



AMEF 2025 Conference Programme

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Date & Time

Monday 14th – Tuesday 15th April, 2025

Eastern European Summer Time (EEST) - <https://time.is/Thessaloniki>

Monday, April 14th

08:30 - 09:00 Registration (1st floor)

09:00 - 11:00 Parallel sessions (Rooms: A, B, C, D, E, F - 1st floor)

11:00 - 12:00 **Keynote Speech** – Prof Thanasis Stengos (Room: Auditorium - Ground Floor)

12:00 - 12:30 Coffee Break

12:30 - 14:30 Parallel sessions (Rooms: A, B, C, D, E, F - 1st floor)

14:30 - 15:30 Lunch Break (Ground floor - University restaurant)

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Monday, April 14th 2025

08:30 – 09:00 **Registration & Refreshments**

09:00 – 11:00 **Parallel Sessions** – Groups A1, B1, C1, D1, E1, F1

A.1

Chair: **Stilianos Fountas**

Room: A (1st floor)

1. *On The Nonlinearity of the Finance and Growth Relation: the Role of Human Capital.*

Simone Marsiglio (University of Pisa, Italy)

2. *A Refined Quality-Quantity Measure of Financial Development in the Cross-Economy Growth Explanations.*

Dilshad Jahan (Swansea University, United Kingdom)

3. *Output Gap Measurement after COVID for Colombia: Lessons from a Permanent-Transitory Approach.*

Daniel Parra-Amado (Central Bank of Colombia, Colombia)

4. *Scarring vs Cleansing: A Historical Perspective.*

Stilianos Fountas (University of Macedonia, Greece)

B.1

Chair: **Costas Karfakis**

Room: B (1st floor)

1. *Crowd-Sourced ESG Ratings and Green Bond Costs: Insights for Small and Large Firms.*

Avesta Abdulrahman (University of Essex, United Kingdom) [ZOOM link](#)

2. *Shareholder value versus sustainability: ESG's role in energy sector financial performance.*

Alexandra Horobet (Bucharest University of Economic Studies, Romania)

3. *Monetary Integration or Divergence? - Exchange Rates and Economic Dynamics in European Countries Outside the Eurozone.*

Nikolaos Stoupos (Deree-American College of Greece, Greece)

4. *What helps predict global food crises? - Mind the dollar!*

Costas Karfakis (University of Macedonia, Greece)

C.1

Chair: **Ioannis Arampatzidis**

Room: C (1st floor)

1. *Dynamic Correlations and the dimension of the commodities market.*

Georgios Baimpos (Agricultural University of Athens, Greece)

2. *Adaptive learning in Short Time Series.*

Georgios Prokopos (Agricultural University of Athens, Greece)

3. *Bridging the Gap: Estimating Scope 3 Emissions at Company's Level.*

Matilda Baret (Laboratoire d'Economie d'Orléans, University of Orleans, France)

4. *Exploring alternative decarbonization strategies for Greece.*

Ioannis Arampatzidis (Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece)

D.1

Chair: **Marina-Selini Katsaiti**

Room: D (1st floor)

1. *From abroad to the ballot: remittances and political institutions.*

Sofia Tsarsitalidou (University of Peloponnese, Greece)

2. *Migration and Natives' Trust in Institutions.*

Marina-Selini Katsaiti (Agricultural University of Athens, Greece)

3. *Gender Inequality, Female Suffrage, and Culture.*

Charoula Pariatrou (Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece)

4. *Segregation and Redistributive Preferences: The Role of Interracial Interaction.*

Kyriakos Petrou (College of Business Studies Cyprus, Cyprus)

E.1

Chair: **Georgios Bampinas**

Room: E (1st floor)

1. *Bottlenecks and Corkscrews: Macroeconomic Implications of Maritime Supply Chain Disruptions*

Alessandro Nava (University of Padua and CRIEP, Italy)

2. *Unraveling the Nexus between dry bulk rates and U.S. financial market risk.*

Dimitris Georgoulas (University of Piraeus, Greece)

3. Dynamic Spillovers and Time-Varying Connectedness between Geopolitical Risk, Energy Prices, Supply Chain Pressures, Business Confidence, and Industrial Production in the EU27.

