta-regression analysis of the existing empirical evidence on corporate hedging and firm value
12:00 - 12:20	Paul-Olivier Klein	Do shareholders value bond offerings? A meta-analysis
<b>12:20 - 12:35</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>Parallel 3c</b>	<b>Environment</b>	<b>Chair: Martin Paldam</b>
11:20 - 11:40	Mayula Chaikumbung	Do institutions shape wetland valuations?
11:40 - 12:00	Maike Bruckes	Drawing the line: examining the relevance of dynamic capabilities and the resource-based view
12:00 - 12:20	Tobias Gaugler	Negative externalities of agriculture: a meta-analysis on the external effects of food production focusing on global climate impacts
<b>12:20 - 12:35</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>Brown-Bag-Lecture (Weisswurst)</b>		<b>Chair: Marcel Tyrell</b>
12:35 - 13:35	Jan Fidrmuc	Beautiful minds: exploring the impact of beauty on research productivity in economics
13:35 - 14:00	Jarko Fidrmuc	Concluding remarks
<b>14:00 - 22:00</b>	<b>Conference Trip</b>	

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