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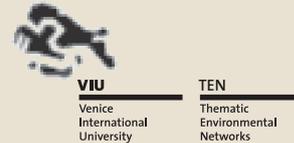


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General Conference Information

Objective and Overview

The objective of the annual conference on economic analysis is to promote the exchange of ideas among economists conducting quantitative analysis of global economic issues. Particular emphasis will be placed on applied general equilibrium methods, data, and application. Related theoretical and applied work is also welcome.

The conference will feature a plenary session each day comprised of distinguished, intellectual leaders in their respective fields. These presentations are designed to introduce participants to new topics as well as provide fresh insights into familiar ones. The content of these sessions is selected to reflect the overall conference themes:

“Governing Global Challenges: Climate Change, Trade, Finance and Development”

- Environment and Climate
- Trade
- Distributional and Equity Issues
- Dynamics and Growth
- Energy Supply and Security
- International Health Issues
- Poverty, Employment and Development
- Conflicts
- Natural Resources Supply and Security
- Methodology, Software and Data

The conference will also feature specially organized and contributed paper sessions. The organized sessions have been developed by members of the GTAP Network to highlight a specific research area. The contributed paper sessions were selected through a peer review process and subsequently grouped to reflect the varied themes being addressed by members of the GTAP Network. Those papers designated with the “*Featured Paper*” distinction, scored the highest in the peer review process. Papers from each session may be accessed through the conference homepage on the GTAP website. <http://www.gtap.agecon.purdue.edu/events/conferences/2011/> ISSN 2160-2115 (online)

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The conference co-chairs and committee welcome you to historic Venice and wish you an enjoyable and productive conference!

Organizing Institutions



Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei

Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei (FEEM) is a nonprofit, nonpartisan research institution devoted to the study of sustainable development and global governance. Officially recognized by the President of the Italian Republic in 1989 and in full operation since 1990, FEEM has grown to become a leading research centre, providing timely and objective analysis on a wide range of environmental, energy and global economic issues.

FEEM's mission is to improve through research the quality of decision-making in public and private spheres. This goal is achieved by creating an international and multidisciplinary network of researchers working on several innovative programmes, by providing and promoting training in specialized areas of research, by disseminating research results through a wide range of outreach activities, and by delivering directly to policy makers via participation in various institutional fora.

<http://www.feem.it>



Center for Global Trade Analysis, Purdue University

The Global Trade Analysis Project (GTAP) is a global network of researchers and policy makers conducting quantitative analysis of international policy issues within an economy-wide framework. GTAP is coordinated by the Center for Global Trade Analysis which is housed in the Department of Agricultural Economics at Purdue University. The Center for Global Trade Analysis' mission is to provide leadership in economic policy analysis through better data, fostering collaboration, and research.

The centerpiece of Global Trade Analysis Project is the GTAP Data Base, a fully documented and publicly available, analytical database for the global economy which contains detailed country data, linked through bilateral trade, transportation and protection. Accompanying this database is a set of GTAP-based models used and developed by network members. The GTAP Data Base and analytical framework are used by thousands of researchers around the world. Originally, the majority of the research was related to international trade policy issues. Today, GTAP is still the most widely used tool for trade policy, but its use has expanded into poverty, international migration, foreign investment, climate change, environment, energy, and biofuel policies. GTAP has become a common "language" for many of those conducting analysis of global policy issues with GTAP-based results becoming increasingly influential in decision making around the world in trade, climate change, energy and the environment.

<http://www.gtap.agecon.purdue.edu>



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Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Ca' Foscari University of Venice has a national and international outstanding reputation for academic excellence in both teaching and research. Founded on 6th August 1868 as the first Italian high school devoted to commerce and economics, it has grown and developed new relevant subject areas. The Faculty of Foreign Languages and Literatures was established in 1954, while the Faculties of Letters and Chemistry were created in 1969. In 1990, the latter finally became the present Faculty of Science. The Faculty of Economics provides innovative teaching programmes combining economics (theory, methods and models) with legal, mathematical and statistical subjects, with management and business.

Since its foundation, the University has been housed in a remarkable fifteen-century palace on the Grand Canal. Nevertheless various are now the buildings hosting the university premises throughout Venice. Ca' Foscari is now a modern and well-renowned university which offers a wide range of teaching and research activities across four main subject areas: economics, languages, science and humanities.

<http://www.unive.it>

Supporting Institutions



Euro-Mediterranean Centre for Climate Change

The Euro-Mediterranean Centre on Climate Change (CMCC) is the Italian research centre on climate science and policy with its registered office and administration in Lecce and local units in Bologna, Venice, Capua, Sassari, Milan and Benevento. The society doesn't pursue profitable ends and aims to realize and manage the Centre, its promotion, and research coordination and different scientific and applied activities in the field of climate change study. These activities are developed exclusively for the Center's work objectives, and favour collaboration among Universities, national and international research bodies, territorial bodies and the industrial sector. It operates in these circles in the name and on behalf of its consortium partners. CMCC activities focus on the development and applications of models of climate dynamics, impacts of climate change and adaptation and mitigation policies. The CMCC produces numerical simulations of global and regional models of climate change, as well economic analysis of its impacts on terrestrial and marine ecosystems and on economic activities. Climate policies are also evaluated, jointly with their implications on energy investments, research and development and the diffusion of climate-friendly technologies. Land use changes, deforestation and afforestation are integrated in the analysis of global impacts of climate change and of future paths of economic development in different world regions. CMCC activities are organised in six research Divisions: Scientific Computing and Operations (SCO), Numerical Applications and Scenarios (ANS), Climate Impacts and Policies (CIP), Impact on Soil and Coast (ISC), Impacts on Agriculture, Forest, and Natural Ecosystems (IAFENT) and Education, Documentation and Dissemination (FDD).

<http://www.cmcc.it>



International Center for Climate Governance

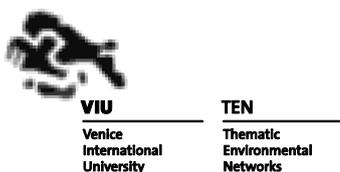
The International Center for Climate Governance (ICCG) is a joint initiative of the Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei (FEEM) and the Fondazione Giorgio Cini (FGC), which focuses its research activities on the design of climate policy and related governing institutions.

Located on the Island of San Giorgio Maggiore, in front of Saint Mark's Square in Venice, the ICCG gathers researchers in economics and political sciences who explore the interdependencies between the economic, social, cultural, religious and political aspects of climate governance.

Fully interdisciplinary and open to the interaction and cooperation between different worlds and cultures, the ICCG favours dialogues and negotiations to achieve equitable and effective decisions on climate policy. The ICCG promotes initiatives at the sectoral, regional, national, and international level designed to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the atmosphere and to facilitate the adaptation of economic and environmental systems, particularly in developing countries, to the changing climate patterns.

The activities for the three years 2009-2011 have been funded by the Italian Ministry for the Environment, Land and Sea through the cooperation between ICCG and the Euro-Mediterranean Centre for Climate Change.

<http://www.iccgov.org>



TEN Center - Thematic Environmental Networks

The Center for Thematic Environmental Networks (TEN Center) is a Center for education and research in the fields of environment and sustainable development. TEN Center promotes the exchange of knowledge and information on the environmental field and offers tools and supplementary approaches in order to solve environmental issues with specific reference to sustainable development.

TEN Center promotes education and advanced training programs on sustainable development and environmental management; develops research activities on the main areas of environmental protection, with specific focus on developing countries; hosts initiatives which provide a meeting platform for the competent authorities, researchers and those who are involved in environmental and sustainable development issues.

