

# FIW-Workshop

### Firms and Workers in the Global Economy

Time: September 18-19, 2025

Location: Johannes Kepler University Linz – Somnium Altenbergerstrasse 69 4040 Linz Austria

## **Preliminary Program**

#### Day 1 Thursday September 18

- 08:45 Opening Remarks
- Alexander Hudetz (Wifo, FIW); Michael Irlacher (JKU); Karin Mayr-Dorn (JKU); Ines Helm (JKU)
- 09:00 Session I Chair: Michael Irlacher (JKU)
  - 09:00-09:40: Jan Nimczik (ESMT Berlin) **TBA**
  - 09:40-10:20: Jeanne Tschopp (U Bern)
    The Impact of Unions on Non-union Wage Setting: Threats and Bargaining
- 10:20 Coffee
- 10:40 Session II Chair: Harald Oberhofer (Wifo, WU)
  - 10:40-11:20: Julia Cajal Grossi (Geneva Graduate Institute) Relationships and Responsibility
  - 11:20-12:00: Augusto Ospital (LMU Munich)
    Trade Barriers and Market Power: Evidence from Argentina's Discretionary Import Restrictions

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12:00 Lunch - Teichwerk

- 13:15 Session III Chair: Karin Mayr-Dorn (JKU)
  - 13:15-13:55: Clara Santamaria (Sciences Po)
    Delayed Childbearing and Urban Revival: A Structural Approach
- 14:00 FIW PhD Session Chair: Michael Irlacher (JKU)
  - 14:00-14:15: Isabel Pham (Wifo)
    Competition in Air Cargo and the Implications for Trade
  - 14:15-14:30: Peter Öhlinger (JKU)
    How the TCJA Reshaped Wages and Regional Inequality: The Role of Capital Intensity
  - 14:30-15:45: Chiara Castelli (wiiw)
    Technological Leaders versus Regional Ties: The Geography of Firm Innovation Quality
  - 14:45-15:00: Javier Flórez Mendoza (wiiw)
    The Impacts of the EU CBAM under Different Tariff Scenarios

#### Day 2 Friday September 19

09:00 Session IV - Chair: Ines Helm (JKU)

- 09:00-09:40: Banu Demir (Oxford) Trading around Geopolitics
- 09:40-10:20: Toshiaki Komatsu (National Taiwan University) TBA
- 10:20 Coffee
- 10:50 Session V Chair: Karin Mayr-Dorn (JKU)
  - 10:50-11:30: Andreas Gulyas (U Mannheim)
    The Role of Job Benefits in Job Search: Evidence from a Large-Scale
    Online Field Experiment
  - 11:30-12:10: Christoph Moser (FAU Nürnberg)
    Cross-Border Commuting, Gender Differences, and the Outside Option

12:15 Lunch – Teichwerk