

2023 HKUST Conference on International Economics

December 7-8, 2023

Room 1003, 1/F, Lee Shau Kee Business Building, HKUST

Program

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December 7, 2023 (Thursday)

Morning Session

Chair: Edwin Lai, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

9:20-9:25	Opening Remarks Edwin Lai, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
9:25- 10:25	Mechanics of Spatial Growth Caliendo, Lorenzo, Yale University
10:25-10:45	Photo Taking & Coffee/Tea Break
10:45-11:45	Trade and Technology Compatibility in General Equilibrium Jingting Fan, The Pennsylvania State University
11:45-12:45	Bilateral Economies of Scope Sichuang Xu, The Chinese University of Hong Kong Shenzhen
12:45-14:00	Lunch at UniBistro (by invitation)

Afternoon Session

Chair: Yao Amber Li, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

14:00- 15:00	Spreading the Word: High-speed Railway and Local Innovation in China Jenny Juanyi Xu, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
15:00-15:20	Coffee/Tea Break
15:20-16:20	Decomposing Change in Gains from Trade under Fragmentation Edwin Lai, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
16:30-16:40	Coach Ride from LSK Business Building to HKUST Pier
16:45-17:15	Ferry departs from HKUST Pier to Sai Kung
17:15--	Dinner (by invitation)

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December 8, 2023 (Friday)

Morning Session

Chair: Yatang Lin, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

9:20- 10:20	Noisy Global Value Chains Andrei Levchenko, University of Michigan
10:20-10:40	Coffee/Tea Break
10:40-11:40	The Benefits and Costs of Buying American Matilde Bombardini , University of California Berkeley
11:40-12:40	Does Access to Equity Promote Trade? Evidence from IPO Approvals in China Robin Kaiji Gong, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
12:40-14:00	Lunch at UniBistro (by invitation)

Afternoon Session

Chair: Robin Kaiji Gong, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

14:00- 15:00	Factor-Augmenting Technology for Multiproduct Firms Mark Roberts, The Pennsylvania State University
15:00-15:20	Coffee/Tea Break
15:20-16:20	Returns to Scale, Productivity, and Markup: Revisit the Export Premium Hongsong Zhang, The University of Hong Kong
16:20-17:20	Another China Shock? Chinese Capital Goods Export and African Manufacturing Growth Yatang LIN, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
17:20--	Dinner (by invitation)