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1) COSME at the 2016 Meeting of the Spanish Economic Association

The annual meeting of the Spanish Economic Association (SAEe) takes place in Bilbao this year. Several sessions of the [scientific program](#) that address gender issues receive the additional title of "COSME Session". Every paper presented in these sessions follows the same evaluation process as the rest. The COSME Sessions this year are the following:

Session 16: COSME: Gender Policies I December 15, 2016 11:15 to 13:00

Session Chair: [Libertad González](#), Universitat Pompeu Fabra

Session type: contributed

[Female Mayors and Gender Policies in a Developed Country](#)

By Felipe Carozzi; London School of Economics and Andres Gago García; CEMFI

presented by: [Andres Gago García](#), CEMFI

[Do anti-discrimination laws alleviate labor market duality? Quasi-experimental evidence from Korea](#)

By Hoon Choi; University of Barcelona

presented by: [Hoon Choi](#), University of Barcelona

[Positive action towards gender equality? Evidence from the Athena SWAN charter in UK medical schools](#)

By Ian Gregory-Smith; U Sheffield

presented by: [Ian Gregory-Smith](#), U Sheffield

[The Effect of Abortion Legalization on Fertility, Marriage and Long-term Outcomes for Women](#)

By Libertad González; Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Sergi Jimenez-Martin; Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Natalia Nollenberger; IE Business School - IE University and Judit Vall Castello; Centre for Research in Economics and Health

presented by: [Natalia Nollenberger](#), IE Business School - IE University

Session 58: COSME: Gender Policies II (Job Market)

December 16, 2016 11:15 to 13:00

Session type: Job Market

[The impact of increasing the legal retirement age for women in Belgium](#)

By Bart Cockx; Ghent University, Muriel Dejemeppe Corinna Ghirelli; European Commission
Yannick Thuy; Ghent University and Bruno Van der Linden; Université Catholique de Louvain
presented by: [Corinna Ghirelli](#), European Commission

[Sex ratio and timing of the first marriage in China: Evidence for the one-and-half-Children Policy](#)

By Yuxin Yao; Tilburg University
presented by: [Yuxin Yao](#), Tilburg University

[Affirmative Action and Retaliation in Experimental Contests](#)

By Francesco Fallucchi; University of East Anglia and Simone Quercia; University of Bonn
presented by: [Francesco Fallucchi](#), University of East Anglia

[Speedy responses: Effects of higher benefits on take-up and division of parental leave](#)

By Ylva Moberg; Uppsala University
Presented by: [Ylva Moberg](#), Uppsala University

Session 59: COSME: Gender and the Labour Market

December 16, 2016 15:00 to 16:45

Session Chair: [Lidia Farre](#), Universitat de Barcelona

Session type: contributed

[The Changing Nature of Gender Selection into Employment: Europe over the Great Recession](#)

By Juan. J. Dolado; European University Institute, Cecilia Garcia-Penalosa; Aix Marseille
University and Linas Tarasonis; Bank of Lithuania
presented by: [Linas Tarasonis](#), Bank of Lithuania

[Parental leave and gender equality](#)

By Lidia Farre; Universitat de Barcelona and Libertad González; Universitat Pompeu Fabra
presented by: [Lidia Farre](#), Universitat de Barcelona

[Woman's relative wage and intimate partner violence in Mexico: A non-monotonic relationship](#)

By Aixa Maria Garcia Ramos; University of Birmingham
presented by: [Aixa Maria Garcia Ramos](#), University of Birmingham

[The Role of Gender in Employment Polarization](#)

By Fabio Cerina; University of Cagliari, Alessio Moro; University of Cagliari and Michelle
Rendall; University of Zurich
presented by: [Michelle Rendall](#), University of Zurich

Session 73: COSME: Gender and Social Norms

December 17, 2016 9:00 to 10:45

Session type: Contributed

[Social Norms, Gender, and Teenage Smoking](#)