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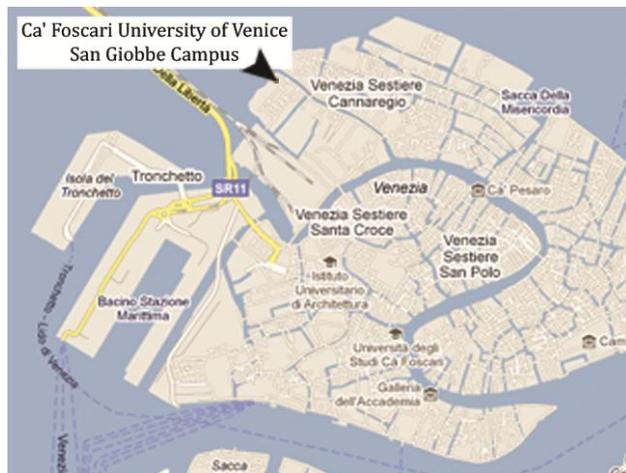
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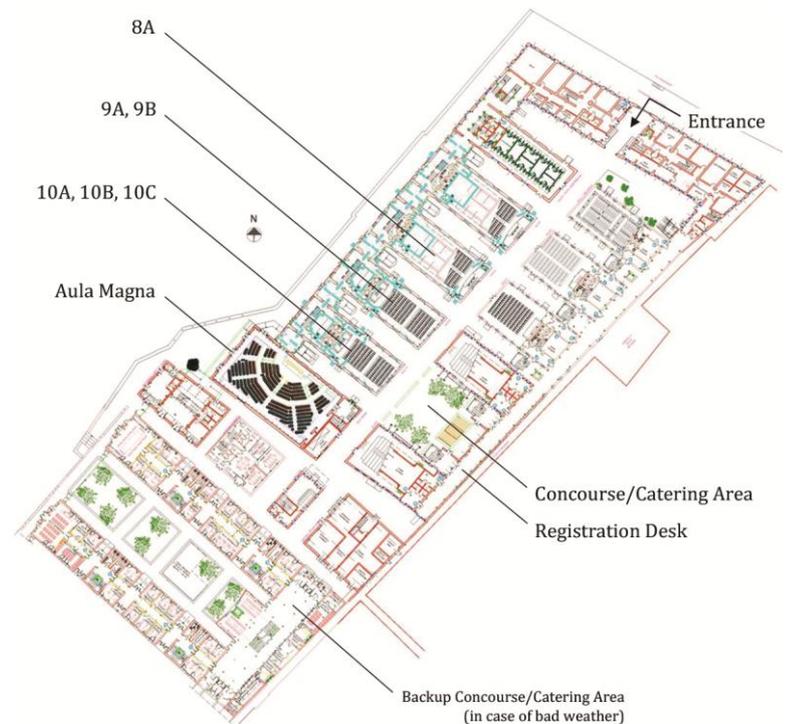
The conference venue is the Ca' Foscari University of Venice's San Giobbe campus which houses the School of Economics and Business. In the 19th century, the historic buildings on campus hosted the municipal slaughterhouse. The place, where it once was planned to build a hospital designed by Le Corbusier, with the consequent demolition of the entire slaughterhouse complex, has been preserved by the project of the architects Romeo Ballardini and Vittorio Spigai. They proposed to renew the entire area and industrial buildings with a general plan for the new campus of the faculty of economics. This project entailed the complete preservation of the 19th century slaughterhouse of San Giobbe, with a sequence of building interventions to reintegrate the area with its old buildings and ancient streets, traces and layouts, all of which have important historic value. The structure of the 19th century warehouse was safeguarded and the new parts inside the buildings were designed to have a light metallic structure, different from the compact walls of the ancient buildings; therefore, they are distinct from the older ones and clearly legible as new modern internal structures.

Conference Venue Location



**Ca' Foscari University of Venice
San Giobbe Campus**
Fondamenta S.Giobbe - Cannaregio, 873
30121 Venice Italy

Conference Venue Floor Plan



Onsite Registration

Upon arrival at the conference venue, participants should report to the registration desk to receive their materials. Dates and times of onsite registrations are listed below.

Date	Time	Location
Wednesday, June 15	17:30-19:30	Registration Desk
Thursday, June 16	08:00-18:30	Registration Desk
Friday, June 17	08:00-18:30	Registration Desk

Daily Session Overview: Thursday, June 16

Full session details for this day are listed on pages 12-22.

Time	Location						
	Aula Magna	8A	9A	9B	10A	10B	10C
08:45-09:00	Welcome Address						
09:00-10:30	Plenary Session Market and Finance						
11:00-13:00	Session 1 An Ecosystem of Software Tools and Customized Value Added Data Products Using GTAP <i>(Organized Session)</i>	Session 2 Preferential Arrangements in the European Union	Session 3 Energy Policy	Session 4 Agricultural Policy Analysis	Session 5 Biofuels and Land Use	Session 6 FDI and Multinationals in Applied General Equilibrium Modeling <i>(Organized Session)</i>	Session 7 Domestic Policy Analysis in Africa
14:30-16:00	Session 8 Multilateral, Regional and Unilateral Trade Policies <i>(Organized Session)</i>	Session 9 Biofuels, Land Use and Food Security	Session 10 Climate Impacts	Session 11 Trade and Africa	Session 12 Labor Issues	Session 13 Preferential Arrangements in Asia	Session 14 Practical Implications of Intermediate Trade and Offshoring <i>(Organized Session)</i>
16:30-18:30	Session 15 New GTAP Data Bases and Extension Products <i>(Organized Session)</i>	Session 16 Leakage Effects from Climate Policy	Session 17 Trade and Asia	Session 18 Water	Session 19 Doha Round Negotiations	Session 20 Economic Analysis of Poverty and Trade in Africa	Session 21 Game Theoretic Approaches to Climate Policy

Featured Papers – The following papers have been designated as “*Featured*” for receiving the highest score possible during the peer review process.

Session 5 - Biofuels and Land Use

Ethanol Expansion and the Indirect Land Use Change in Brazil

by Ferreira-Filho, Joaquim Bento and Mark Horridge

Assessing the EU biofuel land use change effects: estimates with the MIRAGE-BioF model and sensitivity analysis

by Laborde, David and Hugo Valin

Session 11 - Trade and Africa

Services Liberalization in Preferential Trade Arrangements: The Case of Kenya

by Tarr, David and Edward J. Balistreri

Session 17 - Trade and Asia

The Changing Geography of World Trade: Projections to 2030

by Anderson, Kym and Anna Strutt

Session 19 - Doha Round Negotiations

The Political Costs of Policy Reform

by Jean, Sébastien, Will Martin and David Laborde

Session 20 - Economic Analysis of Poverty and Trade in Africa

Macroeconomic Policies and Poverty Impacts: Case Studies of Ethiopia and Ghana

by Evans, H. David and Niyati Ghelani

Distinguished Plenary Session: “Market and Finance”

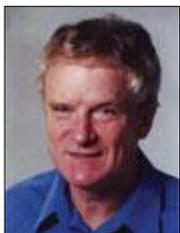
Thursday, June 16 – 09:00-10:30



Thomas C. Heller, “What Works in Climate Change?”

An expert in law, economic development and the performance of legal institutions, Thomas C. Heller has focused his research on the rule of law, international climate control, global energy use, and the interaction of government and nongovernmental organizations in establishing legal structures in the developing world. Since 1979, Heller has been a professor at Stanford University, where he has served as the Shelton Professor of International Legal Studies, Senior Fellow at the Stanford Freeman Spogli Institute for International Studies and Senior Fellow at the Woods Institute for the Environment. Since 1991, Heller has been increasingly engaged in research and applied policy studies in energy and climate, with a principal concern with developments in China, India, Mexico, Brazil and other leading emerging markets. He has been a contributing lead author for the IPCC on the Third and Fourth Assessment Reports, as well as a contributor to the Special Reports on Technology Transfer and Emissions Scenarios. Beginning in 2008, Heller has been a core team member directing Project Catalyst—an analysis based project in support of the Copenhagen Climate process.

