



**12<sup>th</sup> Migration and Development Conference**  
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Conference organizers:

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<b>Monday, June 17</b>	
<b>08:30-09:00</b>	<b>Registration</b> <i>Building, 14 Room 14.0.4</i>
<b>09:00-09:30</b>	<b>Opening Session</b> <i>Room: 14.0.10</i>  <b>Greetings:</b> <i>Jesús Fernández-Huertas Moraga</i> , Universidad Carlos III de Madrid (UC3M); Chair of the Organizing Committee <i>Thomas Mélonio</i> , Director of Research, Agence Française de Développement (AFD) <i>Çağlar Özden</i> , Lead Economist, DECRG, World Bank <i>Hillel Rapoport</i> , Paris School of Economics; Chair of the Scientific Committee
<b>09:30-10:30</b>	<b>Keynote Lecture 1:</b> “ <i>The Academic Market and the Rise of Universities in Medieval and Early Modern Europe (1000-1800)</i> ” (with F. Docquier, A. Fabre, and R. Stelter) <i>Room 14.0.10</i>  Speaker : <i>David de la Croix</i> (U.C. Louvain) Chair: <i>Thomas Mélonio</i> , (AFD)
<b>10:30-11:00</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>

<b>11:00-13:00</b>	<b>Parallel Session 1A</b> <i>Room: 14.0.7</i> <b>Title: Historical political economy of migration</b> Chair: <i>Ran Abramitzky</i> , Stanford University.	<b>Parallel Session 1B</b> <i>Room: 14.0.9</i> <b>Title: Migration, trade and finance</b> Chair: <i>Çağlar Özden</i> , World Bank
	<i>Santiago Pérez</i> (U.C. Davis): “Southern (American) Hospitality: Italians in Argentina and the US during the Age of Mass Migration” Discussant: <i>Federico Curci</i> , CUNEF  <i>Pierre-Louis Vézina</i> (Kings’ College): “Enemies of the people” (with G. Toews) Discussant: <i>Elizaveta Pronkina</i> , UC3M  <i>Ariell Zimran</i> (Vanderbilt University): “The Economic Assimilation of Irish Famine Migrants to the United States” (with W. J. Collins) Discussant: <i>Ran Abramitzky</i> , Stanford University	<i>Miguel Cardoso</i> (Brock U.): “Immigrants and Exports: Firm-level Evidence from Canada” (with A. Ramanarayanan) Discussant: <i>Clara Santamaría</i> , UC3M  <i>David Leblang</i> (U. of Virginia): “Banking the unbanked Migration and cross-border banking” (with A. O. Zeitz) Discussant: <i>Zoe Kuehn</i> , UAM  <i>Sebastian Ottinger</i> (UCLA): “Immigration and Industry Diffusion” Discussant: <i>Çağlar Özden</i> , World Bank
<b>13:00-14:30</b>	<b>Lunch break (Club de Profesores)</b>	
<b>14:30-16:30</b>	<b>Parallel Session 2A</b> <i>Room: 14.0.7</i> <b>Title: Refugee impact on home countries</b> Chair: <i>Jesús Fernández-Huertas Moraga</i> , UC3M	<b>Parallel Session 2B</b> <i>Room: 14.0.9</i> <b>Title: Migration and African Development</b> Chair: <i>Giovanni Facchini</i> , Nottingham University
	<i>Jackline Wahba</i> (U. of Southampton): “Syrian Refugees and the Migration Dynamics of Jordanians: Moving in or moving out?” (with Nelly El-Mallakh) Discussant: <i>Steven Stillman</i> , Free U. of Bozen-Bolzano  <i>Semih Tumen</i> (Ted University): “The Impact of Low-Skill Refugees on Youth Education” Discussant: <i>Juan José Dolado</i> , UC3M  <i>Marion Mercier</i> (U. Paris Dauphine): “Fighting from abroad – Do refugees affect violence in the home country?” (with Fabio Mariani) Discussant: <i>Jesús Fernández-Huertas Moraga</i> , UC3M	<i>Jorge Agüero</i> (U. of Connecticut): “Human Capital, Internal Migration and Structural Transformation in Africa” Discussant: <i>Carlos Sanz</i> , Banco de España  <i>Jules Gazeaud</i> (U. Clermont Auvergne): “Cash Transfers and Migration: Experimental Evidence from Comoros” (with E. Mvukiyehe and O. Sterck) Discussant: <i>Ricardo Mora</i> , UC3M  <i>Matthew Sharp</i> (LSE): “The labour market impacts of female internal migration: Evidence from a natural experiment in South Africa” Discussant: <i>Giovanni Facchini</i> , Nottingham University
<b>16:30-17:00</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>	

