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Programme of Lectures

Monday 22 June, 2026 | 8:30-9:30

Hours Worked across the World: Facts, Driving Forces, Implications

Nicola Fuchs-Schündeln, WZB & Goethe University & CEPR

Global disorder and the fate of middle powers: an economic perspective | 18:00-19:00

Jean Tirole, Toulouse School of Economics

Tuesday 23 June, 2026 | 9:00-10:00

Tariffs and Geopolitical Alignments

Elhanan Helpman, Harvard University

Wednesday 24 June, 2026 | 9:00-10:00

A Model of the Labor Market with Heterogeneous Firms and Workers with Bundled Skills

Francis Kramarz, Uppsala University

Thursday 25 June, 2026 | 9:00-10:00

Trump's Tariffs: Where Politics Meets Economics

Gene Grossman, Princeton University

Friday 25 June, 2026 | 9:00-10:00

It's About Time: Forecasting AI Automation and Expertise Demands from Task Duration

David Autor, MIT
