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MIE Research Seminar International Economics (539901)

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

Classroom: **B 5.44**

11.04.18: *Eckhard Hein (HWR, IPE)*

Inequality and growth: Marxian and post-Keynesian/Kaleckian perspectives on distribution and growth regimes before and after the Great Recession

25.04.18: *Christoph Paetz (IPE, IMK)*

Have fiscal rules made discretionary policy more countercyclical? – Evidence from fiscal reaction functions for the Euro Area

02.05.18: Master Students' Presentations

- *Maria Cristina Barbieri Goes*: Personal income distribution and progressive taxation in a neo-Kaleckian model, 1. Supervisor Hein, Comments by *Ettore Gallo*
- *Ettore Gallo*: Investment, autonomous demand and long-run capacity utilization: theory and empirical results for the Euro Area, 1. Supervisor Hein, Comments by *Maria Cristina Barbieri Goes*
- *Kasper Köhler*: The limits to profit-wage redistribution: endogenous regime shifts in Kaleckian models of growth and distribution, 1. Supervisor Hein, Comments by *Ryan Woodgate*
- *Khayyomjon Qodirov*: Economic growth, income inequality and poverty reduction in developing countries, 1. Supervisor Herr, Comments by *Aman Akbarov*

09.05.18: Master Students' Presentations

- *Ryan Woodgate*: Irish distribution and growth in a world of ever-decreasing corporate tax rates: is it time Ireland quit the global race to the bottom?, 1. Supervisor Hein, Comments by *Kasper Köhler*
- *Aidai Nurbek Kyzy*: Quantitative easing and income distribution after the Great Recession, 1. Supervisor Hein, Comments by *Mohammad Manik*
- *Afroza Alam*: Estimating the determinants of female labour force participation in Bangladesh: 2005 to 2010, 1. Supervisor Maier, Comments by *Shweta Ramaswamy*

23.05.18: *Franz J. Prante (HWR, IPE)*

More equality *can* make your economy more equality-led – modelling macroeconomic effects of income distribution

30.05.18: Master Students' Presentations

- *Kumar Bhattacharyya*: US dollar hegemony post Bretton Woods: emerging 'threats' to continued dominance, [1. Supervisor Pedussel Wu](#), Comments by *Clark Banach*
- *Felix Hesse*: Digital Trade: An analytical assessment of EU Free Trade Agreements, [1. Supervisor Pedussel Wu](#), Comments by *Kumar Bhattacharyya*
- *Clark Banach*: Institutional attributes of public and private debt accumulation, [1. Supervisor Pedussel Wu](#), Comments by *Felix Hesse*
- *Paul Kamau Kangethe*: (Re)emergence of Southern actors in international development: a BRICS scenario with a focus on China, [1. Supervisor Teipen](#), Comments by *Bastian Tittor*

06.06.18: Master Students' Presentations

- *Aman Akbarov*: Dealing with Dutch Disease: the case of Azerbaijan, [1. Supervisor Herr](#), Comments by *Radka Burgatova*
- *Matthew Templeton*: The exchange rate dimension of economic regime choice for emerging market economics, [1. Supervisor Herr](#), Comments by *Paul Kamau Kangethe*
- *Bastian Tittor*: The role of the private sector in development - criteria for optimizing the developmental impact of international companies' productive investment in developing countries, [1. Supervisor Herr](#), Comments by *Luisa Thiele*

13.06.18: Master Students' Presentations

- *Radka Burgatova*: The effect of development aid on the Sub-Saharan African development path, [1. Supervisor Ruoff](#), Comments by *Afroza Alam*
- *Luisa Thiele*: The European digital single market: an analysis of blockchain technology and its implications on European identity and transnational governance, [1. Supervisor Ruoff](#), Comments by *Alina Stepchenko*
- *Shweta Ramaswamy*: A study on the economic and social position of women in Indian agriculture, [1. Supervisor Maier](#), Comments by *Khayyomjon Qodirov*
- *Joelle Saey-Volckrick*: Economy-wide rebound effects and economic growth, [1. Supervisor Pedussel Wu](#), Comments by *Pascal Antoni*

20.06.18: Master Students' Presentations

- *Pascal Antoni*: The Green Economy Paradigm - is capitalism compatible with ecological sustainability?, [2. Supervisor Herr](#), Comments by *Joelle Saey-Volckrick*
- *Alina Stepchenko*: Trade integration of Ukraine and the EU and the role of industrial policy, [1. Supervisor Herr](#), Comments by *Aidai Nurbek Kyzy*
- *Mohamad Manik*: Does directed credit lead to economic development: A case study of Japan and Bangladesh, [1. Supervisor Herr](#), Comments by *Matthew Templeton*

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: **11.04.2018**
- Deadline for submission of the thesis: **25.07.2018**

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- Deadline for submission of the thesis: **04.06.2018**