17:00-19:00	<b>Invited Plenary Session 1</b> <i>Room 14.0.10</i> Chair: <i>Ekaterina Zhuravskaya</i> , Paris School of Economics <i>David McKenzie</i> (World Bank): “Migration of the Self-Employed” Discussant: <i>Jan Stuhler</i> , UC3M  <i>Çaglar Özden</i> (World Bank): “Segregation of Syrian refugees in Turkey: Evidence from mobile phone data” (with Simone Bertoli and Michael Packard) Discussant: <i>Ayşe Özgür Pehlivan</i> , Bilkent University  <i>Simone Bertoli</i> (CERDI/U. Clermont Auvergne): “Rational inattention and migration decisions” (with Jesús Fernández-Huertas Moraga and Lucas Guichard) Discussant: <i>Aitor Lacuesta</i> , Banco de España	
20:00-22:00	<b>Conference Dinner</b> <b>Restaurant Puerta 57 at Santiago Bernabeu Stadium (Calle Padre Damian, 15 – Madrid)</b>	
<b>Tuesday, June 18</b>		
09:30-10:30	<b>Keynote Lecture 2: “Diffusion of Gender Norms: Evidence from Stalin’s Ethnic Deportations”</b>  Speaker: <i>Ekaterina Zhuravskaya</i> , Paris School of Economics Chair: <i>Hillel Rapoport</i> , Paris School of Economics	
10:30-11:00	<b>Coffee break</b>	
11:00-13:00	<b>Parallel Session 3A</b> <i>Room 14.0.7</i> <b>Title: Migration and the environment</b> Chair: <i>David McKenzie</i> (World Bank)	<b>Parallel Session 3B</b> <i>Room 14.0.9</i> <b>Title: Refugee impact and selection</b> Chair: <i>Hubert Jayet</i> , University of Lille
	<i>Ilse Ruyssen</i> (Ghent University): ”Weather Shocks and Migration Intentions in Western Africa: Insights from a Multilevel Analysis” (with S. Bertoli, F. Docquier and H. Rapoport) Discussant: <i>Ilan Noy</i> (Victoria University of Wellington)  <i>Jean-Francois Maystadt</i> (U. of Antwerp/Lancaster U. ): “Refugees and Environmental Degradation in Africa” (with V. Mueller and S. van Weezel). Discussant: <i>André Gröger</i> (Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona)	<i>Valerie Mueller</i> (Arizona State University): “Spillover Effects of the Venezuelan Crisis: Migration Impacts in Colombia” (with G. Caruso and C. Gómez Canon) Discussant: <i>Ismael Gálvez</i> , UC3M  <i>Andreas Eberhard-Ruiz</i> (U. of Sussex): “Our trade, thy refugees and my welfare: The spatial impact of civil conflict beyond its borders” Discussant: <i>Nicolas Motz</i> , UAM

	<p><b>Maelys De la Rupelle</b> (U. de Cergy-Pontoise): “Managing the Impact of Climate on Migration: Evidence from Mexico” (with Isabelle Chort) Discussant: <b>David McKenzie</b>, World Bank</p>	<p><b>Cevat Guirai Aksoy</b> (EBRD): “Refugees’ Self-selection into Europe: Who Migrates Where?” (with Panu Poutvaara) Discussant: <b>Hubert Jayet</b>, University of Lille</p>
<b>13:00-14:30</b>	<b>Lunch break</b>	
<b>14:30-16:30</b>	<p><b>Parallel Session 4A</b> Room: 14.0.7 <b>Title: Foreign students and immigration policy</b> Chair: <b>Patricia Cortés</b>, Boston University</p>	<p><b>Parallel Session 4B</b> Room: 14.0.9 <b>Title: Migration networks and social status</b> Chair: <b>Dean Yang</b>, University of Michigan</p>
	<p><b>Giacomo Battiston</b> (Bocconi University): “Rescue on Stage: Border Enforcement and Public Attention in the Mediterranean” Discussant: <b>Jaime Millán</b>, UC3M <b>Murat Demirci</b> (Koç University): “Transition of International STEM Students to the U.S. Labor Market: The Role of Visa Policy” Discussant: <b>Christoph Albert</b>, CEMFI <b>Gaurav Khanna</b> (UCSD): “Trade Shocks and Chinese Students in U.S. Higher Education” (with K. Shih, A. Weinbergerx, M. Xu, and M. Yuk) Discussant: <b>Patricia Cortés</b>, Boston University</p>	<p><b>Alexander Persaud</b> (U. of Richmond): “A (Paid) Passage to India: Migration and revealed willingness to pay for upper-caste status” Discussant: <b>Siddarth George</b>, Harvard University  <b>M. Esther Caballero</b> (Carnegie Mellon U.): “The International Transmission of Local Economic Shocks Through Migrant Networks” (with B. Cadena and B. Kovak) Discussant: <b>Luigi Minale</b>, UC3M <b>Christopher Parsons</b> (U. of Western Australia): “Network Quality and Refugees’ Occupations: Quasi-Experimental Evidence from the Viet Kieu” (with T. Reysenbachy and J. Wahba) Discussant: <b>Dean Yang</b>, University of Michigan</p>
<b>16:30-17:00</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>	
<b>17:00-18:30</b>	<p><b>Invited Plenary Session 2</b> Room: 14.0.10 Chair: <b>Jan Stuhler</b> (UC3M) <b>Ilan Noy</b> (Victoria University of Wellington): “Climate Change Adaptation: Voicing or Migration” (with Michel Beine and Christopher Parsons) Discussant: <b>Kevin Shih</b>, Queens College <b>Dean Yang</b> (University of Michigan): “Abundance from Abroad: Migrant Earnings and Economic Development in the Philippines (with Gaurav Khanna and Caroline Theoharides)” Discussant: <b>Marianna Battaglia</b>, Universidad de Alicante <b>Ran Abramitzky</b> (Stanford University): “Intergenerational Mobility of Immigrants in the U.S. over Two Centuries” (with Leah Boustan, Elisa Jácome and Santiago Pérez) Discussant: <b>Michele Rosenberg</b>, UC3M</p>	
<b>19:00-20:00</b>	<b>Farewell reception</b>	

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