End of Year Macroeconomics Conference at CIGS

9:00-17:00, December 26 (Fri), 2014

Time Table

Chair: Keiichiro Kobayashi (CIGS) 09:00 -- 09:45 Hikaru Saijo (University of California) "Technology Shocks and Hours Revisited: A Supply-Side Interpretation" 09:45 -- 10:30 Seung-Gyu (Andrew) Sim (University of Tokyo) "On-the-Job Training and On-the-Job Search: Wage-Training Contract in a Frictional Labor Market." 10:30 - 10:45 Coffee Break 10:45 -- 11:30 Daisuke Miyakawa (Nihon University) "Business Cycles, Monetary Policy and Bank Lending: Identifying the Bank Balance Sheet Channel with Firm-Bank Match-Level Loan Data" (with Kaoru Hosono) 11:30 -- 11:45 Coffee Break 11:45 -- 12:30 Selahattin Imrohoroglu (University of Southern California) "The Effects of a Lower Capital Income Tax Rate on the Japanese Economy" (with Nao Sudo) 12:30 -- 13:30 Lunch

Chair: Ippei Fujiwara (Keio University)

- 13:30 -- 14:15 Yuichiro Waki (University of Queensland)
 "Small and Orthodox Fiscal Multipliers at the Zero Lower Bound"
 (with R. Anton Braun and Lena Mareen Körber)
- 14:15 -- 15:00 Nao Sudo (Bank of Japan)

 "Linkage Between Macroeconomic Conditions and Inequality in Japan." (with Michio Suzuki and Tomoaki Yamada)

15:00 - 15:15 Coffee Break

15:15 -- 16:00 Kozo Ueda (Waseda University)

"Aging and Deflation from a Fiscal Perspective" (with Mitsuru Katagiri and Hideki Konishi)

16:15 -- 17:00 R. Anton Braun (Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta)
"Old, Sick, Alone and Poor: A Welfare Analysis of Old-Age Social
Insurance Programs" (with Karen A. Kopecky and Tatyana
Koreshkova)

Closing Remarks by R. Anton Braun

17:05 -- 18:15 Reception (Conference room)