From September 2009, he has served as Executive Director of a new non-governmental organization, the Climate Policy Initiative (CPI), based in San Francisco with offices in Europe, Asia and Latin America. CPI will assess, evaluate and advise governments and private firms on the implementation of national low carbon growth plans and measures, with particular attention to the fit between regulatory and public expenditure policies, infrastructure financing, and industrial organization in the key sectors relevant to energy, land use and climate change. Since March 2010, Professor Heller has also acted as the Vice-Chair of the Governing Board of the Global Green Growth Institute, with headquarters in Seoul, Korea.



Brian Wright, “The Economics of Grain Price Volatility”

Brian Wright's interests in economics uncertainty and innovation date from his early experiences on his family's sheep station in the Riverina district of New South Wales, Australia. He received a Bachelor of Agricultural Economics (First Class honors) from the University of New England, Armidale, and won one of two Frank Knox Fellowships given annually to Australian students by Harvard University, where he received an A.M. and Ph.D. in Economics. He then joined Yale University's Economics Department and is now Chair of the Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics at the University of California, Berkeley.

His research interests include economics of markets for storable commodities, market stabilization, agricultural policy, industrial organization, public finance, invention incentives, intellectual property rights, the economics of research and development, and the economics of conservation and innovation of genetic resources. He co-authored or co-edited several books, including *Storage and Commodity Markets*; *Reforming Agricultural Commodity Policy*; *Saving Seeds: The Economics of Conserving Genetic Resources at the CGIAR Centers*, and *Accessing Biodiversity and Sharing the Benefits: Lessons from Implementing the Convention on Biodiversity*. He has published extensively in the leading journals in Economics and Agricultural Economics. In addition, he has co-authored articles in *Nature Biotechnology*, *The Handbook of Plant Biotechnology*, and *Crop Science*.

Wright is a Fellow of the American Agricultural Economics Association and has served as the economist member of the Subcommittee on Proprietary Science and Technology of the Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research. He served on the Committee on Intellectual Property in Genomic and Protein Research and Innovation of the National Academies' Board of Science, Technology and Economic Policy. He has recently collaborated with the Research Center for Property Exchange of Peking University. Last June, at the request of the World Bank, the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization, and the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, he gave a technical presentation at the World Grain Forum, Petersburg, Russia, on the use of international grain reserves for market stabilization. In October 2010, he presented an invited paper on agricultural innovation at the Washington, DC National Bureau of Economic Research meeting on *Accelerating Innovation in Energy: Lessons from Other Sectors?* He subsequently presented invited lectures on grain markets and their stabilization at the World Bank, the Milken Institute, and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations.

Daily Session Overview: Friday, June 17

Full session details for this day are listed on pages 23-34.

Time	Location						
	Aula Magna	8A	9A	9B	10A	10B	10C
09:00-10:30	Plenary Session Climate Change						
11:00-13:00	Session 22 Commodity Price Volatility (Organized Session)	Session 23 Biofuels Policy	Session 24 Investment and Knowledge Capital	Session 25 Economic Development Issues in South America	Session 26 Aid and Migration	Session 27 Labor Issues	Session 28 Data Bases and Issues
14:30-16:00	Session 29 Systematic Sensitivity Analysis in Computable General Equilibrium Models (Organized Session)	Session 30 Health and Alternative Approaches to Environmental Analysis	Session 31 Climate Impacts	Session 32 Climate Change Policy in the European Union	Session 33 Emissions Trading	Session 34 Labor and Trade Issues	Session 35 African Agricultural Policies and Economic Development
16:30-18:30	Session 36 Economic and Environmental Effectiveness of Border Tax Adjustments: Part 1 (Organized Session)	Session 37 REDD: Forestry and Climate Policy	Session 38 Climate, Technology and Standards	Session 39 Agricultural Policies and Food Security	Session 40 Agricultural Emissions and Climate Policy	Session 41 Calibration and Regional Data Bases	Session 42 Clean Energy

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Session 22 - Commodity Price Volatility

Implications of Climate Volatility for Agricultural Commodity Markets in the Presence of Biofuel Mandates

by Hertel, Thomas and Noah Diffenbaugh

Session 28 - Data Bases and Issues

An updated global baseline for the Dynamic GTAP model

by Chappuis, Thomas and Terrie Walmsley

Session 31 - Climate Impacts

FAO-MOSAICC: the FAO MOdelling System for Agricultural Impacts of Climate Change to support decision-making in adaptation

by Kuik, Onno, Frederic Reynes, Francois Delobel and Michele Bernardi

Session 34 - Labor and Trade Issues

Sources of Growth and Change in the Vietnamese Labour Market

by Giesecke, James, Nhi Tran, Tony Meagher and Felicity Pang

Session 35 - African Agricultural Policies and Economic Development

Improving on Africas roads - Modeling infrastructure investment and its effect on subsistence agriculture

by Schuereberg-Frosch, Hannah

Session 39 - Agricultural Policies and Food Security

Estimating effects of price-distorting policies using alternative distortions databases

by Anderson, Kym

Distinguished Plenary Session: “Climate Change”

Friday, June 17 – 09:00-10:30



Henry D. Jacoby, “The Evolving Challenge of Climate Studies”

Henry D. Jacoby is Professor of Management in the M.I.T. Sloan School of Management and former Co-Director of the M.I.T. Joint Program on the Science and Policy of Global Change, which is a world leader in integration of the natural, and social sciences and policy analysis in application to the threat of global climate change. He oversees the design and application of the social science component of the Joint Program’s Integrated Global System Model – a comprehensive research tool for analyzing potential anthropogenic climate change and its social and environmental consequences – and he is a leader of M.I.T. research and analysis of national climate policies and the structure of the international climate regime.

An undergraduate mechanical engineer at the University of Texas at Austin, Professor Jacoby holds a Ph.D. in Economics from Harvard University where he also served on the faculties of the Department of Economics and the Kennedy School of Government. He has been Director of the Harvard Environmental Systems Program, Director of the MIT Center for Energy and Environmental Policy Research, Associate Director of the MIT Energy Laboratory, and Chair of the MIT Faculty. He has made extensive contributions to the study of economics, policy and management in the areas of energy, natural resources and environment, writing widely on these topics including seven books. He currently serves on the Scientific Committee of the International Geosphere-Biosphere Program.



Christoph Böhringer, “EU Climate Policy: (Some) Issues At Stake”

Christoph Böhringer is full professor at the University of Oldenburg since 2007. Between 1999-2007 he was head of the research department "Environmental and Resource Economics, Environmental Management" at the Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW) in Mannheim. He studied engineering at the University of Karlsruhe and received his PhD in economics from the University of Stuttgart in 1995. Between 1995-1998 he supervised the research group "Energy Economics" at IER (Institute of Energy Economics), University of Stuttgart. In 2002, he received his habilitation and *venia legendi* in economics from the University of Regensburg. In 2004, he has been appointed as a full professor at the University of Heidelberg. His research focuses on the impact analysis of environmental, energy and trade policies. He has widely published in peer-reviewed international journals on these topics.

Daily Session Overview: Saturday, June 18

Full session details for this day are listed on pages 35-37.

Time	Location	8A	9A	9B	10A
09:00-11:00	Aula Magna Session 43 Economic and Environmental Effectiveness of Border Tax Adjustments: Part 2 <i>(Organized Session)</i>	Session 44 Distributional Impacts of Climate Policy	Session 45 Economic Trade and Growth in Europe	Session 46 Climate Change, Trade and Trade Policy	Session 47 Climate Policy
11:30-13:00	Plenary Session Growth, Development and Poverty				
13:00-13:15	2012 Conference Preview				
13:15-13:30	Closing Remarks				

Distinguished Plenary Session: “Growth, Development and Poverty”

Saturday, June 18 – 11:30-13:00



Shanta Devarajan, “Can CGE Models End Poverty?”

Shantayanan (Shanta) Devarajan, who was born in Sri Lanka, joined the World Bank in 1991. He assumed his current position as Chief Economist of the World Bank's Africa Region in 2008. The office of the Chief Economist seeks to bring the best knowledge to bear on the development problems of Africa, while providing guidance to Bank staff and management on strategy and the quality of economic analysis.