Kyriakos Emmanouilidis (City College, University of York Europe Campus, Greece)

4. What is the relationship between connectedness and uncertainty?

Nikolaos Gasparis (University of Macedonia, Greece)

F.1

Chair: **Chaoyi Chen**

Room: F (1st floor)

1. Exploring the relationship between crime and economic growth: The role of institutional quality.

Nikolaos Kroupis (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece)

2. Investigating the role of technological structure on economic growth. Does the knowledge network matter?

Thomas Panagiotou (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece)

3. Drivers and Consequences of Credit Growth: A Study of Financial Deepening.

Tilemahos Efthimiadis (European Commission, Joint Research Centre)

4. Economic growth and financial depth: the role of institutional quality.

Chaoyi Chen (Central Bank of Hungary, Hungary)

11:00 – 12:00

Keynote Speech - Prof Thanasis Stengos (University of Guelph)
Revisiting the specification of the relationship between CO2 per capita emissions and income per capita

Chair: Prof Stilianos Fountas (University of Macedonia)

Room: Auditorium (Ground Floor)

12:00 – 12:30

Coffee Break

12:30 – 14:30

Parallel Sessions – Groups A2, B2, C2, D2, E2, F2

A.2

Chair: **Alexandros Tsioutsios**

Room: A (1st floor)

1. Bank concentration and asymmetric interest rate pass-through: Evidence from selected euro area countries.

Alexandros Tsioutsios (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece)

2. When Prices Stand Still: A Robust Approach to Integrated Volatility Estimation.

Emmanouil Daousis (University of Ioannina, Greece)

3. Oil and Gas Markets: A correlation analysis.

Christos Savva (Cyprus University of Technology, Cyprus)

4. Analyzing Stock Market Volatility in G-7 Using Realized Kernels.

Alexandros Tsioutsios (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece)

B.2

Chair: **Evangelos Vasileiou**

Room: B (1st floor)

1. Perceptions of Public Employees on the Quality of Services Provided to Agrifood Entrepreneurs.

Sotirios Papadopoulos and **Persefoni Polychronidou** (International Hellenic University, Greece)

[ZOOM link](#)

2. Study of the economic impact of Covid on Greek public hospitals.

Georgios Koufalitakis (Democritus University of Thrace, Greece), **Sotirios Papadopoulos** (International Hellenic University, Greece) and **Persefoni Polychronidou** (International Hellenic University, Greece) [ZOOM link](#)

3. Convergence in Scientific Productivity among the G20 Countries

Maria Karantali (University of Macedonia, Greece)

4. Corruption: A Persistent Challenge with Economic Implications.

Evangelos Vasileiou (University of the Aegean, Greece)

C.2

Chair: **Dimitris Ballas**

Room: C (1st floor)

1. Plant Cultural Infrastructure and Harvest Urban Growth: Evidence from Alexander's the Great Kingdom.

Sotiris Kampanelis (Cardiff University, United Kingdom)

2. Mutual Insurance and Land Security in Rural Ghana.

Georgios Manalis (University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom)

3. Unpacking spatial earnings inequality in the UK: The role of people, place, and industry effects.

Tasos Kitsos (Aston University, United Kingdom)

4. Defending Home Turf! Ministers' Birthplaces, UN Peacekeeping Operations and the Dynamics of Terrorism in Africa.

Evi Tsavou (London School of Economics and Political Science, United Kingdom; University of Patras, Greece)

D.2

Chair: **Anastasia Litina**

Room: D (1st floor)

1. *Volunteering as a Catalyst for Economic Growth: An Endogenous Social Capital Approach.*

Michael Chletsos (University of Piraeus, Greece)

2. *The Red Stain: Political Repression and the Diffusion of Ideology.*

Elias Dinas (European University Institute, Italy)

3. *Population Aging and the Rise of Populism in Europe.*

Anastasia Litina (University of Macedonia, Greece)

4. *Tourism as a Catalyst for Cultural Transformation.*

Andreas Sintos (University of Luxembourg, Luxembourg)

