

## News and Announcements

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The annual meeting of the Spanish Economic Association (SAEe) takes place in Palma de Mallorca this year. COSME sponsors one Invited Lecture. In 2014, our guest speaker is Michèle Tertilt who will speak on "Female Empowerment and Economic Development" on Friday December 12 (13:00 to 14:00).

In addition, several sessions of the scientific program of the SAEe receive the additional title of "COSME Session". Of course, every paper presented in these sessions follows the same evaluation process than the rest.

The COSME Sessions this year are the following:

#### ***Session: COSME Female Labor Market Participation***

December 11, 2014 18:00 to 19:30

SB06

Session Chair: Ezgi Kaya, Cardiff Business School

#### 1) ACTIVE WELFARE STATE POLICIES AND FEMALE LABOUR PARTICIPATION IN SPAIN

By Xisco Oliver; University of the Balearic Islands

Presented by: Xisco Oliver, University of the Balearic Islands

#### 2) The Effect of Public Pensions on Women's Labor Market Participation over a Full Life-Cycle

By Carlos Bethencourt; Universidad de la Laguna

Virginia Sánchez-Marcos; Universidad de Cantabria

Presented by: Virginia Sánchez-Marcos, Universidad de Cantabria

#### 3) Heterogeneous Couples, Household Interactions and Labor Supply Elasticities of Married Women

By Ezgi Kaya; Cardiff Business School

Presented by: Ezgi Kaya, Cardiff Business School

#### ***Session: JM: COSME Session - Gender Economics***

December 12, 2014 9:00 to 11:00

SB06

Session Chair: Patrice De Micco, Bocconi University

#### 1) The Math Gender Gap: The Role of Culture

By Natalia Nollenberger; Queen Mary University of London

Presented by: Natalia Nollenberger, Queen Mary University of London

#### 2) From caring to work: The labor market effects of noncontributory health insurance.

By Alejandro del Valle; Paris School of Economics and UC Berkeley

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3) Child Discipline, Domestic Violence and Social Programs: Evidence from Colombia

By Diana Lopez-Avila; Paris School of Economics

Presented by: Diana Lopez-Avila, Paris School of Economics

4) The Gender Effect of Minimum Pension Reforms: Evidence from Spain

By Patrice De Micco; Bocconi University

Presented by: Patrice De Micco, Bocconi University

**Session: COSME Gender differences 1**

December 12, 2014 11:20 to 12:50

Sala de Graus (AGB)

Session Chair: Nagore Iriberry, University of the Basque Country

1) Bargaining and the Gender Wage Gap: A Direct Assessment

By David Card; University of California, Berkeley

Ana Rute Cardoso; IAE-CSIC and Barcelona GSE

Patrick Kline; UC Berkeley

Presented by: Ana Rute Cardoso, IAE-CSIC and Barcelona GSE

2) Does the Gender Composition of Evaluation Committees Matter? Evidence from Italian Academia

By Manuel Bagues; Aalto University

Mauro Sylos Labini; Università di Pisa

Natalia Zinovyeva; Aalto University

Presented by: Manuel Bagues, Aalto University

3) On Women's Underperformance in Competitive Environments: When and Why

By Nagore Iriberry; University of the Basque Country

Pedro Rey-Biel; Universitat Autònoma Barcelona

Presented by: Nagore Iriberry, University of the Basque Country

**Session: COSME Gender differences 2**

December 13, 2014 12:45 to 14:15

SB06

Session Chair: Yolanda F. Rebollo-Sanz, Universidad Pablo de Olavide

1) Gender and exporting firms: any effect via management and ownership?

By Helena Marques; University of the Balearic Islands

Presented by: Helena Marques, University of the Balearic Islands

2) Gender of workers' supervisors. Does it matter?

By Miguel Angel Roperero; University of Malaga

Presented by: Miguel Angel Roperero, University of Malaga

3) Gender Gaps in Labor Market Transitions during the Great Recession in Spain

By Sara De la Rica; University of the Basque Country; FEDEA

Yolanda F. Rebollo-Sanz; Universidad Pablo de Olavide

Presented by: Yolanda F. Rebollo-Sanz, Universidad Pablo de Olavide

Finally, as usual this year COSME offers a free babysitting service for registered participants (please let us know if you need this service asap).

## **2) COSME Gender Economics Workshop 2015**

The 8th COSME Gender Economics Workshop (GEW) will take place on May 28-29, 2015, at Ramón Areces Foundation in Madrid, Spain. The GEW aims to provide researchers with a forum for presenting and discussing research on the status of women in the economy and policies that try to empower their position.

### ***Submissions:***

Both theoretical and empirical papers are welcome. Preference will be given, conditional on quality, to authors who have not presented in the last meeting. GEW will include about 10 presentations. The keynote speakers will be Libertad González (Universitat Pompeu Fabra) and Nezh Guner (ICREA Research Professor at MOVE, UAB). Libertad will talk about "Missing Girls in Spain", and Nezh will present "Rethinking the Welfare State" (with Remzi Kaygusuz and Gustavo Ventura). In addition, Nezh will talk about "Households and Inequality: The Role of Assortative Mating" for a general audience.

Please send your submission in PDF format to [cosme@genderworkshop.com](mailto:cosme@genderworkshop.com) before January 30, 2015 along with the name, affiliation and contact details of the author(s). Only one submission per author is permitted. Decisions of acceptance or rejection will be sent out no later than March 2, 2015.

### ***Registration:***

There are no registration fees, but participants should cover their own accommodation and travel expenses. There may be limited funds to partially cover travel and/or accommodation expenses of some participants. Please, let us know if you require any funding.

There are a limited number of places for non-presenters, allocated on a first come, first served basis. Please, contact us at [cosme@genderworkshop.com](mailto:cosme@genderworkshop.com) to confirm your attendance.

More information:

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