

Labor market and Economic perspectives on large-scale Migration in Sociology
LEMS 2017
- PROGRAM -

Friday, November 17, 2017: Morning sessions

- 08:45 Walk to conference venue (A5, 6, Room 231)
Maritim Mannheim Lobby
- 09:00 - 09:30 Coffee & Registration
- 09:30 - 10:00 **Welcome**
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Jeremy Kuhnle; Philipp Brandt
- The MZES and LEMS
Henning Hillmann
- 10:00 - 11:00 **Session 1: Let's do this ...!**
Discussant: *Philipp Brandt*
- How do refugees' different forms of capital shape their participation in economic activities? The case of Syrians in Turkey
Yonca Dege (SOAS, University of London)
- The Incidence of Overeducation among International Graduates from Irish Universities: The Effect of Job Searching Method and Personal Social Capital
Zizhen Wang (University College Dublin)
- 11:00 - 11:20 Coffee break
- 11:20 - 12:50 **Session 2: Who's coming?**
Discussant: *Tobias Roth*
- Mass Migration and Native Fertility: Evidence from Syrian Migration to Turkey
Berkay Ozcan (London School of Economics)
Cevat Giray Aksoy (European Bank for Reconstruction and Development)
- Immigrants' Economic Integration, Ethnic Prejudice, and Welfare Chauvinism in Sweden
Tina Goldschmidt (Umeå University & Stockholm University)
Jens Rydgren (Stockholm University)
- More immigrants and more immigrant-based threat: Social capital and perceived immigration in Europe
Licia Bobzien (Hertie School of Governance), Nate Breznau (MZES) & Tilman Woerz (University of Mannheim)
- 12:50 - 14:00 **Lunch**
"Kleines Café" (catered at conference venue)

Friday, November 17, 2017: Afternoon sessions

- 14:00 - 15:30 **Session 3: Where am I?**
Discussant: *Irena Kogan*
- The effect of neighborhood characteristics on refugees' language acquisition process - Associations with the degree of urbanization
Diana Schacht (German Institute for Economic Research) & Jörg Hartmann (The University of Göttingen)
- Young adult second generation migrants in Russia: First evidence from the wide-scale research project
Evgeni A. Varshaver & Anna L. Rocheva (Russian Presidential Academy for National Economy and Public Administration)
- Deciphering the 'Ethnic Penalty' of Immigrants in Western Europe: A Cross-Classified Multilevel Analysis
Elyakim Kislev (The Hebrew University of Jerusalem)
- 15:30 - 15:50 Coffee break
- 15:50 - 17:20 **Session 4: Papers, please.**
Discussant: *Jeremy Kuhnle*
- Can skilled immigrants improve their chances of getting hired by having their foreign certificates recognized? Evidence from a survey experiment among German employers
Felix Stumpf, Andreas Damelang & Sabine Ebersperger (Friedrich-Alexander University Erlangen-Nürnberg)
- Do occupational licenses narrow or widen the wage gap between natives and ethnic minorities?
Nils Witte (Karlsruhe Institute of Technology)
- Over-qualification amongst refugees in Flanders: The role of credential recognition policy
Saena Chakkar (KU Leuven)
- 17:20 - 17:35 Break
- 17:35 - 18:30 **Keynote workshop: Getting data**
Moderator: *Markus Weißmann*
- The IAB-BAMF-SOEP Refugee Survey: Survey Design and First Results
Manuel Siegert (Federal Office for Migration and Refugees-BAMF)
- 19.15 - 21.00 **Conference dinner**
"Die Küche" (Hafenstr. 49, 68159 Mannheim)

Saturday, November 18, 2017

- 8:15 Walk to conference venue (A5, 6, Room 231)
Maritim Mannheim Lobby
- 08:30 - 09:00 Coffee
- 09:00 - 10:30 **Session 5: The "invisible" hand**
Discussant: *Philipp Brandt*
- No way back, no way forward: The precarious lives of migrant workers in Ireland
Pablo Rojas Coppari (Maynooth University)
- The long-term impact of employment bans on the economic integration of refugees
Moritz Marbach, Jens Hainmueller & Dominik Hangartner (ETH Zürich, LSE & Stanford University)
- Migrant women facing different welfare and labour market outcomes
Deborah De Luca (The University of Milan)
- 10:30 - 10:50 Coffee break
- 10:50 - 12:20 **Session 6: Doing it on my own**
Discussant: *Jeremy Kuhnle*
- Self-employment in the hairdressing sector - A hairy affair
Özlem Yildiz (TU Berlin & HWR Berlin)
- Fostering labour market integration of refugees across Europe: An inventory of self-employment support measures and initiatives
Pascal Beckers (Radboud University)
- Differential business networks and socioeconomic inequalities among first- and second-generation Chinese Americans
Rachelle Wang-Cendejas (The University of Southern California)
- 12:20 - 12:30 **Closing remarks**
- 12:30 - 13:30 **Lunch**
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