Prior to this assignment, from 2004 onwards, Shanta was Chief Economist for the South Asia Region position, following three years as Chief Economist for the Human Development Network, which covers areas such as health, education, nutrition and population. Earlier positions include Principal Economist and Research Manager for Public Economics in the Development Research Group. He was the Director of the World Development Report 2004: *Making Services Work for Poor People*.

Before joining the Bank, Shanta was on the faculty at Harvard University's John F. Kennedy School of Government. The author and co-author of over 100 publications, Mr. Devarajan's research covers public economics, trade policy, natural resources, and the environment, and general equilibrium modeling of developing countries. He currently disseminates his and other people's ideas on his blog, <http://africacan.worldbank.org>.

Mr. Devarajan received his B.A. in mathematics from Princeton University and his Ph.D. in economics from the University of California, Berkeley. He speaks French fluently.



Thomas Sterner, “Green Growth - Post-Copenhagen”

Thomas Sterner is a professor of environmental economics in Gothenburg and a university fellow at RFF. He has initiated the unit for environmental economics in Gothenburg and participated in its build-up since 1990. He is past President of the European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists. Thomas Sterner's main research interests lie in the design of policy instruments. He has written a large number of books and articles on different applications ranging from energy and climate, through natural resource management such as fisheries to issues relating to industrial and transport pollution. His work covers institutions in different kinds of economies, market, planned and developing. Thomas Sterner teaches PhD and undergraduate courses in environmental and resource economics and is also active in a number of boards and networks such as CEEPA, LACEEP, SANDEE, and AERC.

Conference Schedule: Wednesday, June 15

Time	Event	Location
17:30-19:30	Early Conference Registration <i>We encourage participants who will be in Venice on Wednesday evening to come to the conference venue, Ca' Foscari University of Venice, San Giobbe Campus, for an early registration to receive the conference materials and avoid the crowds on Thursday morning. See page 4 for the location of the registration desk inside the conference venue.</i>	Registration Desk

Conference Schedule: Thursday, June 16

Presenters should arrive 10 minutes early to their session room with their presentation on a USB drive. Please also have a PDF of your presentation on hand to help ensure compatibility. Presenters are denoted in bold.

Time	Event	Location
08:00-18:30	Conference Registration	Registration Desk
08:45-09:00	Welcome Address <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Thomas Hertel, Distinguished Professor and Executive Director, Center for Global Trade Analysis, Purdue University, USA – Carlo Carraro, President, Ca' Foscari University of Venice; Chairman of the Scientific Advisory Board, Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei, Italy 	Aula Magna
09:00-10:30	Plenary Session <i>"Market and Finance"</i> Chair: Carlo Carraro <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – What Works in Climate Change? by Heller, Thomas C. – <u>The Economics of Grain Price Volatility</u> by Wright, Brian 	Aula Magna
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break	Concourse
11:00-13:00	Session 1 – Organized Session <i>"An Ecosystem of Software Tools and Customized Value Added Data Products Using GTAP"</i> Organizer/Chair: Joshua Elliott <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Panel Discussion on the Needs of the GTAP Development Community</u> Panelists: Hertel, Thomas, Mark Horridge and Thomas Rutherford – <u>Building a Custom Initialization Data Product for a Life-cycle OLG Model</u> by Elliott, Joshua, Margaret Loudermilk, Nirupama Rao, Ian Foster, Don Fullerton and Todd Munson – <u>An improved version of FlexAgg</u> by Villoria, Nelson and Robert McDougall – <u>Fit2GTAP: Replacing country data in the GTAP data base</u> by van Nieuwkoop, Renger 	Aula Magna

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Time	Event	Location
11:00-13:00	Session 2 <i>“Preferential Arrangements in the European Union”</i> Chair: Antoine Bouët <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Trade Reforms in a World of Prevailing Distortions: The EU-SADC Preferential Trade Arrangements</u> by Osman, Rehab – <u>Is MERCOSUR external agenda pro-poor? An assessment of the EU-MERCOSUR free trade agreement on Uruguayan poverty applying MIRAGE</u> by Bouët, Antoine, Carmen Estrades and David Laborde – <u>Impact of a Free Trade Agreement between Ukraine and the European Union on Ukraines Agricultural Sector</u> by Chauffour, Jean-Pierre, Maros Ivanic, David Laborde, Maryla Maliszewska and Will Martin – <u>The Proposed EU-India FTA: Implications for Textiles, Wearing Apparel and Leather Products</u> by Khorana, Sangeeta and Badri Narayanan 	8A
11:00-13:00	Session 3 <i>“Energy Policy”</i> Chair: Scott McDonald <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Poverty and Growth Impacts of High Oil Prices: Evidence from Sri Lanka</u> by Naranpanawa, Athula and Jayathileka Bandara – <u>Energy Policy and Carbon Emission in Russia: A Short Run CGE Analysis</u> by Orlov, Anton, Harald Grethe and Scott McDonald – <u>Russia's Natural Gas Export Potential up to 2050</u> by Paltsev, Sergey – <u>Estimating Economy-Environment Linkages and the Cobenefits of PM10 Mitigation within an Economy-wide Model for India</u> by Markandya, Anil, Sebnem Sahin, Aarsi Sagar and Muthukumar Mani 	9A

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11:00-13:00	Session 4 <i>“Agricultural Policy Analysis”</i> Chair: Martina Brockmeier <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>EU Single Farm Payment in the GTAP Data Base: Coupled, Decoupled or only Somewhat Decoupled and How to Get the Decoupling Right?</u> by Urban, Kirsten, Hans Grinsted Jensen and Martina Brockmeier – <u>On the Economics of the Proposed Special Safeguard Mechanism in the WTO for Imports of Agricultural Products</u> by MaLaren, Donald – <u>Trade policy responses to food price rises and implications for existing domestic support measures: the case of China in 2008</u> by Yu, Wusheng and Hans Grinsted Jensen – <u>Macroeconomic impacts of reducing nutrition-related chronic disease by adopting a “healthier diet.”</u> by Thomassin, Paul and Kakali Mukhopadhyay 	9B
11:00-13:00	Session 5 <i>“Biofuels and Land Use”</i> Chair: Wally Tyner <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Food, Fuel, Forests and the Pricing of Ecosystem Services</u> by Reilly, John, Angelo Gurgel, Tim Cronin, Sergey Paltsev, David Kicklighter and Jerry Melillo – <u>Global impact of multinational biofuel mandates on land use, feedstock prices, international trade and green gasses emissions</u> by Banse, Martin, Andrzej Tabeau, Hans van Meijl, Geert Woltjer and Anne Gerdien Prins <p><i>Featured Paper</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Ethanol Expansion and the Indirect Land Use Change in Brazil</u> by Ferreira-Filho, Joaquim Bento and Mark Horridge <p><i>Featured Paper</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Assessing the EU biofuel land use change effects: estimates with the MIRAGE-BioF model and sensitivity analysis</u> by Laborde, David and Hugo Valin 	10A

