

Wednesday 27 June

Time	Keynote 1	Talk Title		
9:00 - 10:30am				
10:30 - 11:00am		MORNING TEA		
11:00 - 12:30pm	Session Title	Paper Title	Presenter/s	Co-Author
	1.1) Auckland Council Themed Session Chair: David Norman	The impact of upzoning and proximity on Auckland house prices	Shane Martin	
		Funding greenfield infrastructure in a fast-growing city	Harshal Chitale*	
		Changing course: from general taxes to beneficiary pays	David Norman	
	1.2) Productivity Commission Themed Session Chair: Patrick Nolan	measuring state sector productivity	Patrick Nolan	
		Measuring the diffusion of innovation among hospitals in New Zealand	Patrick Nolan	Huon Fraser & Norman Gemmell
		Recent evidence on New Zealand's productivity performance	Patrick Nolan	Huon Fraser
	1.3) insurance & savings Chair: robert macculloch	Quantifying the regressive nature of New Zealand's public disaster insurance scheme	Sally Owen*	Ilan Noy
		Insurance demand with endogenous saving	Ben Davies*	
		Welfare: savings not taxation	Robert Macculloch*	Sir Roger Douglas
	1.4) Education Chair: Grant Scobie	Effect of 20 hours early childhood education on women's labor market outcomes in New Zealand	Lydia Cheung*	Gail Pacheco & Isabelle Bouchard
		Returns to initial years of formal education: How birthdate affects later educational outcomes	Asaad Ali	Andrea Menclova
		Estimating quality-adjusted productivity in tertiary education: Methods and evidence for New Zealand	Grant Scobie	Norman Gemmell & Patrick Nolan
	1.5) Unemployment Chair: Guanyu Zheng	Estimation: The case of New Zealand	Karam Shaar*	

		Modelling annual earnings with unemployment: Non-random selection in female workers	Oliver Robertson*	
		Employment trends in 30 New Zealand cities from 1976 to 2013	Guanyu Zheng	
	1.6) Development & Wellbeing Chair: Andrew Coleman	How can human rights data contribute to economic development?	Anne-Marie Brook	K Chad Clay & Susan Randolph
		A Model of the Interaction of Health and Healthcare for the Wellbeing of Heterogeneous Individuals	Anita King*	
		A preference-based approach to enhance living standards measures such as the human development index.	Andrew Coleman	Joey Au
12:30 - 1:30pm	LUNCH			
1:30 - 3:00pm	2.1) RBNZ Themed Session 1 Chair: Christie Smith	Exploring the nexus between inflation and globalization under inflation targeting in New Zealand	Enrique Martinez-Garcia*	Ayse Kabukcuoglu & Mehmet Ali Soytaş
		Job-to-job flows and inflation in New Zealand: A forecasting exercise	Ozer Karagedikli	
		Forecasting New Zealand labor markets with midas	Murat Ozbilgin	Ozer Karagedikli
	2.2) Statistics New Zealand Themed Session Chair: Rosemary Goodyear	Rentals for housing: A model-based estimator of inflation from administrative data	Alan Bentley	
		Creating a digital food price index from web-scraped data	Sam Olivecrona	Matthew Stansfield
		Investigating different measures of energy hardship in New Zealand: Information from the household economic survey	Rosemary Goodyear	
	2.3) Employment Chair: Corey Allan	Persistence of low pay employment	Alexander Plum*	Gail Pacheco
		Under-utilisation of skills and qualifications in New Zealand: what is its impact on wages on wages of employees	Amapola Generosa	Dona Cavagnoli
		Labour market impacts of technology change: evidence from linked employer-employee data	Corey Allan*	Lynda Sanderson
	2.4) FDI & Trade Chair: Anh Thi Ngoc Nguyen	Competing trade mechanisms and monotone mechanism choice	Ansgar Wohlschlegel*	Christian Grund, Eberhard Feess & Markus Walz
		Are resource-rich countries more attractive than countries with good institutions for fdi in sub-saharan africa?	Muhammad Akhtaruzzaman	Azizah Omar & Shaohua Yang
		A global analysis of factors impacting the intensive and extensive margins of bilateral FDI.	Anh Thi Ngoc Nguyen*	
	2.5) Banks & Capital Chair: Mark Holmes	Does bank competition affect financial stability?	Samangi Bandaranayake*	

