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**July 1-4, 2018  
Reims, FRANCE**

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## Sunday, July 1, 2018

**11:00** – Welcome at Hotel Golden Tulip – Kyriad – Ibis

**12:00** – Lunch at the “Le Spark restaurant”, Golden Tulip, 41 Boulevard Foch, 51100 Reims, France.

**13:30** – Social events (guided visit of Reims and Champagne tasting)

**19:30** – Dinner at the restaurant “L’Apostrophe” 59 Place Drouet d’Erlon, 51100 Reims.

## Monday, July 2, 2018

**9:00-12:30**

Consortium Committee and Advisory Board (room: Salon Foch)  
EPOG Students and Alumni Association (EPOG SAA) meeting (room: salon Colbert)

**12:30-13:15**

Presentation of EPOG SAA outcomes (room: Salon Fosch)

**13:15-14:30** – Lunch at «Le Spark restaurant», Golden Tulip

**14:30** – Social events (guided bus tour and evening in the Champagne vineyard)

**19:30** – Dinner at the restaurant “L’Abbaye” 114 Rue de l’Église, 51160 Hautvillers.

## Tuesday, July 3, 2018

**9:00-10:45**

**PARALLEL SESSION 1: “Market power, technological advantage and value chain”**

**Maria Luiza ABRITTA MORO,**

«The introduction of GM soybean technology in the Brazilian agriculture : issues and perspective»

**Luisa IACHAN,**

«Digital platforms and the recorded music value chain: to whom are revenues streaming?»

**Victoria KOBZISTAYA,**

«Industry 4.0: knowledge and technology transfer in the automotive sector»

**Tiago COUTO PORTO,**

«Catch-up cycles in IT services: windows of opportunity, stages of catch up and moving up the value chain»

**Eric Christian ESTOLATAN,**

«Staying ahead: understanding how knowledge flows among select top firms in global advanced robotics»

**Discussants :** students involved in parallel session 5

**Chair :** Maryam ATTALA

**Room :** 18-0012

**9:00-10:45**

**PARALLEL SESSION 2: “From gender in the economy to a commons-based economy”**

**Luca WETTLAUFER,**

«Collective action and the urban commons. The Italian regulation on shared management of the urban commons»

**Brenda DORPALEN,**

«Why so few Maries Curies? Disentangling the reasons behind the differences in gender gaps in innovation across nations»

**Carmen GIOVANAZZI,**

«Macroeconomic effects of gender inequality - a structuralist approach»

**Afroza ALAM,**

«Estimating the determinants of female labour force participation in Bangladesh: 2005 to 2010»

**Clara DALLAIRE-FORTIER,**

«Caught in transition: the employment landscape following the Emerald Mine closure»

**Discussants :** students involved in parallel session 6

**Chair :** Jenan AL-SHOWAIKH

**Room :** 18-0014

**10:45-11:15** – Coffee break (room: Hall building 18)

**11:15-13:00**

**PARALLEL SESSION 3: “Monetary policies in a financialised world”**

**Adhgha Nizar DZULKIFLI,**

«The federal reserve’s announcement effect on Indonesian portfolio market during the GFC and post-GFC period»

**Victoria FATTINGER,**

«A sectoral net-lending and net-borrowing perspective on quantitative easing»

**Ettore GALLO,**

«Investment, autonomous demand and long-run capacity utilization: an empirical test for the euro area»

**Aidai NURBEK KYZY,**

«Quantitative easing and income distribution after the Great Recession»

**Felipe SPOLIANTE LITRAN,**

«Post-crisis evolution: the Dodd-Frank cct, EMIR and OTC derivatives markets»

**Discussants:** students involved in session 1

**Chair:** Eric Christian ESTOLATAN

**Room:** 18-0012

**11:15-13:00**

**PARALLEL SESSION 4: “Income distribution and inequalities”**

**Maria Cristina BARBIERI GOES,**

«Personal income distribution and progressive taxation in neo-Kaleckian model»