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11:00-13:00	<p>Session 6 – Organized Session <i>“FDI and Multinationals in Applied General Equilibrium Modeling”</i> Organizer/Chair: David Tarr</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Deep Trade Policy Options for Armenia: The Importance of Services, Trade Facilitation and Standards Liberalization</u> by Jensen, Jesper and David Tarr – <u>A world CGE model with multinational firms: MIRAGE MNF version</u> by Chappuis, Thomas and Yvan Decreux – <u>On the differential behaviour of national and multinational firms: A within and across sectors approach</u> by Latorre, María C. and Antonio Gomez Gomez-Plana – <u>Assessing the Cost of Post-9/11 Security Measures and the Impact of a North American Security Perimeter - A Computable General Equilibrium Analysis</u> by Georges, Patrick, Marcel Mérette and Qi Zhang 	10B
11:00-13:00	<p>Session 7 <i>“Domestic Policy Analysis in Africa”</i> Chair: Kym Anderson</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Impact of Trade Facilitation Mechanisms on Export Competitiveness in Africa</u> by Karingi, Stephen – <u>Sit down at the ballgame: How trade barriers have made the world less food secure</u> by Rutten, Martine, Lindsay Chant and Gerdien Meijerink – <u>Fiscal Imbalances in South Africa: An Intertemporal Analysis</u> by Chitiga, Margaret, Ramos Mabugu, Helene Maisonnave and Veronique Robichaud – <u>Should Countries Worry About Immiserizing Growth?</u> by Tokarick, Stephen 	10C
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14:30-16:00	<p>Session 8 – Organized Session <i>“Multilateral, Regional and Unilateral Trade Policies”</i> Organizer/Chair: Lucian Cernat</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Economic Impact of Potential Outcome of the DDA</u> by Decreux, Yvan and Lionel Fontagné – <u>Economic Integration in South East Asia and the Impact on the EU</u> by Paczynski, Wojciech, Michael Gasiorek, Minako Morita Jaeger, Kamala Dawar, Javier Lopez Gonzalez, Maximiliano Méndez Parra and Dirk Willenbockel – <u>The European Commission's proposal for the next EU Generalised System of Preferences</u> by Nilsson, Lars 	Aula Magna
14:30-16:00	<p>Session 9 <i>“Biofuels, Land Use and Food Security”</i> Chair: Joaquim Bento Ferreira-Filho</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>The Impact of Biofuels Policy on Trade and Food Security in Developing Countries</u> by Havrland, Bohumil and Yayan Satyakti – <u>A Preliminary Assessment of Global Land Use Change under Alternative Carbon Price Scenarios</u> by Pant, Hom – <u>Land transformation analysis and application</u> by Palatnik, Ruslana Rachel, Iddo Kan, Mickey Rapaport-Rom, Andrea Ghermandi, Fabio Eboli and Mordechai Shechter 	8A

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14:30-16:00	Session 10 <i>“Climate Impacts”</i> Chair: Karen Thierfelder – <u>Extreme weather events in Finland – a dynamic CGE-analysis of economic effects</u> by Simola, Antti , Adriaan Perrels and Juha Honkatukia – <u>Modelling Climate Change Impacts and Agriculture</u> by Wiskich, Tony , Brian Fisher, Anna Matysek and Paul Newton – <u>Climate change impacts in the Mediterranean: a CGE analysis</u> by Eboli, Fabio , Francesco Bosello and Ramiro Parrado	9A
14:30-16:00	Session 11 <i>“Trade and Africa”</i> Chair: Stephen Karingi <i>Featured Paper</i> – <u>Services Liberalization in Preferential Trade Arrangements: The Case of Kenya</u> by Tarr, David and Edward J. Balistreri – <u>What are the agricultural exports growth perspectives offered to sub-Saharan countries by current trade negotiations?</u> by Douillet, Mathilde – <u>A Contribution to the Analyses of the Effects of Foreign Agricultural Investment on the Food Sector and Trade in Sub-Saharan Africa</u> by Rakotoarisoa, Manitra	9B

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14:30-16:00	Session 12 <i>“Labor Issues”</i> Chair: Stephen Tokarick <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Trade and Gender in a Global CGE Model</u> by Dimaranan, Betina – <u>Modelling the effects of capital outflows on employment, poverty and inequality for Argentina</u> by Debowicz, Dario – <u>Darwinian pools? The evolution of factor market modelling in global CGE models.</u> by Chant, Lindsay and Martin Banse 	10A
14:30-16:00	Session 13 <i>“Preferential Arrangements in Asia”</i> Chair: Mary Burfisher <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Potential Economic impact of India-Sri Lanka bilateral trade liberalization</u> by Sikdar, Chandrima – <u>A Comparison of the Impacts of Vietnam’s Free Trade Agreements</u> by Vanzetti, David and Huong Thi Lan Pham – <u>India-ASEAN FTA: Implication of Phased Liberalisation</u> by Nag, Biswajit and Chandrima Sikdar 	10B
14:30-16:00	Session 14 – Organized Session <i>“Practical Implications of Intermediate Trade and Offshoring”</i> Organizer/Chair: Susan Stone <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Does services offshoring contribute to labour market polarization?</u> by Nordas, Hildegunn – <u>What does the Measurement of Factor Content Mean for the Policy Analysis of Trade?</u> by Stone, Susan 	10C
16:00-16:30	Coffee Break	Concourse

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16:30-18:30	<p>Session 15 – Organized Session <i>“New GTAP Data Bases and Extension Products”</i> Organizers/Chairs: Badri Narayanan and Joshua Elliott</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>What's New: Overview of GTAP 7.1 and 8 Data Bases</u> by Narayanan, Badri – <u>GTAPinGAMS: A New Release</u> by Rutherford, Thomas – <u>Software tool for GTAP sub-region expansion with the specific example of the EU NUTS regions</u> by Horridge, Mark – <u>Augmenting the GTAP Database with Satellite Account Data</u> by McDonald, Scott 	Aula Magna
16:30-18:30	<p>Session 16 <i>“Leakage Effects from Climate Policy”</i> Chair: Niven Winchester</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Trade Effects and Emissions Leakage Associated with Carbon Pricing Policies</u> by Adkins, Liwayway, Richard Garbaccio, Mun Ho, Eric Moore and Richard Morgenstern – <u>Effects of different EU climate policy scenarios on Austria’s trade and carbon balances</u> by Bednar-Friedl, Birgit, Veronika Kulmer and Thomas Schinko – <u>Analysis of Climate Policies with GDyn-E</u> by Golub, Alla, Thomas Hertel, Bryan Mignone and Kemal Sarica – <u>Subglobal Climate Agreements and Energy-Intensive Activities: Is there a Carbon Haven for Copper?</u> by Lanz, Bruno, Thomas Rutherford and John Tilton 	8A

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16:30-18:30	Session 17 <i>“Trade and Asia”</i> Chair: Ken Kawasaki <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Evaluating the Effects of Free Trade Agreements in the Asia-Pacific Region under Alternative Sequencings</u> by Itakura, Ken and Hiro Lee <i>Featured Paper</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>The Changing Geography of World Trade: Projections to 2030</u> by Anderson, Kym and Anna Strutt – <u>Sources of Economic Fluctuations in East Asia from 1980 to 2006- Analysis basing on panel VAR</u> by Wang, Qian – <u>Import preference change and its impacts on the effects of trade liberalization policy</u> by Su, Han-Pang, Tzu-Han Yang and Chun-Chiang Feng 	9A
16:30-18:30	Session 18 <i>“Water”</i> Chair: Farzad Taheripour <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>The impact of trade on local green and blue water scarcity - using the global landuse model MAGPIE</u> by Biewald, Anne, Susanne Rolinski, Holger Hoff, Hermann Lotze-Campen and Christoph Schmitz – <u>Water buybacks and drought in the Murray-Darling Basin of Australia: confusing policy and catastrophe</u> by Wittwer, Glyn – <u>The Future of California’s Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Water Policy Alternatives and Probabilistic Political Feasibility</u> by Goodhue, Rachael, Susan Sayre and Leo Simon – <u>A general equilibrium approach to model water scarcity in Israel</u> by Luckmann, Jonas, Khalid Siddig, Dorothee Flaig and Harald Grethe 	9B

