

STEG Annual Conference 2022 Programme

The STEG Annual Conference is running from 19 to 21 January 2022 as a virtual event. We welcome all those interested in structural transformation from academia, policymaking, the private sector, and beyond. Please register to attend the conference [here](#).

You can review the conference programme below. All times relate to GMT. The programme was updated 12 January to accommodate changes to the first half of Thursday's schedule.

Wednesday, 19 January

<i>Time</i>	<i>Speaker</i>	<i>Presentation</i>
14:00	Doug Gollin and Joe Kaboski	Opening Remarks
14:15	Meredith Startz	Search Cost, Intermediation, and Trade: Experimental Evidence from Ugandan Agricultural Markets (<i>with Lauren Falcao Bergquist and Craig McIntosh</i>)
15:15	Tatjana Kleineberg	Gender Barriers, Structural Transformation, and Economic Development (<i>with Gaurav Chiplunkar</i>)
16:15	Parallel Session Speed Round 1	
Room A	Jeanne Sorin	Pollution in Ugandan Cities: Do Managers Avoid It or Adapt in Place? (<i>with Vittorio Bassi, Matthew E. Kahn, Nancy Lozano Gracia, and Tommaso Porzio</i>)
Room B	Woan Foong Wong	Entrepôt: Hubs, Scale, and Trade Costs (<i>with Sharat Ganapati and Oren Ziv</i>)
Room C	John Spray	Search Externalities in Firm-to-Firm Trade
16:30	BREAK	
16:40	Idossou Marius Adom	Time Delays at the Border: Macroeconomic Consequences for Sub-Saharan African Economies
17:40	Parallel Session Speed Round 2	
Room A	Marc Teignier	Structural Change, Land Use, and Urban Expansion (<i>with Nicolas Coeurdacier and Florian Oswald</i>)
Room B	Verena Wiedemann	Supply Chains in Times of Crisis: Evidence from Kenya's Production Networks (<i>with Peter W. Chacha and Benard Kirui</i>)
Room C	Fatou Kiné Thioune	Misallocation and Financial Constraints Among Firms in Africa
17:55	BREAK	
18:00	Richard Rogerson	New Evidence on Sectoral Productivity and Development (<i>with Berthold Herrendorf and Ákos Valentinyi</i>)
19:00	CLOSE	

Thursday, 20 January

<i>Time</i>	<i>Speaker</i>	<i>Presentation</i>
14:00	Doug Gollin and Joe Kaboski	Opening Remarks
14:05	Laura Alfaro	Academic Keynote
15:10	Parallel Session Speed Round 3	
Room A	Florian Grosset	The Social Tax: Redistributive Pressure and Labor Supply <i>(with Eliana Carranza, Aletheia Donald, and Supreet Kaur)</i>
Room B	Louise Fox	The Fourth Industrial Revolution and the Future of Work: Could This Bring Good Jobs to Africa? <i>(with Landry Signé)</i>
Room C	Manaswini Rao	Courts Redux: Micro-Evidence from India
15:25	BREAK	
15:30	Yogita Shamdasani	Climate Change and Labor Reallocation: Evidence from Six Decades of the Indian Census <i>(with Maggie Liu and Vis Taraz)</i>
16:30	Lucas Zavala	Unfair Trade? Market Power in Agricultural Value Chains
17:30	Parallel Session Speed Round 4	
Room A	Nancy Claire Benjamin	The Failure of Structural Transformation in Francophone Africa and the Rise of the Informal Sector <i>(with Ahmadou Aly Mbaye)</i>
Room B	Nezih Guner	The Great Transition: Kuznets Facts for Family-Economists <i>(with Jeremy Greenwood and Ricardo Marto)</i>
Room C	Alexey Makarin	Production Networks and War <i>(with Vasily Korovkin)</i>
17:45	BREAK	
17:55	Parallel Session Speed Round 5	
Room A	Askar Mukashov	The Role of Global Climate Change in Structural Transformation of Sub-Saharan Africa: Case Study of Senegal <i>(with Christian Henning, Richard Robertson, and Manfred Wiebelt)</i>
Room B	Ernest Liu	Dynamic Spatial General Equilibrium <i>(with Benny Kleinman and Stephen J. Redding)</i>
Room C	Ashantha Ranasinghe	Misallocation across Establishment Gender
18:10	BREAK	
18:15	Yusuf Neggars	Updating the State: Information Acquisition Costs and Public Benefit Delivery <i>(with Eric Dodge, Rohini Pande, and Charity Troyer Moore)</i>
19:15	CLOSE	

Friday, 21 January

<i>Time</i>	<i>Speaker</i>	<i>Presentation</i>
14:00	Doug Gollin and Joe Kaboski	Opening Remarks
14:15	Louis Kasekende	Policy Keynote
15:30	Parallel Session Speed Round 6	
Room A	Gabriel Ulysea	Rural-Urban Migration, Informality and Firm Dynamics (<i>with Clément Imbert</i>)
Room B	Gaaitzen J. de Vries	Industrialization in Developing Countries: Is it Related to Poverty Reduction? (<i>with Abdul A. Erumban</i>)
Room C	Devaki Ghose	Production Networks and Firm-level Elasticities of Substitution (<i>with Brian Cevallos Fujiy and Gaurav Khanna</i>)
15:45	BREAK	
15:55	Parallel Session Speed Round 7	
Room A	Kilugala Malimi	Rural Poverty Reduction Strategies in Sub-Saharan Africa: Market Substitutes for Agricultural Input Subsidies
Room B	Kei-Mu Yi	Deindustrialization and Industry Polarization (<i>with Michael Sposi and Jing Zhang</i>)
Room C	Clement Minaudier	Corruption as an Informal Fiscal System (<i>with Shan Aman-Rana and Sandip Sukhtankar</i>)
16:10	BREAK	
16:20	Parallel Session Speed Round 8	
Room A	Chaoran Chen	Land Security and Mobility Frictions (<i>with Tasso Adamopoulos, Loren Brandt, Diego Restuccia, and Xiaoyun Wei</i>)
Room B	Sarah Schroeder	Mobility Frictions, Remittances and the Distributional Effects of International Trade (<i>with Rui Zhang</i>)
Room C	Jonas Gathen	Growth and the Firm-size Distribution over the Long-run: Evidence from Indonesia (<i>with Oscar Fentanes</i>)
16:35	BREAK	
16:45	Doug Gollin and Joe Kaboski	STEG Programme Update
17:00	Calumn Hamilton	Foreign Aid and Structural Change
18:00	Kevin Donovan	Labor Market Flows and Development (<i>with Will Jianyu Lu and Todd Schoellman</i>)
19:00	CLOSE	