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## PhD workshop AMEC 2018

The PhD workshop seeks to bring together young researchers and distinguished scholars in fields of applied economics, finance and management to discuss the most relevant contemporary research designs, approaches and quantitative techniques.

### Speakers



**Dennis C. Coates**, Professor of Economics, University of Maryland (UMBC). His research interests lie in Public Choice, Public Finance, and Sports Economics. From 2016, prof. Dennis Coates is an Editor of the Journal of Sports Economics.



**Daniele Archibugi**, Professor of Innovation, Governance and Public Policy, Department of Management Birkbeck, University of London, Research Director at the Italian National Research Council (CNR) in Rome, affiliated at the Institute on Population and Social Policy (IRPPS)



**Assaf Razin**, Professor of Economics, Cornell University and Tel Aviv University, Research Professor: IFO and LMU University, Munich, Fellow of Econometrics Society

### Experts



**Angel A. Barajas**, Professor of Finance, Head of the Department of Finance, Leading Researcher of the International Laboratory of Intangible-driven Economy, St.Petersburg School of Economics and Management, HSE University



**Felix Lopez-Iturriaga**, Professor of Finance, University of Valladolid, Leading Researcher of the International Laboratory of Intangible-driven Economy, HSE University



**Elena Shakina**, Assistant Professor, Deputy Dean for Research, Head of the International Laboratory of Intangible-driven Economy, St.Petersburg School of Economics and Management, HSE University



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### 19 September | Kantemirovskaya, 3A | room 345

10:00	Registration for the PhD workshop opens
10:30-11:00	Opening ceremony
11:00–12:30	<b>Lecture 1</b> <b>Prof. Dennis Coates, UMBC</b> Conducting empirical studies: issues to be addressed
12:30–13:00	Coffee-break
13:00–14:00	<b>Lecture 2</b> <b>Prof. Dennis Coates, UMBC</b> Endogeneity, misspecification and omitted variables
14:00–15:00	Lunch
15:00–16:30	<b>Presentations of participants and experts' feedback: 1st round</b>
16:30–17:00	Coffee-break
17:00–18:00	<b>Presentations of participants: 1st round and experts' feedback</b> <b>Prof. Angel Barajas, Prof. Dennis Coates,</b> <b>Prof. Felix Lopez-Iturriaga, Dr. Elena Shakina</b>

### 20 September | Kantemirovskaya, 3A | room 345

9:30–11:00	<b>Lecture 3</b> <b>Prof. Daniele Archibugi</b> The gentle art of measuring innovation? Methodological and economic problems
11:00–11:30	Coffee-break
11:30–13:00	<b>Presentations of participants and experts' feedback: 2nd round</b>
13:00–14:00	<b>Presentations of participants and experts' feedback: 2nd round</b> <b>Prof. Angel Barajas, Prof. Daniele Archibugi,</b> <b>Prof. Assaf Razin, Dr. Elena Shakina</b>
14:00–15:00	Lunch
15:00–16:30	<b>Presentation of research paper</b> <b>Prof. Assaf Razin</b> Israel and the World Economy: the Power of Globalization
16:30–17:00	Coffee-break
17:00–17:30	<b>Closing remarks and feedback</b> <b>Prof. Angel Barajas, Dr. Elena Shakina</b>