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16:30-18:30	Session 19 <i>“Doha Round Negotiations”</i> Chair: David Vanzetti <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>International Inequality Impacts of Multilateral Liberalization</u> by Keeney, Roman and Amanda M. Leister – <u>Households heterogeneity in a global CGE model: an illustration with the MIRAGE poverty module</u> by Bouët, Antoine, Carmen Estrades and David Laborde <p><i>Featured Paper</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>The Political Costs of Policy Reform</u> by Jean, Sébastien, Will Martin and David Laborde – <u>Trade Diversification Away from the U.S. or North American Customs Union? A Review of Canada’s Trade Policy Options</u> by Georges, Patrick and Marcel Mérette 	10A
16:30-18:30	Session 20 <i>“Economic Analysis of Poverty and Trade in Africa”</i> Chair: Donald MacLaren <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Anatomy of nonoil export growth in the Middle East and North Africa region</u> by Ianchovichina, Elena, Julien Gourdon and Hiau Looi Kee – <u>Explaining Poverty Evolution: The Case of Mozambique</u> by Arndt, Channing, Mazhar Hussain, Virgulino Nhate, E. Samuel Jones, Finn Tarp and James Thurlow <p><i>Featured Paper</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Macroeconomic Policies and Poverty Impacts: Case Studies of Ethiopia and Ghana</u> by Evans, H. David and Niyati Ghelani 	10B

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16:30-18:30	Session 21 <i>“Game Theoretic Approaches to Climate Policy”</i> Chair: Jesper Jensen <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Cooperative and non-cooperative solutions to carbon leakage</u> by Antimiani, Alessandro, Valeria Costantini, Chiara Martini, Luca Salvatici and Maria Cristina Tommasino – <u>Credibility of trade sanctions in greenhouse gas mitigation agreements in agriculture and forestry</u> by Irfanoglu, Zeynep Burcu – <u>A good opening: the key to make the most of unilateral action</u> by De Cian, Enrica and Valentina Bosetti 	10C
18:30-20:00	Conference Reception <i>A reception will welcome participants in the San Giobbe campus, the premises of the School of Economics and Business of the Ca' Foscari University of Venice. In this occasion, participants will meet and enjoy a wine tasting offered by Bisol, the producer of the finest Prosecco wine, the iconic Italian sparkling wine, of the hillsides of the Veneto region.</i>	Concourse

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08:00-18:30	Conference Registration	Registration Desk
09:00-10:30	<p>Plenary Session <i>"Climate Change"</i> Chair: Francesco Bosello</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>The Evolving Challenge of Climate Studies</u> by Jacoby, Henry D. – <u>EU Climate Policy: (Some) Issues At Stake</u> by Böhringer, Christoph 	Aula Magna
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break	Concourse
11:00-13:00	<p>Session 22 – Organized Session <i>"Commodity Price Volatility"</i> Organizer/Chair: Sébastien Jean</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Can Storage Arbitrage Explain Commodity Price Dynamics?</u> by Cafiero, Carlo, Eugenio S. A. Bobenrieth H., Juan R. A. Bobenrieth H and Brian Wright <p><i>Featured Paper</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Implications of Climate Volatility for Agricultural Commodity Markets in the Presence of Biofuel Mandates</u> by Hertel, Thomas and Noah Diffenbaugh – <u>Optimal food price stabilisation in a small open developing country</u> by Gouel, Christophe and Sébastien Jean – <u>Welfare and Price Impacts of Price-Insulating Policies</u> by Ivanic, Maros, Will Martin and Aaditya Mattoo 	Aula Magna

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11:00-13:00	Session 23 <i>"Biofuels Policy"</i> Chair: Martin Banse – <u>Analysis of the Impacts of EU Biofuels Programs using a GTAP model</u> by Padella, Monica , Adele Finco and Wally Tyner – <u>Global Land Use Changes and Consequent CO2 Emissions due to US Cellulosic Biofuel Program: A Preliminary Analysis</u> by Taheripour, Farzad and Wally Tyner – <u>A Dynamic General Equilibrium Analysis of U.S. Biofuels Production</u> by Beach, Robert , Dileep Birur, Lauren Davis and Martin Ross – <u>The Role of Irrigation in Determining the Global Land Use Impacts of Biofuels</u> by Taheripour, Farzad , Thomas Hertel and Jing Liu	8A
11:00-13:00	Session 24 <i>"Investment and Knowledge Capital"</i> Chair: Ken Itakura – <u>Portfolio Elasticities and the Evolution of Endogenous Current Account Balances in a CGE Model with International Financial Assets</u> by Lemelin, André , Veronique Robichaud and Bernard Decaluwe – <u>How can be FDI attracted in a framework of two intermediates</u> by Uchida, Yoko and Kazuhiko Oyamada – <u>The economic costs of investment inefficiencies associated with corruption in Vietnam</u> by Tran, Nhi, James Giesecke and Huong Thi Lan Pham – <u>Introducing endogenous technical change, Research and Development and a stock of knowledge in a CGE model and the GTAP database</u> by Parrado, Ramiro , Andreas Löschel and Sebastian Voigt	9A

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11:00-13:00	Session 25 <i>"Economic Development Issues in South America"</i> Chair: Angelo Gurgel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Evaluating the Economic Impacts of Transport Costs in Latin America</u> by Giordano, Paolo, Julio Guzman and Masakazu Watanuki – <u>Effects of the Rural Credit Interest Rate Equalization Policy on Brazilian Regions Economic Growth</u> by Cardoso, Débora, Erly Teixeira, Angelo Gurgel and Eduardo Castro – <u>Ex-post Poverty Assessment of Trade policy in developing countries: The Chilean case in 1990s and 2000s</u> by Durán Lima, José Elías, Alfonso Finot and Marcelo LaFleur 	9B
11:00-13:00	Session 26 <i>"Aid and Migration"</i> Chair: Peter Minor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Aid, Growth, and Real Exchange Rate Dynamics</u> by Devarajan, Shantayanan, Delfin S. Go, Sherman Robinson and Karen Thierfelder – <u>Aid for Trade Policy in Developing and Least Developed Countries: A GTAP Simulation Analysis</u> by Berrittella, Maria and Jian Zhang – <u>Migration and Growth in East and South-East Asia</u> by Walmsley, Terrie, Angel Aguiar and Syud Amer Ahmed – <u>Economic Implications of Labour Migration and Remittances: The case of Cyprus</u> by McDonald, Scott and Yontem Sonmez 	10A

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11:00-13:00	Session 27 <i>“Labor Issues”</i> Chair: Channing Arndt <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>The Role of Labor Standards in International Trade: A CGE Approach</u> by Narayanan, Badri and Terrie Walmsley – <u>Turkey’s Shifting Axis to the East: Implications of Regional Integration with the Neighborhood</u> by Acar, Mustafa and Levent Aydin – <u>Enforcing Israeli Labour Market Laws Against Non-Israelis: Who Pays the Price?</u> by Flaig, Dorothee, Khalid Siddig, Harald Grethe, Jonas Luckmann and Scott McDonald – <u>Wage inequality in trade-in-tasks models</u> by Rojas-Romagosa, Hugo 	10B
11:00-13:00	Session 28 <i>“Data Bases and Issues”</i> Chair: Elena Ianchovichina <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>A Sensitivity Analysis to get Insights into Aggregation Problems within Model Linkages</u> by Bektasoglu, Beyhan, Kirsten Urban and Martina Brockmeier – <u>Addressing a ‘self-trade’ issue in GTAPAgg</u> by Hamdi-Cherif, Meriem <p><i>Featured Paper</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>An updated global baseline for the Dynamic GTAP model</u> by Chappuis, Thomas and Terrie Walmsley – <u>Augmenting GTAP Database: Are the data on intra institutional transactions important?</u> by Sonmez, Yontem, Scott McDonald and Terrie Walmsley 	10C
13:00-14:30	Lunch	Concourse

