
CIREQ Labor Workshop

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Program

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2014

12:45 – 13:00 Registration

13:00 – 14:40 *SESSION 1*

[Oleg ITSKHOKI](#), Ben Moll (Princeton University)

[*Optimal Development Policies with Financial Frictions*](#)

[Markus POSCHKE](#) (McGill University, CIREQ, IZA)

[*The Firm Size Distribution across Countries and Skill-Biased Change in Entrepreneurial Technology*](#)

14:40 – 15:10 Break

15:10 – 16:50 *SESSION 2*

[Ezra OBERFIELD](#) (Princeton University)

[*Micro Data and the Macro Technology*](#)

[Lisa KAHN](#) (Yale University), Erika McEntarfer (U.S. Census Bureau)

[*Employment Cyclicalities and Firm Quality*](#)

16:50 – 17:15 Break

17:15 – 18:30 *McConnell Lecture*

[Amil PETRIN](#) (University of Minnesota)

[*Are We Undercounting Reallocation's Contribution to Growth?*](#)

19:00 Conference dinner (*invitation only*)

SATURDAY, November 15, 2014

8:30 – 9:00 Registration & continental breakfast

9:00 – 10:40 SESSION 3

[Gian Luca CLEMENTI](#) (New York University), Dino Palazzo (Boston University)
Investment and the Cross-Section of Equity Returns

Michael Elsby (University of Edinburgh), [Ryan MICHAELS](#) (Rochester University),
David Ratner (Federal Reserve Board)
Understanding Employment Persistence

10:40 – 11:05 Break

11:05 – 12:45 SESSION 4

[Benjamin PUGSLEY](#), Aysegul Sahin (Federal Reserve Bank of New York)
Grown-up Business Cycles

[Allan COLLARD-WEXLER](#) (Duke University)
Productivity Volatility and the Misallocation of Resources in Developing Economies

13:00 Lunch