E.2

Chair: **Panagiotis Samartzis**

Room: E (1st floor)

1. *An integrated maritime optimization model considering constraints expressing environmental regulations.*

Angelos Alamanos

2. *Sustainable shipping within the Global Climate Hub's models integration.*

Angelos Alamanos

3. *An overview of integrated maritime optimisation approaches.*

Lydia Papadaki (Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece)

4. *Reshaping the Maritime Sector: The Impact of Global Climate Policies on Shipping Trade.*

Maria Politi- Katsadorou (National & Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece)

F.2

Chair: **Konstantinos Papadopoulos**

Room: F (1st floor)

1. *Asymmetric Passive Cross-Ownership and Tacit Collusion.*

Emmanuel Petrakis (University of Crete, Greece)

2. *Cross Ownership, Innovation and the Labor Market.*

Marco Delogu (Università degli studi di Sassari, Italy)

3. *Green Collusion, Sustainability and Welfare.*

Rafailia Kelepiri (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece)

4. *Financial frictions, common ownership and firms' market power in a general equilibrium model.*

Giommaria Spano (University of Sassari, Italy)

14:30 – 15:30 **Lunch** (University Restaurant, Ground floor)

15:30 – 16:30 **Keynote Speech - Prof Charles I. Jones (Stanford University)**
Artificial Intelligence and Economic Growth
Chair: Prof Jordan Petsas (University of Scranton)
Room: A (1st floor) ONLINE

16:30 – 19:00 **Parallel Sessions** – Groups A3, B3, C3, D3, E3, F3, G3

A.3

Chair: **George Economides**

Room: A (1st floor)

1. *Repayment of EU bailout loans in a member-country of the ES: The case of Greece.*

Vasiliki Dimakopoulou (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece) [ZOOM link](#)

2. *Optimal Redistribution with Government Debt*

Kirill Shakhnov (University of Surrey, United Kingdom)

3. *Twin Deficits or Twin Divergence? The Role of Market Liberalization.*

Panagiotis Konstantinou (Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece)

4. *The role of patience on government spending cyclicity.*

Pantelis Kammis (Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece)

5. *Public investment multipliers revisited: The role of production complementarities*

George Economides (Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece)

B.3

Chair: **Roula Inglesi-Lotz**

Room: B (1st floor)

1. *Assessing the Economic Impact of Environmental Crime in Italy: A Panel Causality Analysis.*

Gaetano Perone (University of Pisa, Italy) [ZOOM link](#)

2. *Institutional quality as a possible catalyst in South Africa's electricity supply and FDI nexus.*

Alanda Venter (University of Pretoria, South Africa) [ZOOM link](#)

3. *International Coal Trade Scenarios and its Impact on South Africa's Just Energy Transition Outlook.*

Roula Inglesi-Lotz (University of Pretoria, South Africa)

4. *Economic Impact of Natural Disasters Under the New Normal of Climate Change: The Role of Green Technologies.*

Nikos Fatouros (American University in Bulgaria, Bulgaria)

5. *Balancing Trade-offs in EU's Green Transition: Green Technology Independence vs. EU ETS Adversities in Driving Green Growth Progress.*

Dimitris Smyrnakis (Economics Research Centre, University of Cyprus, Cyprus)

C.3

Chair: **Georgios Chortareas**

Room: C (1st floor)

1. *Macroeconomic effects of growth-enhancing measures in the euro area.*

Massimiliano Pisani (Banca d'Italia, Italy)

2. *The Enduring Effects of Unconventional Monetary Policy.*

Giulio Tarquini (Sapienza University of Rome, Italy)

3. *Advancing Shadow Rate Models for Policy Analysis.*

Konstantinos Ioannis Linardatos (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece)

4. *Credit Market Dynamism, Bank Ownership, and Capital Misallocation.*

David Hong (University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom)

5. *Price Stability, Financial Stability, and Monetary Policy Delegation: A Common–Agency Perspective.*

Georgios Chortareas

D.3

Chair: **Fabio Parla**

Room: D (1st floor)