		Capital inflows and credit growth in emerging and developing economies: a dynamic panel data model	Kongchheng Poch*	Baiding Hu & Christopher Gan
		Interest rate convergence across maturities: evidence from bank data in an emerging market economy	Mark Holmes	Ana Maria Iregui & Jesus Otero
	2.6) Developing Country & Minority Population Chair: Syed Hasan	An investigation of the resource curse in Indonesia	Rian Hilmawan*	Jeremy Clark
		Willingness to pay for organic vegetables in Vietnam: a rural-urban comparison	Mai Ha*	Kim Hang Pham Do & Shamim Shakur
		Financial stress and indigenous Australians	Syed Hasan*	Boyd Hunter & Robert Breunig
3:00 - 4:00pm	AFTERNOON TEA and EXTENDED POSTER SESSION (in catering area)			
4:00 - 5:30pm	3.1) RBNZ Themed Session 2 Chair: Ozer Karagedikli	Migration and business cycle dynamics	Christie Smith	
		Everyone has a part to play: examining participation rates in New Zealand and the OECD.	Jamie Culling	Amy Rice, Dean Hyslop & Hayden Skilling
		An intensive and extensive search for the causes of low wage growth in New Zealand	Amy Rice*	Dean Hyslop, Hayden Skilling & Jamie Culling
	3.2) Centre For Social Data Analytics Themed Session Chair: Matthew Walsh	The impact of social workers in schools: a preliminary investigation using linked administrative data	Tim Maloney	Anita Staneva, Moira Wilson, Nan Jiang & Rhema Vaithianathan
		A case study of algorithm-assisted decision making in child maltreatment hotline screening decisions	Diana Benavides-Prado	Alexandra Chouldechova, Emily Putnam-Hornstein, Oleksanfialko & Rhema Vaithianathan
		Identifying people at risk of homelessness: predictive risk modelling to support access to preventive services	Matthew Walsh	Oleksanfialko & Rhema Vaithianathan
	3.3) Urban Economics Chair: Arthur Grimes	Impact of urban expansions on relative land prices	Eilya Torshizian	
		Loan-to-value ratio restrictions and house prices: micro evidence from New Zealand	Fang Yao*	Hayden Skilling & Jed Armstrong
		The attractiveness of New Zealand cities: dynamic adjustment and the role of amenities	Arthur Grimes	David Mare, Kate Preston & Stuart Donovan
	3.4) Land Use & Housing Chair: Mario Fernandez	Land use choices in Aotearoa New Zealand. Do Maori land governance structures make a difference?	Sandra Liliana Cortes Acosta*	Carwyn Jones, Dave Frame & Suzi Kerr
		The determinants of housing supply responsiveness in New Zealand regions	Peter Nunns*	
		A matching simulation to assess additional housing capacity in Auckland	Mario Fernandez*	
	3.5) Commerce Commission Themed Session Chair: Toby Moore	Dynamic interaction between economic indicators, technology and co2 emissions in New Zealand	Sina Mashinchi*	Basil Sharp & Stephen Poletti
		The impact of industrial energy savings on New Zealand economy (an intertemporal dynamic cge model)	Milad Maralani*	Basil Sharp

		An industrial policy for Aotearoa New Zealand? A review of theory, practice, and prospects	Toby Moore*	Max Harris
	3.6) Education, Gender, & Management Chair: Lynda Sanderson	Gender differences in personnel management: some experimental evidence	Yaxiong (Sherry) Li*	Erwann Sbai & Ananish Chaudhuri
		Testing for mean differences in education spending	Mark Millin*	
		The evolution of management practices in New Zealand	Lynda Sanderson	

5:30 - 6:30pm	WELCOME RECEPTION			
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Thursday 28 June