**Benedikt GOEHMANN,**

«The role of productivity, bargaining power and household debt for wage growth - evidence in Germany on the micro- and meso-level»

**Kasper KÖHLER,**

«The limits to profit-wage redistribution: endogenous regime shifts in Kaleckian models of growth and distribution»

**Khayyomjon QODIROV,**

«Economic growth, income inequality and poverty reduction in developing countries»

**Ryan WOODGATE,**

«The paradox of tax competition: effective corporate tax rates as a determinant of foreign direct investment in a modified neo-Kaleckian model»

**Discussants:** students involved in parallel session 2

**Chair:** Carmen GIOVANAZZI

**Room:** 18-0014

**13:00-14:15** – Lunch at the university (room: 3126)

**14:15-16:00**

### **PARALLEL SESSION 5: “Productivity”**

**Maryam AHMED,**

«The role of ICT in labor productivity»

**Grazia Sveva ASCIONE,**

«Universities’ patent market in US: effects on innovation quality»

**Eltjana PLAKU,**

«Key performance indicators as an instrument for assessing the performance of the vocational education and training system: Albania as a case study»

**Mariam ATTALLA,**

«University-industry linkages in Egypt: a political economy approach»

**Emmanuel AKANDE,**

«The future of copyright in the ICT domain? Consumer perceived approach and network effect»

**Leila Yasmín MUCARSEL ELASKAR,**

«Financing mission-oriented innovation in developing countries: picking the “winners” or picking the “willing”? The cases of Brazil’s BNDES and China’s CDB»

**Discussants:** students involved in parallel session 3

**Chair:** Adhgha Nizar DZULKIFLI

**Room:** 18-0012

**14:15-16:00**

### **PARALLEL SESSION 6: “Development and economic situation in different regional contexts”**

**Maryam MANSOOR,**

«Impact of taxation on the growth of ICT industry in Pakistan»

**Jelena BRANKOVIC,**

«Differences in worker’s position between the Yugoslavian self-management and current capitalistic systems in former Yugoslavian republics»

**Julian CAVALLERO,**

«Catching-up and falling behind. Why Latin American nations oscillate?»

**Jenan AL-SHOWAIKH,**

«Building linkages in the oil and gas sector in Qatar»

**Fernanda Maria MEJIA SANDOVAL,**

«Infrastructure : a variable for development in Guatemala?»

**Vinicius DINIZ MORAES,**

«From euphoria to depression: political settlements and crisis in Brazil during Dilma’s presidency»

**Discussants :** students involved in parallel session 4

**Chair:** Benedikt GOEHMANN

**Room:** 18-0014

**16:00-16:30** – Coffee break

**16:30** – Free time or attendance at AFEP DOCTORIALES (room: 18-1002)

**19:30** – Diner at the restaurant “ Excelsior”, 96 Place Drouet d’Erlon, 51100 Reims

## **Wednesday, July 4, 2018**

Université de Reims - Campus Croix-Rouge - 57 rue Pierre Taittinger - 51096 Reims

**09:30-11:00**

**EPOG SESSION 1: “From prosperity into the crisis and back: Economic theories as “navigation maps.”**

**Speaker:** Stephan Schulmeister, former economist at the Austrian Institute of Economic Research (WIFO) and lecturer at the Vienna University of Economics and Business (WU).

**Chairs :** Salam ABU KHADRA and Ludwig LIST

**Room :** 18-1002

**11:00-11:15** – Coffee break (room: Hall building 18)

**11:15-12:45** - AFEP parallel sessions 1( room: building 18)

**12:45-14:00** - Lunch at the conference (room:3127-3130 building 3)

**14:00-15:30**

**EPOG SESSION 2: “Social Ecological Crises and Transformation of the Economy”**

**Speaker:** Clive SPASH (Professor of Public Policy and Governance, University of Vienna)

**Chairs:** Clara DALLAIRE-FORTIER and Joel RABINOVICH

**Room:** 18-1002

**15:30-15:45** – EPOG closing address

**16:00-16:30** – Coffee break (room: Hall building 18)