1. *Natural disasters and the effects of reconstruction expenditure on output.*

Christos Chrysanthakopoulos (University of Patras; Centre of Planning and Economic Research, Greece) [ZOOM link](#)

2. *A New Keynesian Model to Assess the Role of the Government's Preferences over Climate Change.*

Ioannis Kalientzidis (University of Strasbourg, France)

3. *The Spillover Effects of Temperature and Precipitation Shocks from Italy to Malta.*

Theodosios Drossidis (Central Bank of Malta, Malta)

4. *Temperature and Growth: seasonal and non-linear effects using EU subnational data.*

Andrea Cipollini (University of Palermo, Italy)

5. *Spectral climate risk.*

Fabio Parla (University of Palermo, Italy)

E.3

Chair: **Evi Tzika**

Room: E (1st floor)

1. *Should we include rental prices in housing-macro VAR models?*

Michał Rubaszek (SGH Warsaw School of Economics, Poland)

2. *Housing Market Uncertainty in Greece.*

George Voucharas (Liverpool Hope University, United Kingdom)

3. *Impact of commodity prices and uncertainty on the sovereign risk of European agricultural producers: the case of the Russo-Ukrainian conflict.*

Agata Kliber (Poznan University of Economics and Business, Poland)

4. *Uncertainty and Inequality: A local Projections Approach.*

Evi Tzika (Swansea University, United Kingdom)

F.3

Chair: **Anastasia Litina**

Room: F (1st floor)

1. *Natural Disasters and the European Green Deal.*

Ioannis Patios (University of Macedonia, Greece)

2. *Lifetime Experiences of Macroeconomic Shocks and the Erosion of EU Identity.*

Despina Gavresi (University of Luxembourg, Luxembourg)

3. *Industrialization and Human Capital Development in Greek Regions: A Historical Perspective.*

Sofia Tsitou (University of Ioannina, Greece)

4. *Chasing the American Dream: the role of aspirations and expectations.*

Skerdi Zanaj (University of Luxembourg, Luxembourg)

5. *Religions in Europe: Revealing the impact of Reformation on economic development.*

Michail Papazoglou (University of Ioannina, Greece)

G.3

Chair: **Andros Kourtellos**

Room: G (1st floor)

1. *Quantification and clustering of EU regional innovation output.*

Panagiotis Ravanos (European Commission, Joint Research Center, Italy)

2. *Regional insights on SMEs exposure to climate change threats.*

Anastasis Katsinis (European Commission, Joint Research Center, Italy)

3. *A framework of spatial models on regression discontinuity design.*

Elisavet Serenidou (University of Guelph, Canada)

4. *Speed Limits, Noise Abatement, and House Prices: Evidence from a Quasi-Natural Experiment in Wales.*

Haonan Tian (University of Birmingham, United Kingdom)

5. *Social Curves: A Spatial Functional Regression Approach.*

Andros Kourtellos (University of Cyprus, Cyprus)

Tuesday, April 15th, 2025

08:30 – 09:00 **Registration**

09:00 – 11:00 **Parallel Sessions** – Group A4, B4, C4, D4, E4

A.4

Chair: **Nektarios Aslanidis**

Room: A (1st floor)

1. *Monetary policy transmission: the role of banking sector characteristics in the euro area.*

Georgios Mermelas (University of Patras, Greece)

2. *Economic Policy Uncertainty and Financial Frictions State Dependent Monetary Policy.*

Thomai Filippeli (Queen Mary University of London, United Kingdom)

3. *Dancing with the R*: Information Shocks in the "New Normal".*

Aristotelis Margaris (University of Padova, Italy)

4. *Latin America's experience with the Gold Standard, 1867-1931.*

Nektarios Aslanidis (Universitat Rovira i Virgili, Spain)

B.4

Chair: **Dimitrios Zormpas**

Room: B (1st floor)

1. *Incentives and Selection.*

George Georgiadis (Northwestern University, USA)

2. *What bounds security lending? And how that impacts on specialness and securities prices?*

Arash Vahedgilani (University of Surrey, United Kingdom)

