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MIE/IPE Research Seminar International Economics (539901)

Date: **Wednesday, 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.**

Classroom: **B 5.44**

10.10.18, B 3.05: Dirk Ehnts (IPE)

Knapp's 'The State Theory of Money' and its reception in German-speaking academic discourse

31.10.18: Riccardo Pariboni (University of Rome 3, Free University of Berlin)

Normal utilization as the adjusting variable in neo-Kaleckian growth models: a critique

14.11.18: Won Jun Nah (Kyungpook National University, South Korea)

The income-led policies in Korea

28.11.18: Master Students' Presentations

- *Furkan Serdar Erdogan*, The Spillover Effects and Implications of Monetary Policy on the Emerging Markets: A Case Study for Brazil and Turkey, 1. Supervisor: M. Metzger, Comments: *Farid Feyzullazade*
- *Chenai Murariki*, An Analysis of the Role of Mobile Banking for Financial Inclusion in Developing Countries: A Case Study of Zimbabwe, 1. Supervisor: M. Metzger, Comments: *Lieu Nguyen Thi*

12.12.18: Master Students' Presentations

- *Jennyfer Andrea Valbuena Fajardo*, The Unhealthy Trade: The Expansion of the Food Industry in Latin America: A Case Study of Mexico and Chile, 1. Supervisor: M. Sproll, Comments: *Furkan Serdar Erdogan*
- *Megan Ward*, The Impact of SAFTA on Food Security, 1. Supervisor: J. Pedussel Wu, Comments: *Chenai Murariki*
- *Andre Regneri*, New Developments in Monopoly Capital - A Critical Analysis, 1. Supervisor: A. Truger, Comments: *Ngoc Truc Mai*
- *Gabriela Maldonado Castro*, The Role of Global Value Chains in Economic Development, 2. Supervisor: C. Teipen, Comments: *Jennyfer Andrea Valbuena Fajardo*

Monday, 17.12.18: Master Students' Presentations

- *Farid Feyzullazade*, The Importance of Middle Classes for Economic Development: The Case of China, 2. Supervisor: Petra Dünhaupt , Comments: *Megan Ward*
- *Lieu Nguyen Thi*, The Social Enterprise: A Potential Solution for Challenges in Public Service Outsourcing, 2. Supervisor: Petra Dünhaupt , Comments: *Ramita Atiq*
- *Ngoc Truc Mai*, Global Value Chains in the Electronic Industry - Comparison between Vietnam and Malaysia, 2. Supervisor: Petra Dünhaupt , Comments: *Gabriela Maldonado Castro*

09.01.19: *Ruben Tarne (University of Groningen, IMK Düsseldorf)*

The macro-economic effects of household debt: an agent-based analysis

23.01.19: *Henriette Neumann (IPE, University Paris 13, IMK Düsseldorf)*

Simulating the contributions of price and non-price competitiveness to German intra- and extra-EMU trade

Master students are supposed to present the motivation, research question(s), research methods and procedure, and also the **preliminary results** of their Master thesis. For the students we will have 15 minutes for the presentation and 15 minutes for the discussion each.

Students should provide a handout (one page) for the seminar participants, summarising their motivation, research question(s) and main (preliminary) results. The handout should be uploaded to moodle, and two hardcopies should be submitted in class to the organiser of the seminar and to their first supervisor.

A student discussant will be the first to comment on the presentation (3 minutes). The discussant should receive the powerpoints at least two days in advance of the presentation.

Master students are required to attend at least six meetings (including their own presentation).

- Deadline for registration for Master thesis: 10 October 2018
- Deadline for submission of the thesis: 23 January 2019