Time	Keynote 2	Talk Title		
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9:00 - 10:30am				
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10:30 - 11:00am		MORNING TEA		
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	11:00 - 12:30pm	4.1) Living Standard Framework Themed Session 1 Chair: Anita King	The treasury approach to the living standard framework	Tony Burton
The treasury Living Standards Dashboard: how close are we to measuring intergenerational wellbeing in New Zealand?			Conal Smith	
Indicators of wellbeing for New Zealand			Nairn Macgibbon	Anita King, Gulnara Huseynli & Keith McLeod
4.2) Commerce Commission Themed Session Chair: Reuben Irvine		The nzme-fairfax merger: Assessing the impact of competition on the quality of NZ news	Reuben Irvine	
		Market definition: Office stationery - the supply of products or the provision of a service?	Joshua Dawson	
			Matthew Bailey	Michael Wallace
4.3) Pregnancy & Parenthood Chair: Kabir Dasgupta		You'll never walk alone – the effects of walkability on pregnancy behaviours and outcomes	Andrea Menclova	Karen Conway
		Parenthood and labour market outcomes	Isabelle Sin	Gail Pacheco & Kabir Dasgupta
		The impact of maternal smoking during pregnancy on risks of obesity among pre-schoolers	Kabir Dasgupta	Keshar Ghimire & Gail Pacheco
4.4) Labour Dynamics Chair: Jonathan Sim		Technology related transport skill requirements and availability	Julian Williams*	Douglas Wilson, Bevan Clement, Prakash Ranjitkar, Sujith Padyhara, Fiona Stokes, Hugh Dixon, Puti Wilson & Stephen Hewett
		Key findings from mbie's first quarterly analysis of job vacancies from jobs online	Anne Fale	Amapola Generosa & Stuart King
		Accounting for changes in labour composition in the measurement of labour productivity – an update	Jonathan Sim	Daniel Griffiths
4.5) var & forecasting Chair: michael callaghan		Will the real var please stand up?	Leo Krippner	Ben Wong & James Morley

		Forecasting with global var models: an empirical assessment	Thomas Van Florenstein Mulder	Tugrul Vehbi
		Is the market always right? Improving federal funds rate forecasts by adjusting for the term premium	Michael Callaghan*	
	4.6) Issues In Applied Microeconomics 1 Chair: David Maré	To ask or not to ask? – that is now the question	Sharon Snelgrove	
		The two ends of a tail: measuring inequality with survey and administrative data	Gail Pacheco*	Alexander Plum & Kabir Dasgupta
		Valuing birthplace diversity	David Maré	
12:30 - 2:00pm	LUNCH / NZAE AGM			
	5.1) Living Standard Framework Themed Session 2 Chair: Lex Oxley	Genuine savings as a test of New Zealand weak sustainability	Lex Oxley	Eoin McLaughlin & Mubashir Qasim
		The relationship between the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and Treasury's Living Standards Framework	Judd Ormsby	
		Human capital - measurement challenges and the risks and opportunities of the future	Suzy Morrissey*	
2:00 - 3:30pm	5.2) Deep South Challenge Themed Session 1 Chair: Patrick Walsh	Robust adaptation decision-making under uncertainty: an application of real options analysis to decision-making in the water sector	Anita Wreford	Alan Renwick, Daniel Collins & Ruth Dittrich
		Climate resilient Maori land investment decisions to enhance prosperity	Shaun Awatere	Juan Monge
		Climate change experience and beliefs: investigating the scope of effects	Patrick Walsh*	Pike Brown & Ms Pamela Booth
	5.3) Land Ownership, Use, & Value Chair: Ryan Greenaway-Mcgrevy	Using oligopoly theory to estimate the competitive impacts of land ownership institutions on Maori	Richard Meade*	
		NZLVM: quantifying land value discontinuities arising from zoning in New Zealand	Phil Donovan	Alex Raichev, Peter Nunns & Saeid Adli
		Land use regulation, the redevelopment premium and house prices	Ryan Greenaway-Mcgrevy*	Gail Pacheco & Kade Sorensen
	5.4) transit & movement Chair: ralph samuelson	Impact of proximity to bus rapid transit on nearby property values in Auckland	Mingyue Sheng*	Olga Filippova
		Residential movement within NZ: quantifying and characterising the transient population	Nan Jiang*	Gail Pacheco & Kabir Dasgupta
		How transport policies can impact the health of New Zealanders	Ralph Samuelson	
	5.5) Firms & Stock Prices Chair: Geoffrey Brooke	What do firms mean when they say they innovate?	Sharon Pells	
The impact of aging population on stock prices: evidence from New Zealand		Shrabani Saha*	Hanxiong Zhang & Samantha Hettihewa	

