HKUST Summer Workshop on Macroeconomics

June 24 - 25, 2014

Room 1003, Lee Shau Kee Business Building, HKUST

6:00 pm:

<u>Day 1: June 24, 2014 (Tuesday)</u>		
8:00- 8:50am	Breakfast at conference venue	
8:50am	Opening Remarks (Prof. Siu Fai LEUNG, Department Head)	
Morning Session: (Chair: Zhu Tao)		
	Lars Peter Hansen (Chicago): Shock Elasticities and Impulse Responses (with araslav Borovicka and Jose A. Scheinkman)	
10:00-10:15am	COFFEE/TEA BREAK	
10:15-11:15am	Lu Yang (HKUST): Optimal policy design with a skeptical forward-looking private sector (with Robert King)	
11:15-11:30am	COFFEE/TEA BREAK	
11:30-12:30 pm	Tao Zha (Emory and FRB Atlanta) Trends and Cycles in China's Macroeconomy (with Chun Chang, Dan Waggoner, and Mei Zhu)	
12:30- 2:10 pm	Lunch at China Garden function room (by invitation)	
Afternoon Session: (Chair: Pengfei Wang)		
2:00- 3:00pm	Alejandro Justiniano (FRB Chicago): Credit Supply and Housing Boom (with Giorgio E Primiceri and Andrea Tambalotti)	
3:00- 3:15pm	COFFEE/TEA BREAK	
3:15- 4:15pm	Cui Wei (University College London): Search-Based Endogenous Illiquidity and the Macroeconomy (with Soren Raddex)	
4:15- 4:30pm	COFFEE/ TEA BREAK	
4:30- 5:30Pm	Wen Yi (Tsinghua and FRB St. Louis): Evaluating the Effects of Unconventional Monetary Policy	

Departure for Dinner at Hung Kee Seafood Restaurant (by invitation)

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Day 2: June 25, 2014 (Wednesday)

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6:00pm

8:00-9:00am	Breakfast at Conference Venue	
Morning Session: (Chair: Lu Yang)		
9:00-10:00am (with Jihee Kim)	Chad Jones (Stanford): A Schumpeterian Model of Top Income Inequality	
10:00-10:15am	COFFEE/TEA BREAK	
10:15-11:15am	Wang Yong (HKUST): Structural Change and the Dynamics of Real Exchange Rate with Jenny Xu and Xiaodong Zhu	
11:15-11:30am	COFFEE/TEA BREAK	
11:30-12:30pm	Erzo G.J. Luttmer (University of Minnesota): Knowledge Diffusion, Growth, and Inequality	
12:30- 2:00pm	Lunch at Buffet at LSK 3/F Dining Hall (by invitation)	
Afternoon Session: (Chair: Wang Yong (HKUST))		
2:00- 3:00pm	Jonathan Heathcote (FRB Minneapolis): Wealth and Volatility (with Fabrizio Perri)	
3:00- 3:15pm	COFFEE/TEA BREAK	
3:15- 4:15pm	Dong Feng (Shanghai Jiaotong University): Capital Misallocation and Unemployment	
4:15- 4:3pm	COFFEE/TEA BREAK	
4:30- 5:30pm	Kaiji Chen (Emory): Lending Efficiency Shocks (with Tao Zha)	

Group Photos; Conference Adjourned

Departure for Dinner Shanghai Min, Tsimshatsui East (by invitation)