

Title	Session Description
Lightning Round featuring early career scholars	Lightning round for PhD students on the 2021-22 academic job market
Structural analysis of transportation policies and urban structure	We welcome papers that examine the role of transportation policies in urban spatial structure and the organization of economic activity using structural methods.
Clean technology and government regulations	We welcome papers that study the innovation and adoption of clean technology and the role of government policy in this process.
Models of experimentation and reputation	This session will consider games in which agents strategically learn about nature or learn about each other.
Games on networks	This session will study strategic behavior on networks, such as consumers learning about a new product, firms competing with one another, or workers hunting for a new job.
Implications of non-rational expectations	This session explores the integration of non-rational expectations in economic models, both theoretically and empirically, with a particular focus on macroeconomics and finance.
Memory and decision-making	We welcome papers that explore the properties of human memory and their implications for economic decisions, including model development as well as empirical analysis of relevant evidence.
Theoretical frontiers of institutions and organizations	This session focuses on model misspecification, robust mechanism design, and dynamic learning in the study of institutions and organizations (including political, international etc).
Domestic politics of international agreements and institutions	This session focuses on theoretical and empirical studies of the interaction between domestic politics and economics in designing international agreements and institutions, including domestic laws and organizations that determine international policy.
Advances in difference-in-differences	We welcome papers that either consider new estimators in the spirit of usual difference-in-differences, or new inference methods in such contexts.
Nonlinear panel data models	We welcome papers that make progress on either identification, estimation or inference in nonlinear panel data models.
Estimating saving and health	People save for many reasons. This session aims at better measuring and understanding people's saving motives in the presence of multiple sources of risk, such as health risk, medical expenses, income risks, and so on.
Couples and the macroeconomy	Most models abstract from couples and the labor supply of two people in them. This session aims at investigating the importance of modeling couples and understanding their risks and economic decisions for macroeconomic questions.
Deep learning based methods for data curation in economics	This session will examine how deep learning-based methods have been integrated into economic research, with a particular focus on how deep learning can be used to convert novel sources of information into computable data.
Economic growth and structural transformation	This session welcomes papers that examine the determinants of economic growth, as well as those that seek to understand the causes and consequences of structural transformation.
Spatial dimensions of climate change	The quantitative analysis of international and spatial equilibrium has advanced substantially in the last two decades. This session seeks papers that apply frontier tools from this literature to address various issues raised by climate change.

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International dimensions of intangibles and market power	During the last two decades, general equilibrium modeling of the global economy advanced significantly in connecting aggregates with firm level data. This session seeks papers that connect issues of market power and intangible assets to quantitative general equilibrium analysis.
Multinational supply chains	This session seeks papers that study the supply chains put in place by multinationals, their structure or their consequences on workers or on firms that are part of the supply chain.
Recent advances in quantitative spatial economics	The last decade has seen major advances in the development of quantitative spatial models. This session welcomes papers that propose theoretical or methodological advances on this topic, or novel applications.
Economic and econometric methods used in the Tech Sector	We welcome papers describing and/or applying cutting edge quantitative methods in corporate tech settings.
Labor market applications of economics in the Tech Sector	We welcome papers that derive novel labor market implications from new and/or large data sets enabled by advances in information technology.
Optimal fiscal and monetary policy	This session focuses on the macroeconomic effects of fiscal and/or monetary policy. We welcome papers using theoretical models and/or empirical and quantitative tools to tackle this question.
Input-output networks in macro	We welcome papers studying the aggregate and cross-sectional implications of input-output networks in macro models.
Artificial intelligence and econometrics	This session welcomes both methodological and applied work that combines elements from the ML and AI toolkit with econometric methods and objectives.
From data to decisions	This session will present work that develops or applies methods for translating large amounts of data to granular decisions in the private or public sector. We also welcome work examining the consequences of such decisions, including issues of fairness, inequity, and bias.
Gender differences: Lessons from behavioral economics in the lab and in the field	
Cognitive mechanisms: Theory and evidence	
Structural transformation and gender during the course of economic development	This session welcomes papers that study the interplay between structural transformation and female labor supply with an historical perspective or a focus on developing countries.
The dynamics of the gender gap at older ages	This session welcomes papers that focus on gender gaps, of all types, after middle-age, an issue of great relevance as women have increased their labor force participation beyond the usual age of retirement across many nations.
Economics of science	This section welcomes positive and normative analyses of the economics of science funding and on the incentives that drive the creation and diffusion of knowledge.
Incentives in statistics	This section welcomes contributions about the incentives problems relevant for data collection, reporting, and analysis.
Learning more from field experiments	We welcome papers that re-use data from existing field experiments to study topics not necessarily intended by the original experimenters or show how to design better future experiments. We welcome methodological contributions as well as applied research on empirical questions.
The automation of job search and matching	We welcome papers that consider how new technologies can be used to alleviate frictions in the labour market, or how algorithms can be used to change the way job seekers and employers meet and match with each other.

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Behavioral finance	We welcome papers in all areas of behavioral finance, particularly those that use novel model frameworks, estimation methods, or data sources.
Finance and inequality	We welcome papers that study the relation between finance and inequality. Sample topics include gender and racial/ethnic differences in access to and pricing of consumer finance, conflicts between retail and institutional investors, and the impact of Fintech advancements on inequality.
Econometric methods for decision theory	Econometric methods for identification, estimation, and inference of parameters in economic decision models.
Machine learning methods for heterogeneous treatment effects	Theoretical and practical applications of machine learning methods to model, characterize, or allow for individual heterogeneity in the effects of interest.
Firm dynamics	We welcome papers that study firm decisions in dynamic environments. The emphasis will be on topics that examine frictions related to expectations, incentives, or information. Theoretical, empirical, and structural papers will all be considered.
Market power in lending markets	We welcome papers that explore the effects of financial intermediary market power on lending. Theoretical and empirical studies of banks, shadow banks, or other non-traditional lenders will all be considered.
Market microstructure	We welcome papers that are broadly related to liquidity, price discovery, and the industrial organization of financial markets.
Big data in finance	Analysis of very large data sets, such as market microstructure data; Applications of machine learning in finance; Analysis of unstructured data, such as data from social media, satellites, and geolocation sensors
Econometrica Session	invitation only
Quantitative Economics Session	invitation only
Theoretical Economics Session	invitation only
JBES Session	invitation only
Journal of Econometrics Session	invitation only
JPAL: North America Session	invitation only
Methodology in empirical economics: a panel discussion of recent trends	invitation only