3. *Endogenous Information Acquisition in an Investment-Trading Game.*

Anastasia Papadopoulou (University of Bristol, United Kingdom)

4. *Investment under uncertainty and the threat of nationalization.*

Dimitrios Zormpas (University of Macedonia, Greece)

C.4

Chair: **Apostolos Fasianos**

Room: C (1st floor)

1. *Moon Phase Effect in the Time of Increased Volatility in Financial Markets.*

Bartlomiej Lisicki (University of Economics in Katowice, Poland)

2. *Central Bank Communication Channel: International Evidence from Stock Market Indices.*

Nikoletta Poutachidou (University of Thessaly, Greece) with Stephanos Papadamou, Christos Mpardas and Vasileios Vlachos

3. *Trump's 2024 Win and The Fate of Green and Brown Portfolio Returns.*

Nicola Comincioli (University of Brescia & Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei, Italy)

4. *From investment to inclusion? The role of FDI in women's employment and entrepreneurship dynamics in Northern Europe.*

Delia Diaconasu (Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iasi, Romania)

D.4

Chair: **Dimitris Ballas**

Room: D (1st floor)

1. *Developments on Regional Inequality in Greece.*

Alexandros Karakitsios (Bank of Greece, Greece)

2. *Case study of Greece: Weak growth performance, regional inequalities, unbalanced integration and political discontent.*

Stavroula Alexiou (University of Thessaly, Greece)

3. *Subjective Well-Being and Left-Behind Places: The moderating and mediating effect of regional digital characteristics.*

Thanasis Ziogas (University of Groningen, Netherlands)

4. *Does Money Buy Happiness? A Cross-Country Analysis of Income and Subjective Wellbeing.*

Nikolaos Antonakakis (Webster Vienna Private University, Austria)

E.4

Chair: **Angeliki Skoura**

Room: E (1st floor)

1. *The Effects of Tax Incentives on Fertility, Education, and Labor Supply.*

Roman Bothmann (University of Augsburg, Germany)

2. *Entrepreneurship and sustainable economic growth on PIGS countries in combination with distortionary and non-distortionary taxes.*

Vasiliki Kremastioti (University of Peloponese, Greece)

3. *Towards a fairer taxation system: Distributional effects of a progressive consumption tax in the UK.*

Arnab Bhattacharjee (National Institute of Economic and Social Research (NIESR), United Kingdom)

4. *Does advance tax affect corporate tax aggressiveness?*

Angeliki Skoura (Hellenic Open University, Greece)

11:00 – 12:00

Keynote Speech - Prof Harris Dellas (University of Surrey)

Chair: Prof Sophocles Mavroeidis (University of Oxford)

Room: Auditorium (Ground Floor)

12:00 – 12:30

Coffee Break

12:30 – 14:30

Parallel Sessions – Groups A5, B5, C5, D5, E5, F5

A.5

Chair: **Cristiana Tudor**

Room: A (1st floor)

1. *Does ESG Reduce Default Risk? A Sectoral Analysis of European Firms.*

Evangelos Vathrakokoilis (University of Thessaly, Greece) [ZOOM link](#)

2. *A double hedge with energy commodities against agricultural commodity risk: New evidence from European markets.*

Krzysztof Echaust (Poznan University of Economics and Business, Poland)

3. *Risk and Trust Behavioral Patterns: Evidence from ESG Investing.*

Svatopluk Kapounek (Mendel University in Brno, Czech Republic)

4. *On the Role of Sustainable Investments in Managing Tail Risk in Post-COVID Portfolio Optimization.*

Cristiana Tudor (Bucharest University of Economics Studies, Romania)

B.5

Chair: **Spyridon Boikos**

Room: B (1st floor)

1. What drives Capital Controls on disaggregate Capital flows: Insights from Emerging Market Economies.

Biswajit Panigrahi (Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad, India) [ZOOM link](#)

2. National innovation systems and firms' capital investment around the world: a N-tuple helix approach.

Apostolos Vetsikas (University of Thessaly, Greece)

3. Digital Infrastructure Development in Small Jurisdictions: Complex Governance, Financial Externalities, and the Struggle for Sovereignty.