By Anna Sanz de Galdeano; University of Alicante and IZA

presented by: [Anna Sanz de Galdeano](#), University of Alicante and IZA

[Gender and culture: Do social norms matter?](#)

By Rosella Nicolini; Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona and J.L. Roig; Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

presented by: [J.L. Roig](#), Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

[Masculinity and lying](#)

By Marc Vorsatz; Universidad Nacional de Educación a Dis, Enrique Turiegano; Universidad Autonoma de Madrid and Santiago Sanchez-Pages; University of Barcelona

presented by: [Santiago Sanchez-Pages](#), University of Barcelona

[Gender gaps in entrepreneurship and their macroeconomic effects: the case of Chile](#)

By David Cuberes; Clark University and Marc Teignier; Universitat de Barcelona

presented by: [Marc Teignier](#), Universitat de Barcelona

Session 85: COSME: Gender issues (Job Market)

December 17, 2016 11:15 to 13:00

Session type: contributed

Fathers and Children: Labor Market Opportunities and Fertility

By Alexander Russov; University of Michigan

presented by: [Alexander Russov](#), University of Michigan

[Fueling the Gender Gap? Oil and Women's Labor and Marriage Outcomes](#)

By Stephan Maurer; London School of Economics and Andrei Potlogea; University of Edinburgh

presented by: [Stephan Maurer](#), London School of Economics

[Gender, Group and Moral Hazard in Microfinance: Evidence from Matrilineal and Patrilineal Societies in India](#)

By Shagata Mukherjee; Georgia State University

presented by: [Shagata Mukherjee](#), Georgia State University

[Absence of Female Leaders: Do group dynamics play a role?](#)

By Duygu Ozdemir; University of Essex

presented by: [Duygu Ozdemir](#), University of Essex

2) COSME Gender Economics Workshop 2017: Call for papers

The **10th COSME Gender Economics Workshop (GEW)** will take place on May 25-26, 2017 at Ramón Areces Foundation in Calle Vitruvio, 5, Madrid, Spain. Both theoretical and empirical submissions are welcome. Preference will be given, conditional on quality, to authors who have not presented in the last meeting. The workshop will include about 10 presentations. The keynote speakers will be **Seema Jayachandran** (Northwestern University) and **Juan José Dolado** (European University Institute).

Submissions: Please use this [link](#) for submissions before **January 31st, 2017**. Only one submission per author is permitted. Decisions of acceptance or rejection will be sent out no later than March 3, 2017.

Registration: There are no registration fees, but participants should cover their own travel and accommodation expenses. There are a limited number of places for non-presenters. If you are interested in attending as a non-presenter please send your CV to cosme@genderworkshop.com together with your request.

More information: Please see <http://www.genderworkshop.com/en/> for continuously updated information.

3) WinE Mentoring Retreat 2017 (From the EEA web page)

Following on from the very successful WinE mentoring retreats held during EEA-ESEM in 2013 and 2014, EEA Mannheim 2015, and EEA-ESEM 2016, the WinE Committee is pleased to announce the fifth retreat will be held in connection with EEA-ESEM Lisbon 2017.

The Retreat will be once again open to early career female economists with positions (post-doctoral fellows, lecturers, researchers and assistant professors) at academic and research institutions and who obtained their PhDs in 2012-2017 (we will also consider applicants who expect to obtain their PhD at a later date but who have already secured a position for the next academic year at a different institution from their PhD granting one).

The attendees will participate in a series of innovative discussions organized as panels and as smaller groups run by senior mentors. The discussions will cover topics such as publishing, writing successful grant applications, networking and career planning, with attention paid to the unique challenges that women may face at different stages of their careers. A number of attendees will also take part in small group sessions, which will focus on participants' research papers and provide an opportunity for detailed comment and feed-back from senior mentors in their field. There will also be many opportunities for the attendees to socialise with each other and their mentors during this event.

Applications for the Retreat will be open from shortly so please visit [here](#) for further information. Learn more about WinE [here](#).