Gender Inequality conference

Part of the After the Pandemic conference series

Program

All times are in EST (Eastern Standard Time, as in Toronto or New York)

Thursday, December 9, 2021

7:55-8:00 Welcome

Jerzy (Jurek) Konieczny (Wilfrid Laurier University and ICEA, Canada)

8:00-9:30 Differential Gender Effects of the Pandemic

Chair: Claudia Hupkau (CUNEF Universidad, Spain and LSE, UK)

Yoonyoung Cho (The World Bank), Michell Yoonjei Dong (KDI School of Public Policy and Management, South Korea) and David N. Margolis (Paris School of Economics, France)

Gendered Impact of the Covid-19 Pandemic in the Philippines

Magdalena Smyk (Warsaw School of Economics and Foundation of Admirers and Mavens of Economics | Group for Research in Applied Economics (FAME| GRAPE), Poland), Joanna Tyrowicz (University of Warsaw, FAME|GRAPE, Poland, ICEA and IZA) and Lucas van der Velde (Warsaw School of Economics and FAME|GRAPE, and ICEA, Poland)

Paying for ideal discretion: a framed field experiment on working time arrangements

Claudia Hupkau (CUNEF Universidad, Spain and LSE, UK) and Barbara Petrongolo (University of Oxford, UK)

Gender inequality one year after the onset of the Covid-19 pandemic
9:45-11:15 Women Competitiveness and Sorting

Chair: Alessandro Palmieri (University of Siena and ICEA, Italy)

Gahye (Rosalyn) Jeon (Georgia State University, USA) and David Ong (Jinan University-University of Birmingham Joint Institute, China)

*Is women’s competitiveness expressed through their husband’s income?*

Gahye (Rosalyn) Jeon (Georgia State University, USA) and David Ong (Jinan University-University of Birmingham Joint Institute, China)

*Is Female Competitiveness in the Labor and Marriage Markets Influenced by Gender Identity Norms?*

Egor Malkov (University of Minnesota and Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, USA)

*Spousal Occupational Sorting and COVID-19 Incidence: Evidence from the United States*

11:30-13:00 Working from Home

Chair: Mariele Macaluso (University of Bologna, Italy)

Agnieszka Kasperska (University of Warsaw, Poland)

*Does working from home hinder career progression? The gender and family perspectives.*

Luca Bonacini (University of Modena and Reggio Emilia, Italy), Giovanni Gallo (Sapienza University of Rome, Italy, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia, Italy and Global Labor Organization (GLO), Germany) and Sergio Scicchitano (National Institute for Public Policies Analysis (INAPP), Italy and Global Labor Organization (GLO), Germany)

*Does working from home increase the gender wage gaps? Insights from an Italian survey of occupations*

Mariele Macaluso (University of Bologna, Italy), Riccardo Leoncini (University of Bologna, Italy) and Annalivia Polselli (University of Essex, UK)

*The Impact of Gender Segregation in the UK Labour Market during COVID-19*
13:15-14:45 Productivity, Career Choice and Consumption

**Chair:** Stefanie Huber (University of Amsterdam, Netherlands)

Noriko Amano-Patiño (University of Cambridge, UK), Elisa Faraglia (University of Cambridge, UK and CEPR), Chryssi Giannitsarou (University of Cambridge, UK and CEPR) and Zeina Hasna (University of Cambridge, UK)

*The Unequal Effects of COVID-19 on Economists’ Research Productivity*

Marc Gaudry (Université de Montréal, Canada) and Guillaume Tremblin (Direction Régionale et Interdépartementale de l’Équipement et de l’Aménagement, Île-de-France)

*A study of sex-specificity in urban trip demand model results, Greater Paris Region: new findings included, and a proposal for their systematic doubling-up by sex*

Stefanie Huber (University of Amsterdam, Netherlands)

*SHE can’t afford it and HE doesn’t want it: The gender gap in the COVID-19 consumption response*

14:45-16:15 Flexible Work Arrangements

**Chair:** Lucas van der Velde (FAME|GRAPE, Warsaw School of Economics and ICEA, Poland)

Misty L. Heggeness (U.S. Census Bureau) and Palak Suri (University of Maryland, USA)

*Telework, Childcare, and Mothers' Labor Supply*

Jesica Torres (The World Bank), Franklin Maduko (University of Exeter Business School and The World Bank), Isis Gaddis (The World Bank and Institute of Labor Economics (IZA)), Leonardo Iacovone (The World Bank and Hertie School), and Kathleen Beegle (The World Bank and Institute of Labor Economics (IZA))

