

THIRD RIDGE SUMMER SCHOOL IN ECONOMICS

2015 RIDGE DECEMBER FORUM

Montevideo, Uruguay / December 15-18, 2015

Preliminary Program

Conference venue: Centro de Formación de la Cooperación Española.

Address: 25 de Mayo 520, Montevideo

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WORKSHOP PROGRAM

December, Tuesday 15 – *International Macro*

- 8:45** Registration
- 9:00 – 10:30** [Towards a General Theory of Deep Downturns](#)
Joseph Stiglitz, Columbia University
- 10:30 – 11.00** Coffee Break
- 11:00 – 12:30** [Optimal Monetary Policy and Commodity Price Shocks](#)
Juan Pablo Nicolini, Minneapolis Fed and Universidad Di Tella
- 12:30 – 14.00** Lunch
- 14.00 – 19:30** Participants will attend the RIDGE Forum

December, Wednesday 16 – *Financial Stability*

- 9:00 – 10:30** [Liquidity Risk](#)
Xavier Freixas, Universitat Pompeu Fabra
- 10:30 – 11.00** Coffee Break
- 11:00 – 12:30** [Jobs, Wages, Distribution and the Latin American Slowdown](#)
Augusto de la Torre, World Bank
- 12:30 – 14.00** Lunch
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December, Thursday 17 – *Trade and Firm Dynamics*

- 9:00 – 10:30** [Firm-to-Firm Trade](#)
Jonathan Eaton, Penn State University
- 10:30 – 11.00** Coffee Break
- 11:00 – 12:30** [Issue Linkage in International Agreements](#)
Giovanni Maggi, Yale University
- 12:30 – 14.00** Lunch
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[The Political Economy of Liberal Democracy](#)

Dani Rodrik, Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government

10:30 – 11.00

Coffee Break

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[Firm Dynamics in the Neoclassical Growth Model](#)

Omar Licandro, University of Nottingham and Barcelona GSE

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