

# XXII Workshop in International Economics and Finance | Program

## Monday 18th, March 2019

9.00-10.00	OPENING CEREMONY Welcome Governor Brian Wynter (Bank of Jamaica) Opening Remarks Minister Nigel Clarke Keynote Address Carlos Fernandez Valdovinos Administrative Announcements
Policy Session	
10.00-11.00	Topic: Inflation Targeting: Lessons for Emerging Economies Paulina Restrepo-Echavarria (Federal Reserve Bank of St Louis), Andrés Neumeyer (UTDT), Andrew Powell (IDB), Wayne Robinson (BoJ) Chair:
11.00-11.45	Coffee Break and Group Photograph
Session 1	
11.45-12.15	“Expectations' Anchoring and Inflation Persistence” Francesca Caselli (IMF)
12.15-12.45	“No”Pain, All Gain? Exchange Rate Flexibility and the Expenditure-Switching Effect“ Nicolás Magud (IMF)
12.45-14.15	Lunch
Session 2	
14.15-15.15	“Self-Fulfilling Debt Crises, Revisited: The Art of the Desperate Deal” Harold Cole (University of Pennsylvania) Discussant: Juan Passadore (IEF)
15.15-16.15	“Global Banks and Systemic Debt Crises” Diego Pérez (New York University) Discussant: Javier Garcia Cicco (BCRA)

16.15-16.45 Coffee Break

Session 3

16.45-17.45 “Monetary Independence and Rollover Crises”  
Javier Bianchi (Minneapolis FED)  
Discussant: Paulina Restrepo Echevarría (St. Louis Fed)

20.00 Cocktail Reception  
Bank of Jamaica Foyer

## **Tuesday 19th, March , 2019**

09.00-10.00 “Escaping the Losses from Trade: The Impact of Heterogeneity on Skill Acquisition”  
Gastón Navarro (Brown University)  
Discussant: Julieta Caunedo (Cornell University)

10.00-10.30 Coffee Break

10.30-11.30 “Trade in Commodities and Business Cycle Volatility”  
Fernando Leibovici (St. Louis FED)  
Discussant: Constantino Hevia (UTDT)

11.30-12.30 “Production Network Dynamics and the Propagation of Shocks”  
Federico Huneus (Princeton University)  
Discussant: Danial Lashkari (Boston College and Yale)

Lunch

12.30-14.00

Session 4 “Collateral Booms and Information Depletion”  
Alberto Martin (CREI)  
Discussant: Juan Pablo Xandri (Princeton University)

14.00-15.00

15.00-16.00 “Aggregate Dynamics in Lumpy Economies”

Andrés Blanco (University of Michigan)

Discussant: Andrés Drenik (Columbia University)

16.00-16.30

Coffee Break

Session 5

“Ramsey Taxation in the Global Economy”

16.30-17.30

VV Chari (University of Minnesota)

Discussant: Pablo Kurlat (Stanford University)

17.30-18.00

CLOSING EXERCISE

Closing Remarks – Conference Chairman

Presentations

Vote of Thanks