



EXTENSION OF CALL

RIDGE Summer School in Economics: Trade and Firm Dynamics and Growth and Development in Macroeconomics

Montevideo, Uruguay

14-16 December, 2016

Description

The Summer School will take place in the framework of the 2016 RIDGE December Forum, Montevideo. It will consist of 4 lectures by top scholars and the participation in the 2016 RIDGE December Forum, particularly the Policy Debates.

The RIDGE Summer School aims to give young Latin American economists the opportunity to attend lectures by top scholars and to be part of the debate about the frontier of knowledge in economics. Lecturers give an overview of the main open issues on topics related to the Forum.

The 2016 RIDGE December Forum consists of the following Workshops:

- Trade and Firm Dynamics, December 15-16 (Montevideo, Uruguay)
- Growth and Development in Macroeconomics 15-16 (Montevideo, Uruguay)

The RIDGE Forum aims to favor the spread of high quality research in economics and promotes the development of new views on economic thinking from the perspective of developing countries. It brings together top researchers working on the frontier of knowledge with researchers working in Latin America and Latin American policy makers.

Participants

The Summer School targets outstanding Latin American graduate economists. Priority will be given to Latin American students enrolled in Latin American Graduate programs in economics.

Interested students should apply by sending a short CV (2 pages maximum), transcripts and a letter of recommendation from a supervisor to summerschool2016@ridge.uy

A Committee, following standard criteria, will make the selection according to: GPA, publications and awards, a letter of recommendation and work experience.

The deadline for applying is October 21, 2016

The notification of the organizers decision is sent October 28, 2016

Only selected students will participate.

Travel and Accommodation

Organizers will provide accommodation for 4 nights to the invited foreign participants. These participants will be responsible for arranging their own travel.

Distinguished professors Joseph Stiglitz (Columbia), Dani Rodrik (Harvard), Jeffrey Williamson (Harvard), Jonathan Eaton (Penn State), Xavier Freixas (UPF), Hugo Hopenhayn (UCLA) and Jean Charles Rochet (Zurich), were among the lecturers in the previous Summer Schools. For more information on past RIDGE Summer Schools please visit www.ridge.uy

Scientific Committee

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Important Information

Please note that there will be an additional summer school on Financial Stability and International Macro taking place on December 6-9. Students may submit an application for one or both Summer Schools.