Ben Biedermann (Islands and Small States Institute, University of Malta, Malta)

4. Efficiency estimation from aggregate or individual unit data? An application on country and regional data.

Argyrios Arvanitis (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece)

C.5

Chair: **Elias Tzavalis**

Room: C (1st floor)

1. Echoes and Delays: Time-to-build in Production Networks.

Edouard Schaal (CREI - ICREA - Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain)

2. International Output Convergence: A Modern Cointegration Revision

Stylianos Daskalinas (Tor Vergata University of Rome, Italy)

3. Endogenous Regime Switching.

Sophocles Mavroeidis (University of Oxford, United Kingdom)

4. A structural-VAR Approach of Assessing Downside Public Debt Risks.

Elias Tzavalis (Athens University of Economics & Business, Greece)

D.5

Chair: **Georgios Papapanagiotou**

Room: D (1st floor)

1. The heterogenous effects of EU's Cohesion Fund

Ilias Kostarakos (European Commission, Joint Research Centre, Spain)

2. Assessing the Impact of EU Digital Interventions (2021-2027): A Dynamic Spatial General Equilibrium Approach

Tryfonas Christou (European Commission, Joint Research Centre, Spain)

3. Artificial Intelligence and Gender Inequality.

Pablo Casas (European Commission, Joint Research Centre, Spain)

4. The Impact of AI on Regional Employment: Lessons from Europe's Innovation Forerunners.

Georgios Papapanagiotou (University of Macedonia, Greece)

E.5

Chair: **Archontis Pantsios**

Room: E (1st floor)

1. Employment polarization: evidence from regions in Greece.

Stelios Roupakias (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece)

2. Human capital investment and the gender payment gap

Vasileios Nitsotolis (University of Thessaly, Greece)

3. The rise and fall of sectoral collective bargaining: re-negotiation and wage floors.

Andreas Moustakas (University of Patras, Greece)

4. Labour Unions and Corporate Social Responsibility: A tale of two cities.

Archontis Pantsios (Liverpool Hope University, United Kingdom)

F.5

Chair: **Vasilios Plakandaras**

Room: F (1st floor)

1. Identification of Investment-Ready SMEs: A Machine Learning Framework to Enhance Equity Access and Economic Growth.

Panagiotis Goumenidis (Democritus University of Thrace, Greece)

2. Tracing Contagion between Bitcoin and Traditional Markets.

Grigorios Rapos (University of Macedonia, Greece)

3. Forecasting systemic turmoil in international financial markets.

Vasilios Plakandaras (Democritus University of Thrace, Greece)

4. Stock Market Development and FDI Nexus in Emerging Market Economy.

Ifeoma Anthonia Iwegbunam (University of South Africa, South Africa) [ZOOM link](#)

14:30 – 15:30

Lunch (University Restaurant)

15:30 – 16:30 **Keynote Speech – Prof Paul Elhorst (University of Groningen)**
Econometric models for spatial panels with common factors.
Chair: Prof Dimitris Ballas (University of Groningen)
Room: A (1st Floor)

16:30 – 18:30 **Parallel Sessions – Groups A6, B6, C6, D6, E6, F6**

A.6

Chair: **Dimitrios Minos**
Room: A (1st floor)

1. *The intergenerational transmission of health revisited: Exploring dynamic club-convergence in Sub-Saharan Africa* [ZOOM link](#)

Dimitrios Argyros (University College Dublin, Ireland)

2. *Lessons learned? The Impact of Never Events on Hospital Safety Culture.*

Argyris Sakalis (Durham University Business School, United Kingdom)

3. *Queen Bee Immigrant: The effects of status perceptions on immigration attitudes.*

Biljana Meiske (European University Institute, Italy)

4. *Railways and literacy in 19th century Italy.*

Georgios Tsiachtsiras

5. *Economic Incentives and Public Health.*

Dimitrios Minos (King's College London, United Kingdom)

B.6

Chair: **Iordanis Petsas**
Room: B (1st floor)

