

Monday 13th April 2026

12:00-13:00	Registration and Lunch							
13:00-14:00	<p align="center">President's Invited Lecture Professor Jeff Wooldridge Walter Adams Distinguished Faculty Fellow in Economics and University Distinguished Professor, Michigan State University</p>							
14:00-14:15	15 min break							
14:15-15:45	<p align="center">Parallel Session 1</p>							
	1.1 Law, Crime, and Judicial Institutions	1.2 International Economics	1.3 Health, Education, and Welfare I	1.4 Tax Reforms and Distribution	1.5 Structural Change I	1.6 Risk: Geopolitics, and Financial Crises	1.7 Health: Vaccines and Diseases	1.8 Monetary Policy and Transmission Mechanisms
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16:15-17:15	<p align="center">Parallel Session 2</p>							
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	<p>4.1 Organised session: The Wealth of Nations at 250: New Perspectives on Nature and Causes</p> <p>The Wellbeing Trap: Why Productive Capacity Must Anchor Policy Alex Trew</p> <p>The Origins of the State: A Model of Productivity Theory Luis Angeles</p> <p>Natural Capital and the Productivity Puzzle: An Inclusive Wealth Perspective Eoin McLaughlin</p> <p>Digital imports and firm productivity: does winner take all? Sai Ding</p>	<p>4.2 Organised session: Inequality and Wellbeing Across the Life Course</p> <p>Shrinking budgets, empty cupboards? The Marginal Treatment Effect of UK local authority cuts in food bank usage Hector Rufrancos</p> <p>Long-run Health and Mortality Effects of Exposure to Universal Health Care in Infancy Tanya Wilson</p> <p>The Effects of Childhood Tonsillectomy Rachel Forshaw</p> <p>Extracting Childhood Aspirations with NLP: Analysis of the NCDS Cohort Essays Margaret Leighton</p>	<p>4.3 Organised session: Economics of Crime and Criminal Justice</p> <p>The Impacts of Guaranteed Basic Income on Crime Perpetration and Victimization Martti Kaila</p> <p>Watching the Watchmen: Bayesian Evidence on Bias in Metropolitan Police Stop-and-Search Michael Watts</p> <p>From Custody to Community: The Impact of Supervision on Recidivism Markus Gehrsitz</p>	<p>4.4 Organised session: Doing Policy-Relevant Research with RISE</p> <p>Structural Outlook-at-Risk (S-OaR): A Model-Based Approach to Macroeconomic Tail Risks Junior Maih</p> <p>Financial imbalances and macroeconomic tail risks: A structural regime-switching investigation Yasin Mimir</p> <p>Real-Time Detection of Regime Shifts Using Data-Rich Structural Models Annukka Ristiniemi</p>	<p>4.5 Political Economy</p> <p>Paper 1 Western Sanctions and Coups d'État p153</p> <p>Paper 2 Socialism, Capitalism and the Artificial Intelligence p12</p> <p>Paper 3 Clientelism and Elite Capture: Implications of Inequality p96</p> <p>Paper 4 Adam Smith, Free Trade and the Origin of Customs Unions p205</p>	<p>4.6 Households and Constraints</p> <p>Paper 1 Deprivation and the leisure-consumption choice p73</p> <p>Paper 2 She Manages the Money – He Spends It: Income Management and Spousal Expenditure Gap in Japan p190</p> <p>Paper 3 Drought and Child health outcomes: Evidence from Nigeria p69</p> <p>Paper 4 The Suppression of Female Labor Supply in India: Evidence on the Roles of Bargaining and Expectations p144</p>	<p>4.7 Labour Market Institutions</p> <p>Paper 1 The Wage Penalty of Temporary Work: Firm Sorting vs. Bargaining p47</p> <p>Paper 2 Do Firms Share their Profits Equally with Women and Men? The Role of Human Capital, Managerial Positions and Unions p116</p> <p>Paper 3 The Differential Wage Effect of Unemployment Insurance by Entitlement Status: A New Piece of the UI-Wages Puzzle? p181</p> <p>Paper 4 The Impact of the pandemic on health-related inactivity and benefit claims p159</p>	<p>4.8 Energy, Environment and Welfare</p> <p>Paper 1 Navigating the Energy Transition: The Impacts of Germany's 2020 Coal Phase-Out Legislation on Macro-Level Worries p167</p> <p>Paper 2 Energy poverty, cold weather and nutrition: Evidence from food purchases of UK households p204</p> <p>Paper 3 Taking the Highway or the Green Road? Conditional Temperature Forecasts Under Alternative SSP Scenarios p24</p> <p>Paper 4 Clean Rides, Healthy Lives: The Impact of Electric Vehicle Adoption on Air Quality and Infant Health p11</p>
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The Adam Smith Lecture
 Professor Jonathan Haskel
 Imperial Monetary Policy Committee

Tea and coffee

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