*The Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Women-Led Businesses*

Katarzyna Bech-Wysocka (Foundation of Admirers and Mavens of Economics | Group for Research in Applied Economics (FAME|GRAPE) and Warsaw School of Economics, Poland), Magdalena Smyk (FAME|GRAPE and Warsaw School of Economics, Poland), Joanna Tyrowicz (University of Regensburg, Germany, FAME|GRAPE, ICEA, Poland and IZA) and Lucas van der Velde (FAME|GRAPE, Warsaw School of Economics and ICEA, Poland)

*Matching it up: working arrangements and job satisfaction*
Friday, December 10, 2021

8:00-10:00 Gender Effects of the Pandemic in Labour Markets

Chair: Kenneth Couch (University of Connecticut, USA)

Daniel Halim (The World Bank), Sean Hambali (The World Bank) and Ririn Purnamasari (The World Bank)

Assessing the Gendered Impacts of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Indonesia’s Labor Market

Charles Gottlieb (University of St. Gallen, Switzerland), Douglas Gollin (University of Oxford, UK), Cheryl Doss (University of Oxford, UK) and Markus Poschke (McGill University, Canada)

Gender, Work, and Structural Transformation

Corinne Dubois (University of Fribourg, Switzerland), Luisa Lambertini (EPFL, Switzerland) and Yu Wu (EPFL, Switzerland)

Gender Effects of the Covid-19 Pandemic in the Swiss Labor Market

Robert W. Fairlie (University of California at Santa Cruz, USA and NBER), Kenneth Couch (University of Connecticut, USA) and Huanan Xu (Judd Leighton School of Business and Economics, Indiana University South Bend, USA)

The Evolving Impacts of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Gender Inequality in the U.S. Labor Market: The COVID Motherhood Penalty

10:15-11:45 Finance and Business

Chair: Madhu Kalimipalli (Wilfrid Laurier University and ICEA, Canada)

Victoria Geyfman (Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania, USA) and Alexandra M. Papageorgiou (Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania and Citigroup, USA)

Gender Gap in Access to Credit for Small Businesses: Pre-and Post-Pandemic

Costanza Bosone (University of Pavia, Italy), Stefania Maria Bogliardi (University of Pavia, Italy) and Paolo Stefano Giudici (University of Pavia, Italy)

Are ESG female? The Hidden Benefits of Female Presence on Sustainable Finance

Ruidi Huang (Southern Methodist University, USA), Erik J. Mayer (Southern Methodist University, USA) and Darius Miller (Southern Methodist University, USA)

Gender Bias in Promotions: Evidence from Financial Institutions

Discussant: Costanza Bosone (University of Pavia, Italy) (first paper)
12:00-13:00 Keynote

Chair: Jerzy (Jurek) Konieczny (Wilfrid Laurier University and ICEA, Canada)
Stefania Albanesi (University of Pittsburg, NBER and CEPR)

Women's Employment and Business Cycles.

13:15-14:45 Education

Chair: Elisabeth Kempter (Universitaet Tuebingen, Germany)

TM Asaduzzaman (The World Bank BRM), Sarah Baird (George Washington University, USA), Nicola Jones (GAGE-ODI), Shwetlena Sabarwal (The World Bank), Jennifer Seager (George Washington University, USA), Salauddin Tauseef (University of Manchester, UK)

Gendered Impacts of COVID-19 and Growth Mindset Programming on Continued Learning and Educational Aspirations among Adolescents: Evidence from Bangladesh

Javier Garcia-Brazales (CEMFI, Spain)

Unlearning Traditionalism: The Long-run Effects of Schools on Gender Attitudes

Elisabeth Kempter (Universitaet Tuebingen, Germany)

Educated Girls, a Force for Development? Gender Inequality in Education and Economic Performance in sub-Saharan Africa: A Path-Dependency Analysis

15:00 - 16:00 Development

Chair: Tania Ahmed (The World Bank)

Anna Cichecka (University of Wroclaw, Poland)

NGOs advocating for women rights during the COVID-19 pandemic. Case study of Tanzania

Emcet O. Taş (The World Bank) and Tania Ahmed (The World Bank)

Gender Impacts of COVID-19 on the Labor Market and Household Wellbeing in Pakistan
Keynote Speaker: Stefania Albanesi (University of Pittsburg, NBER and CEPR)

Stefania Albanesi is Professor, Department of Economics, University of Pittsburg, Research Associate at the National Bureau of Economic Research and fellow at the Centre for Economic Policy Research. Professor Albanesi's research interests are in macroeconomics, public economics, and labor economics. Her current research concentrates on understanding the determinants of household borrowing and default behavior, and on quantifying the impact of changing trends in female participation on aggregate business cycles.

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