1. *Herding throughout COVID-19 pandemic: evidence from Asian stock markets.*

Dazhi Zheng (West Chester University, United States) [ZOOM link](#)

2. *The Economic Impact of Crime: Evidence from Philadelphia Businesses.*

Anna Jaskiewicz (University of Scranton, United States) [ZOOM link](#)

3. *Animal-Spirits Hypothesis of Consumer Sentiment: New Evidence from a Dynamic Factor Model of Consumption.*

Aram Balagoyan (University of Scranton, United States) [ZOOM link](#)

4. *National Culture, Firm Performance, and Investor Behavior: An Empirical Study on Cross-Listed Stocks.*

Jinghan Cai (University of Scranton, United States) [ZOOM link](#)

5. Board Gender Diversity and Financial Market Spillovers.

Iordanis Petsas (University of Scranton, United States)

C.6

Chair: **Timo Baas**

Room: C (1st floor)

1. *The Effect of Income Inequalities on Bank Runs in an Agent-Based Diamond–Dybvig Model.*

Miklós Váry (Corvinus University of Budapest & HUN-REN Centre for Economic and Regional Studies, Hungary)

2. *Debt Deflation and Output Fluctuations in a Monetary Growth Model.*

Didar Erdinç (American University in Bulgaria, Bulgaria)

3. *How Inequality Drives Financial Vulnerability?*

Dragan Tevdovski (University “Ss. Cyril and Methodius”, North Macedonia)

4. *On business cycles and absenteeism: A cross-country comparison using a new-Keynesian DSGE model.*

Timo Baas (Cooperative State University Stuttgart, Germany)

D.6

Chair: **Dimitris Ballas**

Room: D (1st floor)

1. *R&D Spending and Artificial Intelligence Innovations in EU Regions.*

Apostolos Fasianos (University of Macedonia, Greece)

2. *The Gradual and Heterogeneous Effects of European Trade Integration.*

Petros Milionis (University of Groningen, Netherlands)

3. *Green Energy Transition and the Importance Of Cross-Border Coordination.*

Myrto Kasioumi (Budapest University of Technology and Economics, Hungary)

4. *Mapping social attitudes towards climate change: a social simulation tool for insight and action.*

Dimitris Ballas (University of Groningen, Netherlands)

E.6

Chair: **Vítor João Pereira Domingues Martinho**

Room: E (1st floor)

- 1. Carbon farming and its economic, social and political dimensions: Opportunities and threats.*
Vítor João Pereira Domingues Martinho (Polytechnic Institute of Viseu, Portugal)
- 2. Fuel costs or environmental costs: what provides a stronger incentive to invest in electric cars?*
Blanka Łęć (Poznan University of Economics and Business, Poland)
- 3. Assessing Corporate Sustainability: A Quantitative and Financial Analysis of SDG Misalignment and Net Impact.*
Cosmin-Alin Botoroga (The Bucharest University of Economic Studies, Romania)
- 4. The Economic and Environmental Nexus of Water Exploitation: A Dynamic Panel Analysis of EU Economies.*
Aura Girlovan (Bucharest University of Economic Studies, Romania)
- 5. Funding of investments that contribute to water saving: Case study on Action 4.1.2. of Common Agricultural Policy on Regional Unities of Serres, Drama & Kavala-Greece.*
Marianthi Maliari (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece)

F.6

Chair: **Eleftherios Filippiadis**

Room: F (1st floor)

- 1. Testing for the cartel hypothesis in GECF.*
Efthymios Lykopoulos (University of Limassol, Cyprus)
- 2. How do firms pass on cost changes whit an effective price cap in the market? Evidence from the gasoline market.*
Richárd Farkas (University of Pécs, Hungary)
- 3. The environmental damage of social status behavior.*
Leonidas Ourgantzidis (University of Macedonia, Greece)
- 4. The complex nature of the relationship between transboundary pollutants and income.*
Ioannis Iliadis (University of Macedonia, Greece)
- 5. Timing of Command-and-Control policy, asymmetric technology, and green trade unions.*
Eleftherios Filippiadis (University of Macedonia, Greece)

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Concluding Remarks



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