

Barcelona GSE Summer Forum

Casa Convalescència – Sant Antoni Maria Claret, 171, Barcelona

GEOGRAPHY, ECONOMIC POLICY AND POLITICAL STRUCTURE

JUNE 14, 2018; Room 16 (First Floor)

June 13

21:00 *Workshop Dinner***

June 14

08:45 *Registration and Welcome*

Session 1

09:00-09:55 **MARCO TABELLINI** (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)
 “Gifts of the Immigrants, Woes of the Natives: Lessons from the Age of Mass Migration”

09:55-10:50 **WALTER STEINGRESS** (Bank of Canada)
 “The Political Impact of Immigration: Evidence from the United States” (with Anna Maria Mayda and Giovanni Peri)

10:50 *Coffee Break**

Session 2

11:20-12:15 **KEREM COŞAR** (University of Virginia)
 “Comparative Advantages, Trade and Endogenous Borders” (with Roberto Bonfatti)

12:15-13:10 **RAFAEL TREIBICH** (University of Southern Denmark)
 “On the Weights of Sovereign Nations” (with Antonin Macé)

13:10 *Lunch**

Session 3

14:20-15:15 **KAI GEHRING** (University of Zurich)
 “Regional Resources and Democratic Secessionism” (with Stephan Schneider)

15:15-16:10 **RUIXUE JIA** (University of California, San Diego)
 “The Oriental City: Political Hierarchy and Regional Development: China, A.D., 1000-2000” (with Ying Bai)

16:10 *Coffee Break**

Session 4

16:40-17:35 **KLAUS DESMET** (Southern Methodist University)
 “The Geography of Linguistic Diversity and the Provision of Public Goods” (with Joseph Gomes and Ignacio Ortuño-Ortín)

17:35-18:30 **GIACOMO PONZETTO** (CREI, UPF, IPEG and Barcelona GSE)
 “Heterogeneous Information and Trade Policy” (with Ruben Enikolopov and Maria Petrova)

21:00 *Workshop Dinner***

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