		Competition in print advertising between paid and free newspapers	Geoffrey Brooke*	Lydia Cheung
	5.6) Replication & Modelling Chair: Bob Reed	Modelling occasionally binding constraints using regime-switching	Andrew Binning	Junior Maih
		Statistical adequacy and misspecification testing in replication practice in empirical economics	Dorian Owen	
		On the reproducibility crisis and ways to fix it	Bob Reed	

3:30 - 4:00pm		AFTERNOON TEA		
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	Keynote 3	Talk Title		
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4:00 - 5:30pm				
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6:30 - 7:00pm		PRE CONFERENCE DINNER DRINKS		
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7pm Onwards		CONFERENCE DINNER		
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Friday 29 June

Time	Keynote 4	Talk Title		
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9:00 - 10:30am				
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10:30 - 11:00am		MORNING TEA		
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	Session Title	Paper Title	Presenter/s	Co-Author
11:00 - 12:30pm	6.1) Treasury Themed Session Chair: Ashley Lienert	Quantifying the effects of fiscal policy in New Zealand: the evidence from svar models	Martin Wong*	Anna Hameradams
		An introduction to the treasury's new macroeconomic model	Ashley Lienert*	
		Global spill over of us monetary policy	Eric Tong	Prasanna Gai
	6.2) Deep South Session Themed Session 2 Chair: Farnaz Pourzand	The eqc and weather events in New Zealand	Ilan Noy	David A Fleming, Jacon Pastor-Paz & Sally Owen
		Climate change and the withdrawal of insurance in New Zealand	Belinda Storey	
		Economic assessment of droughts on agricultural productivity and profitability: a micro-level study	Farnaz Pourzand*	Ilan Noy
6.3) Agriculture & Tourism Chair: Rukmani Gounder	Assessing dairy farming eco-efficiency in New Zealand: a two-stage data envelopment analysis	Tarek Soliman*	Utkur Djanibekov	

		Impact of delivering credence attributes of livestock products on farm	Wei Yang*	Gina Lucci, Stewart Ledgard, Geoff Mercer & Grant Rennie
		The global financial crisis and its impact on tourism sector in New Zealand	Rukmani Gounder	
6.4) Taxation Chair: Nazila Alinaghi		Reconceptualisation of income tax graduation as public equity	Keith Rankin	
		Taxes, invariant valuations, tax equivalences and risk	Matt Benge*	
		The efficiency effects of redistribution via minimum wages versus the tax-transfer system	Nazila Alinaghi*	Norman Gemmell & John Creedy
6.5) China Chair: John Gibson		Impacts of facility construction and professional sports on metropolitan area development: evidence from China	Sam Richardson	Daoyang Zhang & Rukmani Gounder
		A pair-wise analysis of price convergence in China's property market	Chao Li	John Gibson & Mark Holmes
		Spatial price differences and inequality in China: evidence from a hedonic analysis of apartment prices	John Gibson	Chao Li
6.6) Issues in Applied Microeconomics 2 Chair: Eberhard Feess		Merit aid scholarships and human capital production in stem: evidence from new Mexico	Christopher Erwin	
		Measuring economic depreciation of commercial real estate using cash flow data	Iqbal Syed	Chihiro Shimizu
		The impact of voting rules on the violation of norms: theory and laboratory evidence	Eberhard Feess	
12:30 - 1:30pm	LUNCH			
1:30pm	CONFERENCE CLOSE			