ECONOMETRIC SOCIETY/BOCCONI UNIVERSITY 2020 WORLD CONGRESS PROGRAM 8.6.20

TIME	MONDAY, AUGUST 17	TUESDAY, AUGUST 18	WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19	THURSDAY, AUGUST 20	FRIDAY, AUGUST 21
10:00 – 12:00 AM UTC 12:00-14:00 PM CEST/Milan 6:00 - 8:00 AM EDT/NYC	During the Congress, contributed sessions can be accessed and viewed, with continued 24-hour access throughout the Congress. Official Congress runs 8/17/20-8/21/20	**LIVE Q&A** **Live Q&A for contributed sessions** Multiple concurrent sessions of 30-minute blocks	**LIVE Q&A** **Live Q&A for contributed sessions** Multiple concurrent sessions of 30-minute blocks	**LIVE Q&A** **Live Q&A for contributed sessions** Multiple concurrent sessions of 30-minute blocks	**LIVE Q&A** **Live Q&A for contributed sessions** Multiple concurrent sessions of 30-minute blocks
12:00-13:00 PM UTC 14:00 -15:00 PM CEST/Milan 8:00 - 9:00 AM EDT/NYC ***NOTE SPECIAL TIME** **Q&A ENDS AT 13:30 UTC**	***LIVE Q&A** **Live Q&A for contributed sessions** Multiple concurrent sessions of 30-minute blocks **SPECIAL END TIME** 13:30 UTC **Watch Contributed Sessions or earlier taped-from-live presentations.**	**LIVE Q&A** **Live Q&A for contributed sessions** Multiple concurrent sessions of 30-minutes blocks **LIVE THANK YOU GATHERING** **ALL PACs AND PCs WHO WORKED ON WORLD CONGRESS INVITED**	**LIVE POLICY SESSION** **Trade Wars and Trade Talks** *Chair: Giovanni Maggi* Chad Bown Ralph Ossa Steve Redding	**LIVE Q&A** **Live Q&A for contributed sessions** Multiple concurrent sessions of 30-minutes blocks **CONTRIBUTED SESSIONS** Watch Contributed Sessions or earlier taped-from-live presentations.	**LIVE MENTORING SESSION** **Gender Mentoring Session** *Chair: Marina Halac* Xiaohong Chen Janet Currie Nicola Fuchs-Schündeln Nezih Guner
13:00-14:00 AM UTC 15:00 -16:00 PM CEST/Milan 9:00 -10:00 AM EDT/NYC ***NOTE SPECIAL TIME** **WELCOME BEGINS AT 13:30 UTC**	***LIVE WELCOME** **Welcome Address** *Orazio Attanasio, President* *Econometric Society* *Mario Monti, President* *Bocconi University* **SPECIAL TIME** 13:30-14:00 UTC 15:30-16:00 CEST/Milan 9:30 am-10:00 am EDT/NYC	**LIVE POLICY SESSION** **AI and ML in Empirical Research** *Chair: Victor Chernozhukov* Esther Duflo Guido Imbens Vasilis Syrgkanis	**LIVE POLICY SESSION** **What can economics do for racial justice?** *Chair: Eliana La Ferrara* Kerwin Kofi Charles Lisa Cook Imran Rasul Leonard Wantchekon	**LIVE POLICY SESSION** **Climate Change** *Chair: Philippe Aghion* Per Krusell Esteban Rossi-Hansberg	**LIVE POLICY SESSION** **Consumer Data/ and IT Firms** *Chair: Jacques Cremer* Steve Tadelis
14:15-15:30 PM UTC 16:15-17:30 PM CEST/Milan 10:15 - 11:30 AM EDT/NYC	**LIVE PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS** **Economics and measurement: measuring what, measuring how?** Orazio Attanasio Introduction by Stephen Morris	**LIVE FISHER-SCHULTZ LECTURE** **Generic machine learning for heterogenous treatment effects in randomized experiments—and other use of machine learning tools by experimentalists** Esther Duflo Introduction by Gianmario Verona, Rector Bocconi University	**LIVE WALRAS-BOWLEY LECTURE** **Invidious comparisons: ranking and selection as compound decisions** Roger Koenker Introduction by Victor Chernozhukov	**LIVE COWLES MEMORIAL LECTURE** **Random networks in the theory of information diffusion, financial intermediation, and disease transmission** Robert Shimer, Introduction by Larry Samuelson *Preceded by a tribute to World Congress Program Chair Emmanuel Farhi by Jean Tirole*	**LIVE FRISCH LECTURE** **Individual and social welfare: a Bayesian perspective** David Pearce Introduction by Orazio Attanasio
