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The Political Economy of Growth in Peripheral Economies



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Program

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Wednesday, April 14

9:00*

Introduction

Fabio Bulfone, Arianna Tassinari

9:15

Panel I – Peripheral Growth Strategies: Beyond Manufacturing Exports

Capitalist Diversity after the Crisis: Ireland's Economic Adjustment Programme and Post-Crash Growth Model

Neil Dooley

Wage-Led Growth Is Dead! Long Live Wage-Led Growth! Labor's Role in the (Re-)Formation of Israel's Growth Model

Assaf Bondy, Erez Maggor

Export Expansion, Construction Boom or Mortgage Explosion? Trajectories of Housing Construction after the Demise of the Keynesian Construction State

Sebastian Kohl, Alexander Spielau

Discussant: Arianna Tassinari

11:00 Break

11:15

Panel II – Core-Periphery Dynamics in the EU: Coexistence or Disintegration?

Turning a "Disintegrative Crisis" into an Opportunity for a More Cohesive Union

Annamaria Simonazzi

Inequality within the European Union: Peripheries and Divergent Trajectories of Southern and Eastern Europe?

Giuseppe Celi, Valentina Petrovic

The Making of the European financial Periphery: Capital Union, Banking Union, and EFSI

Rachel Epstein, Dora Piroska

Discussant: Martin Höpner

13:00 End of first workshop day

Thursday, April 15

14:00

Panel III – Developmental Pathways at the Periphery

Thinking Big or Small: Reform Complementarities and SME Upgrading in Hungary and Poland

Edgars Eihmanis, Marek Naczyk

Sunshine States in World Markets: Tourism-Led Growth in EMU's Southern Periphery

Reto Bürgisser, Donato Di Carlo

* all times are CET

Flying Below the Radar: Entrepreneurial Municipalities, Sub-National Developmental Alliances and the Building of Competitive Advantage in Bilbao (Spain), Gdansk (Poland), Cluj (Romania), and Debrecen (Hungary)

Cornel Ban, Gergő Medve-Bálint, Clara Volintiru

Discussant: Vera Šćepanović

15:45 Break

16:00

Panel IV – Coalitional Dynamics at the Periphery: Parties, Voters and Interest Groups

The Southern European Way: Employers against Labor Market Reform

Jimena Valdez

Chasing Growth: Political Parties between Organized Interests, Electoral Majorities, and Anti-System Challengers

Jonathan Hopkin, Dustin Voss

The Politics of Growth Models in Europe's Peripheries: Spain and Poland Compared

Visnja Vukov

Discussant: Fabio Bulfone

17:45 End of second workshop day

Friday, April 16

9:00

Panel V – Not All that Glitters Is Gold: The Dark Side of Peripheral Growth

Global Production Networks and the Reproduction of Informalized Labor Regimes in Europe's Peripheries

Francesco Bagnardi

EU Trade Liberalization and the Evolution of Developmental Alliances in Post-Soviet Peripheral Economies

Julia Langbein

Local Effects of FDI

Luca Messerschmidt, Tabea Palmtag, Tobias Rommel

Discussant: Tilmur Ergen

10:45 Break

11:00

Conclusion

11:30

Future Plans

Presenters and discussants only

12:30 End of workshop