

CRC TR 224 Workshop on Minimum Wages and Collective Bargaining

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CEST Time	Title / Activity	Presenter(s)
08:30-09:00	Registration	
09:00-09:45	The Minimum Wage in Firms' Organizations: Productivity Implications	Claire Lelarge (Université Paris-Saclay)
09:45-10:30	Minimum Wages and the Distribution of Firm Wage Premia	Mathías Fondo (University of Bologna)
10:30-11:00	☕ Coffee Break	
11:00-11:45	The Effects of the Minimum Wage on Collective Bargaining: Evidence from Germany	David Zentler-Munro (University of Essex)
11:45-12:30	Two-tier Collective Wage Bargaining in a Frictional Labor Market	Agneta Berge (Uppsala University)
12:30-14:00	🍕 Lunch Break	
14:00-15:00	POLICY ROUNDTABLE: Minimum Wages and Collective Bargaining—Current Policy Challenges	Stéphane Carcillo (OECD) Sarah Holton (European Central Bank) Tom Krebs (German Minimum Wage Commission)
15:00-15:15	☕ Coffee Break	
15:15-16:00	Technological Change and Unions: An Intergenerational Conflict with Aggregate Impact	Leon Huetsch (University of Lausanne)
16:00-16:45	Unions, Firms, Workers, and Consumers: Lessons from Norway's Unions	Samuel Dodini (Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas)
16:45-17:00	Short Break	
17:00-17:45	KEYNOTE: Minimum Wages—What Have We Learned and Where Do We Go from Here?	Alan Manning (London School of Economics)
18:30-20:30	🍷 Workshop Dinner <i>Rheinterrassen – Gasthaus am Fluss</i> Rheinpromenade 15, 68163 Mannheim	