15:30-16:00 PM UTC 17:30-18:00 PM CEST/Milan 11:30 AM -12:00 PM EDT/NYC	**LIVE NETWORKING** 3 live networking sessions *Labor Economics* *Economic Theory* *General Networking "Coffee break"*	**LIVE NETWORKING** 3 live networking sessions *Industrial Organization* *Macroeconomics* *General Networking "Coffee break"*	**LIVE NETWORKING** 3 live networking sessions *Environmental Economics* *Finance* *General Networking "Coffee break"*	**LIVE NETWORKING** 3 live networking sessions *International Macro & Finance* *Experimental & Behavioral Economics* *General Networking "Coffee break"*	**LIVE NETWORKING** 3 live networking sessions *History, Culute and Institutions* *Microeconomics* *General Networking "Coffee break"*
16:00-17:30 UTC 18:00-19:30 PM CEST/Milan 12:00 - 1:30 PM EDT/NYC	**LIVE CONCURRENT SESSIONS** **Contests and Contracts** Thomas Mariotti Juuso Välimäki *Chair: Johannes Hörner* *** **Frontiers of Modern Econometrics** Stéphane Bonhomme Alfred Galichon *Chair: Victor Chernozhukov* Paired invited Will include Q&A	**LIVE CONCURRENT SESSIONS** **Beliefs in Macroeconomics** Nicola Gennaioli Yuriy Gorodnichenko *Chair: Ivan Werning* *** **Health as Human Capital** Janet Currie Nick Papageorge *Chair: Eliana La Ferrara* Paired invited Will include Q&A	**LIVE CONCURRENT SESSIONS** **Frontiers of Time Series Econometrics** Raffaella Giacomini Anna Mikusheva *Chair: Victor Chernozhukov* *** **Social Interactions and Development** Abhijit Banerjee Matt Jackson *Chair: Eliana La Ferrara* Paired invited Will include Q&A	**LIVE CONCURRENT SESSIONS** **Macroeconomic Policy** Monika Piazzesi Ivan Werning *Chair: Ricardo Caballero* *** **Topics in Microeconomic Theory** Philippe Jehiel Alexander Wolitzky *Chair: Johannes Hörner* Paired invited Will include Q&A	**LIVE CONCURRENT SESSIONS** **Modern Causal Inference** Alberto Abadie Christian Hansen *Chair: Victor Chernozhukov* *** **Topics in Industrial Organization** Leslie Marx Volker Nocke *Chair: Johannes Hörner* Paired invited Will include Q&A
17:30-18:00 PM UTC 19:30 - 20:00 PM CEST/Milan 1:30 - 2:00 PM EDT/NYC ***NOTE SPECIAL TIMES** **INEQUALITIES SESSION BEGINS AT 18:15 UTC** **CLOSING REMARKS BEGIN AT 17:45 UTC**	***LIVE POLICY SESSION** **Inequalities Panel** *Chair: Pinelopi Koujianou Goldberg* Oriana Bandiera Sir Richard Blundell Jan Eeckhout Debra Satz ***SPECIAL TIME** 18:15 -19:15 UCT 20:15-21:15 CEST/Milan 2:15 pm-3:15 pm EDT/NYC	**LIVE NETWORKING** 3 live networking sessions *Time Series Econometrics* *Political Economy* *General Networking "Coffee break"*	**LIVE NETWORKING** 3 live networking sessions *Development Economics* *Computational Economics* *General Networking "Coffee break"*	**LIVE NETWORKING** 3 live networking sessions *Public Economics* *International Trade* *General Networking "Coffee break"*	***LIVE CLOSING REMARKS** **Closing Remarks** Gianmario Verona, Rector, Bocconi University Orazio Attanasio, President, The Econometric Society ***SPECIAL TIME** 17:45-18:15 UTC 19:15-20:015CEST/Milan 1:45 pm-2:15 pm EDT
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