



4th Workshop on the Economics and Politics of Migration

organised by EBRD, King's College London, and Kadir Has University

Venue: Kadir Has University, Cibali Campus, Istanbul, Date: 30-31 March 2023

Organisers: Cevat G. Aksoy, Gözde Çörekçioğlu, Cem Özgüzel, Seyhun Orcan Sakallı, Pierre-Louis Vézina

To attend, please register [online](#)

Day 1: Thursday, 30 March 2023

08:30-09:00 | Coffee and Registration

09:00-09:15 | Welcome by organisers

09:15-11:00 | Session 1: Labour Markets | chaired by Cevat Giray Aksoy (EBRD & King's College London)

Labor Market Effects of Immigration – Identification and Interpretation

Jan Stuhler (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid)

Discussant: Abdurrahman Aydemir (Sabancı University)

From Refugees to Citizens: Returns to Naturalization and Labour Market Outcomes

Francesco Fasani (University of Milan)

Discussant: Semih Tümen (TED University)

Offshoring Response to High-Skilled Immigration: A Firm-Level Analysis

Devaki Ghose (World Bank)

Discussant: John Morrow (King's College London)

11:00-11:30 | Coffee Break

11:30-12:40 | Session 2: Migration Behaviour | chaired by Pierre-Louis Vézina (King's College London)

Does Foreign Aid Reduce Migration? Micro-Evidence from World Bank Projects

Tobias Heidland (Kiel Institute for the World Economy)

Discussant: Michelle Brock (EBRD)

Weather, Wealth, and Violence: What Drives Migration in Africa?

Simon Görlach (Bocconi University)

Discussant: Pierre-Louis Vézina (King's College London)

12:40-13:40 | Lunch break

13:40-14:50 | Session 3: Policies | chaired by Cem Özgüzel (OECD)

Border Apprehensions and Federal Sentencing of Hispanic Citizens in the United States

Jérôme Valette (CEPII)

Discussant: Riccardo Franceschin (Sabancı University)

Political Backlash to Refugee Settlement: Cultural and Economic Drivers

Mariapia Mendola (University of Milano-Bicocca)

Discussant: Ian Lively (King's College London)

14:50-15:20 | Coffee Break

15:20-16:40 | Policy Panel | Refugees' Integration: Practical Steps to Rise to the Challenge

Moderator: Ayşen Üstübici (Koç University)
Tamer Kılıç (International Centre for Migration Policy Development)
Theresa Niederle (EBRD)
Cem Özgüzel (OECD)

16:40-18:00 | Drinks Reception

19:00 | Dinner (*by invitation only*)

Day 2: Friday, 31 March 2023

10:00-10:15 | Coffee and Registration

10:15-12:00 | Session 4: Voting and Attitudes | chaired by Gözde Çörekçioğlu (Kadir Has University)

What Neighborhood Effects Miss: The Total Electoral Effects of the 2015 Refugee Crisis

Andreas Steinmayr (University of Innsbruck)

Discussant: Joop Adema (ifo Institute and University of Munich)

Pension Systems, Demographic Trends, and Attitudes Towards Immigrants

Margherita Negri (University of St. Andrews)

Discussant: Seyhun Orcan Sakallı (King's College London)

Parasocial Exposure to Successful Immigrants and Attitudes Toward Immigration

Aslı Unan (Humboldt University)

Discussant: Selcen Çakır (Boğaziçi University)

12:00-13:00 | Lunch break

13:00-14:10 | Session 5 | Ukrainian Forced Migration | chaired by Seyhun Orcan Sakallı (King's College London)

Ongoing Conflict and Refugees' Resilience to Return

Yvonne Giesing (ifo Institute)

Discussant: Yonatan Berman (King's College London)

Migration Response to an Immigration Shock: Evidence from Russia's Aggression against Ukraine

David Zuchowski (RWI Leibniz Institute)

Discussant: Güneş Aşık (TOBB Economics and Technology University)