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DAY 1 - MONDAY 8 JUNE (ROOM ICBS LG100)

Time	Session details
08:45	Welcome remarks and coffee
09:00–10:30	Session 1: Damages and Long-Run Risk Klaus Desmet (SMU) – <i>Evaluating the Spatial Consequences of a Climate Tipping Point</i> Antony Millner (UC Santa Barbara) – <i>Long Run Cost Benefit Rules</i>
10:30–11:00	Coffee break
11:00–12:30	Session 2: Transition Constraints and Disasters Tomas Dominguez-lino (University of Chicago) – <i>Critical Minerals, Geopolitics, and the Green Transition</i> Tarikua Erda (New York University) – <i>Cleansing Floods? Creative Destruction and Government Spending After Disasters</i>
12:30–13:30	Lunch
13:30–14:30	Keynote Lecture Robert Metcalfe (Columbia University) –
14:30–15:00	Coffee break
15:00–16:30	Session 3: Green Policies Johanna Arlinghaus (Hertie School) – <i>The Welfare Effects of Green Industrial Policy</i> Simon Dietz (LSE) – <i>Corporate Net Zero Targets: Have They Achieved Anything?</i>
16:30–17:00	Coffee break
17:00–18:30	Short presentations Yifei Liu (University of Wisconsin–Madison) – <i>Permitting, Litigation Risk, and Energy Infrastructure Investment</i> Romano Tarsia (LSE) – <i>Climate Change, Labour Markets, and Wage Inequality</i> Julie Robin (University of Rouen Normandy) – <i>Do Prosumers Shift Consumption?</i> Costanza Tomaselli (Imperial College London) – <i>Firms Adjustment in a Critical Input Crisis</i> Ignacio Banares Sanchez (LSE) – <i>Trading Trash on Tricycles</i>
19:00	Dinner (by invitation)

DAY 2 - TUESDAY 9 JUNE (ROOM ICBS LG100)

Time	Session details
09:00	Tea and coffee
09:15–10:45	<p>Session 4: Pollution</p> <p>Bahadir Dursun (Newcastle University) – <i>Clean Rides, Healthy Lives: The Impact of Electric Vehicle Adoption on Air Quality and Infant Health</i></p> <p>Julia Mink (University of Bonn) – <i>A Breath of Fresh Air? Fossil Fuel and Electricity Phase-Outs and the Long-Run Costs of Chronic Pollution Exposure</i></p>
10:45–11:15	Coffee break
11:15–12:45	<p>Session 5: Adaptation</p> <p>Sandra Bernick (Imperial College London) – <i>Taking a Rain Cheque: Short-Term Weather Fluctuations and Adaptation Investments</i></p> <p>Guglielmo Zappala (Harvard University) – <i>Demand for Crop Insurance: Evidence from Pakistan</i></p>
12:45–14:00	Lunch
14:00–16:30	<p>Session 6: Household Energy Technology and Demand</p> <p>Blake Shaffer (University of Calgary) – <i>Take the Load Off: Effort and Technology as Determinants of Electricity Demand Response</i></p> <p>Florian Munch (LSE) – <i>Thin Markets, Thick Subsidies: Local Competition and the Incidence of Heat-Pump Grants</i></p> <p>Cloé Garnache (ETH Zurich / OsloMet) – <i>Panic Investment in Durable Goods: Evidence from Solar Panel Adoption in Norway</i></p>
16:30	Adjourn