

AGENDA

December 14th

Time (EST)

8:30-8:55	Registration and Breakfast	
8:55	Welcome remarks by Denis Medvedev, IFC	
9:00-11:00	Session 1: *Labor	
9:00-9:30	Ian Schmutte University of Georgia	Blame the manager? Displacement Events and Job-Driven Scarring
9:30-10:00	Sean Wang U.S. Census Bureau Center for Economic Studies	What is the Price for Opportunity? The Effects of Employer Learning on Worker Promotions and Turnover
10:00-10:30	Natalia Emanuel New York Federal Reserve Bank	Firm Frictions and the Payoffs of Higher Pay
10:30-11:00	Alex Xi He University of Maryland	Eclipse of Rent-Sharing: The effects of Managers' Business Education on Wages and the Labor Share in the US and Denmark
11:00-11:30	Coffee Break	
11:30-13:00	Session 2: Adopting Practices I	
11:30-12:00	Ornella Darova University of Pennsylvania	Capacity building as a route to export market expansion: A six-country experiment in the Western Balkans
12:00-12:30	Miriam Bruhn World Bank	Missing Information: Why Don't More Firms Seek Out Business Advice?
12:30-13:00	MJ Yang University of Oklahoma	Why is Entrepreneurial Overconfidence (so) Persistent? Evidence from a Large-Scale Field Experiment

13:00-13:30	Lunch	
13:30-14:00	Makhtar Diop Managing Director, IFC	*Keynote Presentation
14:00-14:15	Coffee Break	
14:15-14:45	Jordi Blanes i Vidal Department of Management, LSE	Peer Pressure and Manager Pressure in Organisations
14:15-15:45	Session 3: Workplace Environment I	
14:45-15:15	Tracy Wang University of Minnesota	Corporate DEI Culture Spillover
15:15-15:45	Gabor Bekes Central European University	Cultural Homophily and Collaboration in Superstar Teams
15:45-16:15	Coffee Break	
16:15-17:45	Session 4: Public sector	
16:15-16:45	Anne Fitzpatrick University of Massachusetts Boston	Managing to Learn
16:45-17:15	Yiqun Chen University of Illinois at Chicago	The Productivity of Professions: Evidence from the Emergency Department
17:15-17:45	Andreas Roider University of Regensburg	Management and performance in the public sector: Evidence from German municipalities
18:00	Speakers' Reception	



December 15th

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8:30-9:00	Breakfast	
9:00-9:30	John Van Reenen LSE, MIT	Keynote presentation: Natural Laws of Management
9:30-10:30	Session 1: Workplace Environment II	
9:30-10:00	Daniela Scur Dyson School of Applied Economics and Management, Cornell University	Pay Transparency and Mental Health
10:00-10:30	Emily Nix University of Southern California	Violence Against Women at Work
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break	
11:00-13:00	Session 2: Productivity	
11:00-11:30	Jorge Tamayo Harvard University	An Anatomy of Performance Monitoring
11:30-12:00	Wouter Dessein Columbia Business School	The Management of Knowledge Work
12:00-12:30	Ritwika Sen Northwestern University	Self-employment within the firm
12:30-13:00	Atsushi Ohyama Hitotsubashi University	Management practices and transactional relationships
13:00-13:30	Lunch	
13:30-14:00	*Panel Discussion	Susan Lund, VP of Economics and Private Sector Development, IFC; Daniela Scur, Cornell University; Raffaella Sadun, Professor of Business Administration in the Strategy Unit, Harvard Business School; John Van Rennen LSE, MIT
14:00-15:00	*Session 3: Learning II	
14:00-14:30	Paul Mizen University of Nottingham	Who wants to improve? Evidence from the Management and Expectations Survey
14:30-15:00	Ralf Martin Imperial College Business School	Managerial and Financial Barriers during the Green Transition