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14:30-16:00	Session 29 – Organized Session <i>“Systematic Sensitivity Analysis in Computable General Equilibrium Models”</i> Organizer/Chair: Thomas Hertel	Aula Magna
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Systematic Sensitivity Analysis for GTAP – Where We’ve Been and Where We’re Going</u> by Preckel, Paul, Monika Verma, Thomas Hertel and Will Martin – <u>Systematic Sensitivity Analysis (SSA) with Respect to Correlated Variations in Parameters and Shocks</u> by Horridge, Mark and Ken Pearson – <u>Implications of Broader Sampling Strategy in the Contest of the Special Safeguard Mechanism</u> by Verma, Monika, Paul Preckel, Thomas Hertel and Will Martin 	
14:30-16:00	Session 30 <i>“Health and Alternative Approaches to Environmental Analysis”</i> Chair: Angel Aguiar	8A
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Analyzing environmental impacts in GTAP studies according to the life cycle assessment methodology</u> by Dandres, Thomas, Caroline Gaudreault, Pablo Tirado Seco and Réjean Samson – <u>A human well-being approach for assessing the value of ecosystem services</u> by Kopmann, Angela and Katrin Rehdanz – <u>The Global Economic Effects of Pandemic Influenza</u> by Verikios, George, Maura Sullivan, Pane Stojanovski, James Giesecke and Gordon Woo 	

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14:30-16:00	Session 31 <i>"Climate Impacts"</i> Chair: Maros Ivanic – <u>Potential effects of variation in agriculture sector response to climate change: an integrated assessment</u> by Gunasekera, Don <i>Featured Paper</i> – <u>FAO-MOSAICC: the FAO Modelling System for Agricultural Impacts of Climate Change to support decision-making in adaptation</u> by Kuik, Onno , Frederic Reynes, Francois Delobel and Michele Bernardi – <u>Simulating the Impact of Climate Change and Adaptation Strategies on Farm Productivity and Income: A Bio-economic Modeling Analysis</u> by Fofana, Ismael	9A
14:30-16:00	Session 32 <i>"Climate Change Policy in the European Union"</i> Chair: Lionel Fontagné – <u>Macro-economic Impacts of Air Pollution Policies in the EU</u> by Brink, Corjan, Johannes Bollen and Paul J. J. Veenendaal – <u>Economic impacts of agricultural policy responses to climate change in Europe</u> by Quiroga, Sonia , Ana Iglesias, Jeremy Schlickenrieder and Luis Garrote – <u>An Emissions Trading Scheme with Auction</u> by Haita, Corina	9B

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14:30-16:00	Session 33 <i>"Emissions Trading"</i> Chair: Hugo Rojas-Romagosa – <u>Impact of China’s Domestic Carbon Emission Trading Scheme</u> by Li, Shantong and Jianwu He – <u>Modelling international carbon markets using a CGE model</u> by Cao, Liangyue and Meghan Quinn – <u>Europe's Twenties - A Study using the WIATEC Model</u> by Truong, Truong, Hans Kremers and Claudia Kemfert	10A
14:30-16:00	Session 34 <i>"Labor and Trade Issues"</i> Chair: Mustafa Acar <i>Featured Paper</i> – <u>Sources of Growth and Change in the Vietnamese Labour Market: A decomposition of forecast trends in economic development and income distribution under alternative education and training policies over 2010-2020.</u> by Giesecke, James , Nhi Tran, Tony Meagher and Felicity Pang – <u>Dispute Settlement at the WTO: Impacts of a No Deal in the US-Brazil Cotton Dispute</u> by Lakatos, Csilla and Terrie Walmsley	10B

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14:30-16:00	Session 35 <i>“African Agricultural Policies and Economic Development”</i> Chair: James Thurlow <i>Featured Paper</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Improving on Africa's roads - Modeling infrastructure investment and its effect on subsistence agriculture</u> by Schuerenberg-Frosch, Hannah – <u>Gender Implications of Biofuels Expansion in Africa: The Case of Mozambique</u> by Arndt, Channing, Rui Benfica and James Thurlow – <u>A CGE model analysis of reducing obstacles to trade in Kenya : a focus on the agro-food sector.</u> by Gonzalez-Mellado, Aida and Emanuele Ferrari 	10C
16:00-16:30	Coffee Break	Concourse
16:30-18:30	Session 36 – Organized Session <i>“Economic and Environmental Effectiveness of Border Tax Adjustments: Part 1”</i> Organizers/Chairs: Thomas Rutherford and Christoph Böhringer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Do border measures affect carbon leakage?</u> by Veenendaal, Paul J. J., Johannes Bollen and Paul Koutstaal – <u>The carbon content of trade: Under border tariff adjustments and a global carbon regime</u> by Weitzel, Matthias and Sonja Peterson – <u>Unilateral climate policy and competitiveness: Differential emission pricing from a sectoral, regional and global perspective</u> by Böhringer, Christoph and Victoria Alexeeva-Talebi – <u>Using Embodied Carbon To Control Carbon Leakage</u> by Rutherford, Thomas, Jared Carbone and Christoph Böhringer 	Aula Magna

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16:30-18:30	Session 37 <i>“REDD: Forestry and Climate Policy”</i> Chair: Nelson Villoria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Agricultural impacts of reduced tropical deforestation</u> by Rose, Steven, Alla Golub, Brent Sohngen and Thomas Hertel – <u>Afforestation and Timber Management Compliance Strategies in Climate Policy. A Computable General Equilibrium Analysis</u> by Michetti, Melania and Renato Rosa – <u>Extending the GTAP Family of Models: A Partial Equilibrium Approach to Measuring the Costs of Carbon Sequestration and Avoided Deforestation.</u> by Ohrel, Sara, Sukwon Choi and Brent Sohngen – <u>The role of REDD in a Copenhagen Carbon Market</u> by Bosello, Francesco, Ramiro Parrado and Renato Rosa 	8A
16:30-18:30	Session 38 <i>“Climate, Technology and Standards”</i> Chair: Sergey Paltsev <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Climate policies as a hedge against the uncertainty on future oil supply</u> by Rozenberg, Julie, Stephane Hallegatte, Adrien Vogt-Schilb, Olivier Sassi, Celine Guivarch, Henri Waisman and Jean-Charles Hourcade – <u>Diffusion of Climate Technologies in Presence of an Emissions Cap</u> by FæHn, Taran, Karl Jacobsen and Brita Bye – <u>Should a vehicle fuel economy standard be combined with an economy-wide greenhouse gas emissions constraint? Implications for energy and climate policy in the United States</u> by Karplus, Valerie, Sergey Paltsev, Mustafa Babiker and John Reilly 	9A

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16:30-18:30	Session 39 <i>“Agricultural Policies and Food Security”</i> Chair: Erly Teixeira <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Projecting agricultural distortions for a 2030 GTAP database</u> by Nelgen, Signe and Kym Anderson <i>Featured Paper</i> – <u>Estimating effects of price-distorting policies using alternative distortions databases</u> by Anderson, Kym – <u>Food Security - Global Trends and Region Perspective with Reference to East Asia</u> by Chang, Ching-Cheng and Shih-Hsun Hsu – <u>The Impact of domestic remittances on Households' Income Distribution in a context of Global Food Crisis</u> by Elisa Dienesch, Laetitia Leroy and Cheickh Sadibou Fall 	9B
16:30-18:30	Session 40 <i>“Agricultural Emissions and Climate Policy”</i> Chair: Hom Pant <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Increased Agricultural Trade and its Impacts on Food System, Land-use and Greenhouse Gas Emissions</u> by Schmitz, Christoph, Anne Biewald, Hermann Lotze-Campen and Alexander Popp – <u>Taking into account the emissions from production and use of mineral fertilizers by imposing a ‘carbon tax’</u> by Sturm, Viktoriya – <u>The impact of biodiversity loss reducing strategies on land use and world food markets</u> by Tabeau, Andrzej, Hans van Meijl and Elke Stehfest – <u>Livestock GHG Mitigation: Policy effectiveness and Food Security</u> by Golub, Alla, Ben Henderson and Thomas Hertel 	10A

