Workshop on Methods and Applications for Dynamic Stochastic General Equilibrium Models

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Organizers:
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Friday October 12, 2007

09:00 – 10:00 Matteo Iacoviello (Boston College) and Stefano Neri (Bank of Italy): “The Role of Housing Collateral in an Estimated Two-Sector Model of the U.S. Economy”
Discussant: Jesus Fernandez-Villaverde (Penn)

10:00 – 10:30 Coffee Break

10:30 – 11:30 Chris Otrok and Eric Young (University of Virginia): “Monetary Policy Rules for Stochastically Volatile Economies”
Discussant: Juan Rubio-Ramirez (Duke)

11:30 – 12:30 Jinill Kim (Board of Governors) and Francisco Ruge-Murcia (University of Montreal): “How Much Inflation is Necessary to Grease the Wheels”
Discussant: Emi Nakamura (Columbia)

12:30 – 02:00 Lunch Break

02:00 – 03:00 Nikolay Iskrev (University of Michigan): “How Much Do We Learn from Estimating DSGE Models?”
Discussant: Alejandro Justiniano (Board of Governors)

03:00 – 04:00 Pablo Guerron-Quintana (NC State University): "What You Match Does Matter: The Effects of Data on DSGE Model Estimation"
Discussant: Marc Giannoni (Columbia)

04:00 – 04:30 Coffee Break

04:30 – 05:30 Boragan Aruoba (University of Maryland) and Frank Schorfheide (Penn): “Insights from an Estimated Search-Based Monetary Model”
Discussant: Peter Ireland (Boston College)
Saturday, October 13, 2007

09:00 – 10:00  Giorgio Primiceri (Northwestern University): “TBA”  
Discussant: Tao Zha (Atlanta Fed)

10:00 – 10:30  Coffee Break

10:30 – 11:30  Domenico Giannone (ECB) and Lucrezia Reichlin (ECB):  
"Bayesian VARs with large panels"  
Discussant: Barbara Rossi (Duke)

11:30 – 12:30  Oscar Jorda (UC Davis) and Sharon Kozicki (Bank of  
Canada): “Projection Minimum Distance: An Estimator  
for Dynamic Macroeconomic Models”  
Discussant: Dennis Kristensen (Columbia)

12:30 – 02:00  Lunch / Departure
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