



CONFERENCE

EMPIRICAL INVESTIGATIONS IN SERVICES TRADE: THIRD BIENNIAL CONFERENCE

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■ INTRODUCTION

The Third Empirical Investigations in Services Trade (EIST) conference is an activity of the CEPR Trade Policy Research Network. It brings together research economists working on the analysis of the determinants of trade and investment in services and the impacts of services trade policies on economic performance. Papers span empirical analyses that have a macroeconomic focus as well as analysis focusing on the effects of sectoral policy and regulation, trade and investment agreements and the role of services in value chains, using firm- or industry-level data.

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■ PROGRAMME

9 JULY

09.00 - 09.15 *Welcome by organisers*

SESSION 1 : ON THE USE AND CONSUMPTION OF SERVICES BY FIRMS AND CONSUMERS (CHAIR : BERNARD HOEKMAN)

09.15 - 10.15 **The Geography of Consumption**

- Ferdinando Monte | Georgetown University

Discussant :

Giuseppe Berlingieri | ESSEC Business School, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) & Centre for Economic Performance (London School of Economics)

10.15 - 11.15 **Export Dynamics and Global Sourcing: How Experience Affects the Provision of Service Inputs**

- Giuseppe Berlingieri | ESSEC Business School, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) & Centre for Economic Performance (London School of Economics)

Discussant :

Ferdinando Monte | Georgetown University

11.15 - 11.30 *Coffee break*

11.30 - 12.30 **Services Development and Comparative Advantage in Manufacturing**

- Xuepeng Liu | Kennesaw State University

Discussant :

Erik van der Marel | European Centre for International Political Economy & Université Libre de Bruxelles

12.30 - 13.30 *Lunch*

SESSION 2 : SERVICES TRADE: NEW MEASURES AND DETERMINANTS (CHAIR : NAZIRE NERGIZ DINCER)

13.30 - 14.30 **Towards a Global Trade in Services Dataset by Modes of Supply**

- Steen Wettstein | World Trade Organization

Discussant :

Hildegunn Nordås | Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

14.30 - 15.30

Restrictions on International Trade in Services: Evidence from a New Database

- Joscelyn Magdeleine | World Trade Organization

Discussant :

Joseph Francois | University of Bern & Center for Economic and Policy Research

15.30 - 16.00

Coffee break

16.00 - 17.00

Do Data Flows Restrictions Inhibit Trade in Services?

- Erik van der Marel | European Centre for International Political Economy & Université Libre de Bruxelles

Discussant :

Rebecca Freeman | The Graduate Institute, Geneva

17.00 - 18.00

Aid for Trade and International Transactions in Goods and Services

- Anirudh Shingal | European University Institute

Discussant :

Andrea Ariu | Department of Economics, LMU Munich

20.00

Dinner in town

10 JULY

**SESSION 3 : SERVICES IN TRADE AGREEMENTS (CHAIR : AYCA
TEKIN-KORU)**

09.00 - 10.00

**Beyond Tariff reductions: What Extra Boost from Trade Agreement
Provisions?**

- Rebecca Freeman | The Graduate Institute, Geneva

Discussant :

Alessandro Ferrari | European University Institute

10.00 - 11.00

**Potential FDI effects of the Pacific Alliance - Results of Gravity Analysis
with Bilateral FDI data**

- Hugo Rojas-Romagosa | CPB Netherlands Bureau for Economic Policy
Analysis

Discussant :

Ray Trewin | Australian National University

11.00 - 11.30

Coffee break

11.30 - 12.30

Preferential Trade Agreements and Multinational Production

- Davide Rigo | The Graduate Institute, Geneva

Discussant :

Matteo Fiorini | European University Institute

12.30 - 14.00

Lunch

**SESSION 4 : TRADE IN SERVICES AND THE LABOR MARKET (CHAIR
: MATTEO FIORINI)**

14.00 - 15.00

**The Effects of Services Offshoring at Home. An Aggregate and Quantile
analysis across Sectors and Local Labour Markets**

- Martina Magli | University of Nottingham

Discussant :

Anirudh Shingal | European University Institute

15.00 - 16.00

**The Interconnections between Services and Goods Trade at the Firm-
Level**

- Andrea Ariu | Department of Economics, LMU Munich

Discussant:

Martina Magli | University of Nottingham

16.00 - 16.15

Coffee break

16.15 - 17.15

Services Trade Policy, Structural Change and Labour Market Adjustments

- Hildegunn Nordås | Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

Discussant:

Bernard Hoekman | European University Institute & Center for Economic and Policy Research

■ **SPEAKERS**

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