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16:30-18:30	Session 41 <i>"Calibration and Regional Data Bases"</i> Chair: Monika Verma <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>An Inventory of Datasets for the Compilation of Regional Social Accounting Matrices for the EU</u> by Mueller, Marc and Emanuele Ferrari – <u>A Bayesian method to reconcile conflicting input-output data</u> by Rodrigues, Joao – <u>Bayesian validation of GTAP parameters on a large scale dynamic dataset</u> by Lugovoy, Oleg – <u>Calibrating the Modified An Implicitly Directly Additive Demand System (MAIDADS) for Applied Economic Modeling</u> by Itakura, Ken and Dominique van der Mensbrughe 	10B
16:30-18:30	Session 42 <i>"Clean Energy"</i> Chair: Amanda Leister <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Modelling Energy Futures: A CGE framework for investigating investment in renewable energy applied to the EU electricity sector</u> by Pycroft, Jon and Helene Maisonnave – <u>Extending energy portfolio with clean technologies in the ICES model.</u> by Campagnolo, Lorenza, Elisa Portale, Francesco Bosello, Ramiro Parrado and Fabio Eboli – <u>New generation electricity networks and climate change: the economic potential of national and trans-national Super-Grids powered by Concentrated Solar Power.</u> by Ricci, Elena Claire and Emanuele Massetti – <u>Analysis of US Renewable Fuels Policies Using a Modified MARKAL Model</u> by Sarica, Kemal and Wally Tyner 	10C

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Time	Event	Location
19:00-23:00	<p>Conference Dinner</p> <p><i>Boats will pick participants up in front of the San Giobbe campus. After a short trip in the Venetian Lagoon, participants will arrive at Mazzorbo, an island situated at the heart of the Northern Lagoon Park with only a small number of inhabitants. The dinner will take place in the Venissa Estate which plays testimony to the cultural history of the lagoon farmer as linked to the production of wines and vegetables. It has been preserved over the centuries firstly as a convent vegetable garden, then as a domestic vineyard and today it offers guests the chance to visit a protected area of incredible merit from the point of view of landscape, agriculture, human endeavor and equipment. Dinner at Venissa is the equivalent of immersing yourself in an atmosphere loaded with charm and expectation. The restaurant becomes the focal point of the estate to which the vegetable garden and vineyard form the back drop.</i></p> <p>Award Ceremony</p> <p>2011 Alan A. Powell Award <i>Presented by the Center for Global Trade Analysis for outstanding service of a representative currently serving on the GTAP Advisory Board</i></p> <p>2011-2014 GTAP Research Fellows <i>Presented by the Center for Global Trade Analysis in recognition of significant contributions to the development of GTAP through:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>contributions to the GTAP Data Base</i> - <i>contributions to the development of GTAP models and software,</i> - <i>outstanding research using the GTAP Data Base and/or models, or</i> - <i>advancing the use of GTAP and broadening the GTAP Network</i> 	<p>Venissa Estate Island of Mazzorbo</p>

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Time	Event	Location
09:00-11:00	Session 43 – Organized Session <i>“Economic and Environmental Effectiveness of Border Tax Adjustments: Part 2”</i> Organizers/Chairs: Thomas Rutherford and Christoph Böhringer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>The Impact of Border Carbon Adjustments on Energy-Intensive Industries - Does Sectoral Aggregation Matter ?</u> by Caron, Justin – <u>The impact of BCAs under alternative producer responses</u> by Winchester, Niven – <u>Can Carbon Based Tariffs Effectively Reduce Emissions? A Numerical Analysis with Focus on China</u> by Hübler, Michael – <u>On the Scope for Output-Based Rebating in Climate Policy</u> by Fischer, Carolyn and Alan Fox 	Aula Magna
09:00-11:00	Session 44 <i>“Distributional Impacts of Climate Policy”</i> Chair: Renger van Nieuwkoop <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Carbon Taxes and Inequality</u> by Dissou, Yazid and Muhammad Shahid Siddiqui – <u>Distributional Impacts of Carbon Pricing: A General Equilibrium Approach with Micro-Data for Households</u> by Rausch, Sebastian, Gilbert E. Metcalf and John Reilly – <u>Distributional Implications of Climate Change in India</u> by Skoufias, Emmanuel – <u>Low Carbon Development and Carbon Taxes in South Africa</u> by Arndt, Channing, Rob Davies, Konstantin Makrelov and James Thurlow 	8A

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09:00-11:00	Session 45 <i>"Economic Trade and Growth in Europe"</i> Chair: Lars Nilsson <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Reaping What Others Have Sown: Measuring the Impact of the Global Financial Crisis on Spanish Agriculture</u> by Bourne, Michael, Jack Childs and George Philippidis – <u>Promoting innovation and imitation in a small open economy: The role of human capital, R&D and trade</u> by Bye, Brita and Taran FæHn – <u>Austrian Linkages to the European Economy and the Transmission Mechanisms of the Global Economic Crisis</u> by Pindyuk, Olga and Joseph Francois – <u>The marginal costs of funds in the VATTAGE model of Finland: a back of the envelope justification of the welfare effects of additional government revenue</u> by Honkatukia, Juha, Peter Dixon and Maureen Rimmer 	9A
09:00-11:00	Session 46 <i>"Climate Change, Trade and Trade Policy"</i> Chair: Yvan Decreux <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Mitigation potential and Trade Effects of removing fossil fuel subsidies: a general equilibrium assessment</u> by Chateau, Jean and Jean-Marc Burniaux – <u>Which design of a border adjustment for the EU ETS? A quantitative assessment</u> by Monjon, Stéphanie and Philippe Quirion – <u>The welfare effects of Reversed Border Tax Adjustments as a remedy under unilateral environmental taxation: A South African case study</u> by Seymore, Reyno, Margaret Mabugu and Jan Van Heerden 	9B

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09:00-11:00	Session 47 <i>"Climate Policy"</i> Chair: Bob Koopman <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Climate Change and Agriculture in South Asia: Studying Optimal Trade Policy Options</u> by Laborde, David – <u>Copenhagen and Cancun: the cost of the new EU GHG mitigation policy</u> by Bosello, Francesco, Ramiro Parrado, Fabio Eboli, Lorenza Campagnolo and Elisa Portale – <u>Developing an Economic Model for Examining Greenhouse Issues in China</u> by Adams, Philip – <u>Is the European climate policy a jab against an oil shock? A CGE analysis</u> by Saveyn, Bert, Jon Pycroft, Helene Maisonnave and Juan Carlos Ciscar 	10A
11:00-11:30	Coffee Break	Concourse
11:30-13:00	Plenary Session <i>"Growth, Development and Poverty"</i> Chair: Thomas Hertel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – <u>Can CGE Models End Poverty?</u> by Devarajan, Shanta – <u>Green Growth - Post-Copenhagen</u> by Sterner, Thomas 	Aula Magna
13:00-13:15	2012 Conference Preview <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Roberta Piermartini, WTO, Geneva, Switzerland 	Aula Magna
13:15-13:30	Closing Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Terrie Walmsley, Research Associate Professor and Director, Center for Global Trade Analysis, Purdue University, Australia – Giuseppe Sammarco, Executive Director, Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei, Italy 	Aula Magna
13:30-14:45	Lunch	Concourse

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Objective

The objective of the annual conference on economic analysis is to promote the exchange of ideas among economists conducting quantitative analysis of global economic issues. Particular emphasis will be placed on applied general equilibrium methods, data, and application. Related theoretical and applied work is also welcome. This conference will focus on:

- Measurement and Impact Analysis of Non-Tariff Measures and Trade Facilitation
- Trade, Environment, Natural Resources and Sustainable Development
- Poverty, Income Distribution, Inequality and Development towards the Millennium Development Goals
- Multilateral and Bilateral Trade Agreements in a Globalizing World
- Impact Analysis of Trade Agreements

Abstract / Session Proposal Submission

Abstracts and organized session proposals will be accepted on the GTAP website from early November 2011 through January 15, 2012. All abstracts and proposals will go through a peer review process. The accepted presenters will be notified in early March 2012 with papers due by April 30, 2012.

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